

Unit 20 — Slang



Above board

in a legal and proper manner

"We are not worried about the audit as everything was prepared above board."

Backdoor

dishonest, unethical or illegal

"The company was fined when the tax authority realized that their return had been prepared in a backdoor way."

Be in the ballpark

to estimate with reasonable accuracy

"They didn't know the exact figure and guessed at 500,000 which turned out to be in the ballpark."

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