

# misprision *(mis-pri-sion)*

## Definition

n. 1 a neglect or violation of official duty by one in office; 2 a failure to inform the proper authorities of the commission of an act of treason

## Example Sentence

The newspaper reporter discovered the senator's **misprision**.

## Synonyms

violation of official duty; neglect of duty;  
concealment of treason

## Antonyms

performance of official duty

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