**Declaration of Independence: Understanding Vocabulary in Context**

| **Term** | **Definition as it appears in context.** |
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| **abolish** |  |
| **assent** |  |
| **consent of the governed** |  |
| **deprive** |  |
| **derive** |  |
| **despotism** |  |
| **dissolve** |  |
| **endow** |  |
| **impel** |  |
| **institute** |  |
| **oppression** |  |
| **quarter** |  |
| **rectitude** |  |
| **self-evident** |  |
| **tyranny** |  |
| **tyrant** |  |
| **unalienable (inalienable) rights** |  |
| **usurpation** |  |