Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given.

1. She wasn’t the least bit surprised to find out that her husband had an affair. (SURPRISE)  
   It wasn’t __________________ to find out that her husband had an affair.
2. People don’t play any board games today. (POPULAR)  
   Board games ____________________________.
3. It isn’t my fault that the bus is late. (BLAME)  
   I’m _____________________________ the bus being so late.
4. It is said that Beethoven wrote that symphony. (CREDITED)  
   Beethoven has been _____________________________ that symphony.
5. My uncle was driving the lorry when it crashed. (DRIVEN)  
   The lorry _____________________________ when it crashed.
6. Ecologists around the world are worried about the problem. (CONCERNED)  
   Ecologists around the world ___________________________ about the problem.
7. You can try to open the safe with that key, but it won’t work. (POINT)  
   There’s _____________________________ the safe with that key.
8. The accused refused to answer questions without his lawyer. (INSISTED)  
   The accused _____________________________ present before answering any questions.
9. The letter has nothing to do with you (CONCERN).  
   The letter is _____________________________ to you.
10. The company would benefit from hiring new workers. (INTERESTS)  
    It would be _____________________________ to hire new workers.
11. John and his wife seem to have no similarities. (COMMON)  
    John and his wife seem _____________________________ with each other.
12. He doesn’t appreciate anything. (GRANTED)  
    He takes _____________________________.
13. When I studied at university, I never had enough money. (SHORT)  
    When I studied at university, I _____________________________.
14. Everyone came to the party apart from Cathy. (EXCEPTION)  
    Everyone came to the party _____________________________ Cathy.
15. They are building some new apartments in the suburbs. (CONSTRUCTION)  
    New apartments _____________________________ in the suburbs.
1. She wasn't the least bit surprised to find out that her husband had an affair. *(SURPRISE)*
   It wasn't a surprise for her to find out that her husband had an affair.

2. People don't play any board games today. *(POPULAR)*
   Board games are not very popular today.

3. It isn't my fault that the bus is late. *(BLAME)*
   I'm not to blame for the bus being so late.

4. It is said that Beethoven wrote that symphony. *(CREDITED)*
   Beethoven has been credited with writing that symphony.

5. My uncle was driving the lorry when it crashed. *(DRIVEN)*
   The lorry was driven by my uncle when it crashed.

6. Ecologists around the world are worried about the problem. *(CONCERNED)*
   Ecologists around the world are concerned about the problem.

7. You can try to open the safe with that key, but it won't work. *(POINT)*
   There's no point in opening the safe with that key.

8. The accused refused to answer questions without his lawyer. *(INSISTED)*
   The accused insisted on having his lawyer / insisted on his lawyer being present before answering any questions.

9. The letter has nothing to do with you *(CONCERN).*
   The letter is of no concern to you.

10. The company would benefit from hiring new workers. *(INTERESTS)*
    It would be in the company's interests to hire new workers.

11. John and his wife seem to have no similarities. *(COMMON)*
    John and his wife seem to have nothing in common with each other.

12. He doesn't appreciate anything. *(GRANTED)*
    He takes everything for granted.

13. When I studied at university, I never had enough money. *(SHORT)*
    When I studied at university, I was always short on/of money.

14. Everyone came to the party apart from Cathy. *(EXCEPTION)*
    Everyone came to the party with the exception of Cathy.

15. They are building some new apartments in the suburbs. *(CONSTRUCTION)*
    New apartments are under construction in the suburbs.