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The Journalist's Deception

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Answers may vary but could include that Alex was driven by a strong sense of duty to uncover the truth and expose corruption for the greater good, even in the face of danger.
2. Qualities important for investigative journalists like Alex might include courage, determination, integrity, and a commitment to the pursuit of truth.
3. The nation's politics might change by becoming more transparent and accountable, with a greater emphasis on ethics and honesty in government.
4. Answers may vary, but some might argue that it was worth the danger for Alex to expose the corruption within the Progress Alliance because it led to accountability and justice, while others might argue that the risks were too great and that other methods should have been used to uncover the truth.

