

**Chapter Three Assignment**

**Multiple Choice**

Identify the letter of the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

- \_\_\_ 1. The Constitution is based on the concept of
  - a. expressed powers.
  - b. judicial activism.
  - c. popular sovereignty.
  - d. jurisdiction.
  
- \_\_\_ 2. This section of the Constitution states why it was written.
  - a. Amendments
  - b. Bill of Rights
  - c. Preamble
  - d. Articles
  
- \_\_\_ 3. Article I of the Constitution created the voice of the people in the
  - a. executive branch.
  - b. Supreme Court.
  - c. Senate.
  - d. House of Representatives.
  
- \_\_\_ 4. This is NOT an example of a congressional enumerated power.
  - a. to issue search warrants
  - b. to declare war
  - c. to establish post offices
  - d. to coin money
  
- \_\_\_ 5. This elevated the Supreme Court to a status balancing the powers of the other branches.
  - a. enumerated powers
  - b. judicial review
  - c. Constitutional amendment
  - d. judicial activism
  
- \_\_\_ 6. This action between the President and the head of a foreign government does NOT require congressional approval.
  - a. impeachment
  - b. executive agreement
  - c. prior restraint
  - d. poll tax
  
- \_\_\_ 7. False speech intended to hurt another is
  - a. slander.
  - b. libel.
  - c. prior restraint.
  - d. due process of law.
  
- \_\_\_ 8. Poll taxes hurt low-income African Americans because taxes were paid in order to
  - a. call a national convention.
  - b. make arrests for libel.
  - c. vote.
  - d. make arrests for slander.
  
- \_\_\_ 9. This action is required to override a presidential veto.
  - a. a judicial review
  - b. a Supreme Court ruling
  - c. a Constitutional convention
  - d. a two-thirds vote of each house
  
- \_\_\_ 10. The Framers wrote this section of the Constitution for a changing nation.
  - a. Bill of Rights
  - b. Articles
  - c. Preamble
  - d. Amendments
  
- \_\_\_ 11. Supreme Court decisions can only be overturned by the Court itself or by
  - a. congressional vote.
  - b. Constitutional amendment.
  - c. order of the president.
  - d. judicial activism.
  
- \_\_\_ 12. The first 10 amendments are called the
  - a. Bill of Rights.
  - b. Constitution.
  - c. Preamble.
  - d. enumerated Articles.
  
- \_\_\_ 13. This Amendment protects the freedom of speech.
  - a. Fifth Amendment
  - b. Fifteenth Amendment
  - c. First Amendment
  - d. Twenty-first Amendment

- \_\_\_ 14. In this part of the Constitution, the founders listed six goals for American government.
- a. Preamble
  - b. Amendments
  - c. Articles
  - d. Supremacy Clause
- \_\_\_ 15. In this part of the Constitution, the three branches of the government are named.
- a. Amendments
  - b. Articles
  - c. Supremacy Clause
  - d. Preamble
- \_\_\_ 16. The president can check Congress by this power.
- a. override
  - b. veto
  - c. separation of power enactment
  - d. judicial review
- \_\_\_ 17. This branch of government is the final authority on the Constitution.
- a. Congress
  - b. legislative
  - c. executive
  - d. Supreme Court
- \_\_\_ 18. This gives Congress the right to make all "necessary and proper" laws.
- a. expressed powers
  - b. jurisdiction
  - c. judicial review
  - d. elastic clause
- \_\_\_ 19. Article II of the Constitution is important because it
- a. describes expressed powers.
  - b. describes enumerated powers.
  - c. describes the executive branch.
  - d. describes the legislative branch.
- \_\_\_ 20. The only method of amending the Constitution that has been used to date is by
- a. judicial activism.
  - b. petition.
  - c. national convention.
  - d. two-thirds vote of each house.
- \_\_\_ 21. In modern times, Congress has set this limit on state ratification of an amendment.
- a. seven years
  - b. two years
  - c. six months
  - d. 30 days
- \_\_\_ 22. The First Amendment protects the American press from this.
- a. libel
  - b. due process of law
  - c. slander
  - d. prior restraint
- \_\_\_ 23. How did the Twenty-first Amendment affect the Eighteenth Amendment?
- a. changed its venue
  - b. supported it
  - c. repealed it
  - d. ratified it

**Matching**

*Match each item with the correct statement below.*

- a. elastic clause
  - b. appeal to Congress
  - c. bankruptcy
  - d. describes the legislative branch
  - e. protects free speech
  - f. impeach
  - g. describes the Supreme Court
  - h. ratify
  - i. first 10 amendments
  - j. describes the executive branch
- \_\_\_ 24. Article I of the Constitution
- \_\_\_ 25. Article II of the Constitution
- \_\_\_ 26. Article III of the Constitution
- \_\_\_ 27. "necessary and proper" laws
- \_\_\_ 28. jurisdiction of federal courts
- \_\_\_ 29. amendment approval
- \_\_\_ 30. petition

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- \_\_\_ 31. House accusation of federal official
- \_\_\_ 32. First Amendment
- \_\_\_ 33. Bill of Rights

*Match each item with the statement below.*

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|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| a. Supreme Court      | d. two-thirds vote of each house |
| b. federalism         | e. popular sovereignty           |
| c. legislative branch |                                  |

- \_\_\_ 34. Article I
- \_\_\_ 35. Article III
- \_\_\_ 36. rule by the people
- \_\_\_ 37. power divided between nation and state
- \_\_\_ 38. veto override

*Match each item with the statement below.*

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|--------------------|-------------------|
| a. First Amendment | d. Bill of Rights |
| b. libel           | e. slander        |
| c. search warrant  |                   |

- \_\_\_ 39. first 10 amendments
- \_\_\_ 40. protects freedom of speech
- \_\_\_ 41. false speech
- \_\_\_ 42. damages a person in writing
- \_\_\_ 43. probable cause

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**Answer Section**

**MULTIPLE CHOICE**

1. C
2. C
3. D
4. A
5. B
6. B
7. A
8. C
9. D
10. D
11. B
12. A
13. C
14. A
15. B
16. B
17. D
18. D
19. C
20. D
21. A
22. D
23. C

**MATCHING**

24. D
25. J
26. G
27. A
28. C
29. H
30. B
31. F
32. E
33. I
  
34. C
35. A

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- 36. E
- 37. B
- 38. D
  
- 39. D
- 40. A
- 41. E
- 42. B
- 43. C

A   14.

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  E   32.

  I   33.

  B   15.

  C   1.

  B   16.

  C   2.

  D   17.

  C   34.

  A   35.

  E   36.

  D   3.

  D   18.

  B   37.

  D   38.

  A   4.

  C   19.

  B   5.

  D   20.

  D   39.

  A   40.

  B   6.

  A   21.

  E   41.

  B   42.

  A   7.

  D   22.

  C   43.

  C   8.

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  D   10.

  B   11.

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  D   24.

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  C   13.

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  H   29.

  B   30.