



# How Laws Are Made

1. A proposed law is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. In order for a bill to become a law, it must be passed by \_\_\_\_\_  
"houses" of Congress, the \_\_\_\_\_  
and the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Most bills can start in \_\_\_\_\_ house.
4. Once both houses vote in favor of a bill, it is sent to the \_\_\_\_\_.
5. If the president \_\_\_\_\_ the bill, it becomes a \_\_\_\_\_.
6. A vetoed bill can still become a law if \_\_\_\_\_ of the members of  
Congress " \_\_\_\_\_ " the President's veto by voting in favor of it.
7. Citizens can influence what laws are made. They can:
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_ to their Congressmen.
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_ to get certain candidates elected.
  - c. work for \_\_\_\_\_.
  - d. join together to form a \_\_\_\_\_.
8. A "lobby" is: \_\_\_\_\_  
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