

## Where Does Law Come From?

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## ACROSS

- 4) The executive branch can \_\_\_ a bill passed by Congress it does not like.
- 5) To avoid concentration of power in a branch, we have a system of "\_\_\_ and balances."
- 8) How courts check the actions of the other two branches of government (two words, no space).
- 14) Our system is one of "Separation of \_\_\_\_" meaning each of the three branches of the federal government has its own distinct powers and responsibilities.
- 15) This branch is defined by Article III of the Constitution.
- 18) One of the two "halves" of Congress "House of \_\_\_\_"
- 19) Established by Congress, the US \_\_\_ Courts are general trial courts.
- 20) This branch is defined by Article I of the Constitution.
- 21) An agency may only act within the limits of its \_\_\_ (two words, no space).

## DOWN

- 1) The USSC can \_\_\_ a decision of a lower court which confirms it was the correct decision.
- 2) Under the doctrine of precedent, the principle of using previous court decisions to help decide a case (two words, no space).
- 3) Executive agencies create these types of "rules."
- 6) A law starts out as a \_\_\_\_.
- 7) The Constitution was ratified in "Seventeen \_\_\_"
- 9) The body of law set out in court decisions that recognize and apply judge-made law (two words, no space).
- 10) Agencies have a \_\_\_-judicial function to interpret their own regulations.
- 11) The term for a two part/branch legislature.
- 12) This branch is defined by Article II of the Constitution.
- 13) One of the two "halves" of Congress.
- 16) The legislative branch has the power to \_\_\_ the President or a federal judge.
- 17) The U.S. Bankruptcy Court is an example of a Federal \_\_\_ Court.



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