



## More Terms Used in Congress

**Instructions:** Match all the terms to the definitions

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Cloture
  2. \_\_\_\_\_ Caucus
  3. \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment
  4. \_\_\_\_\_ Joint session
  5. \_\_\_\_\_ Filibuster
  6. \_\_\_\_\_ Quorum
  7. \_\_\_\_\_ Roll call vote
- A. Any attempt to block or delay Senate action on a bill or other matter by debating it at length, by offering numerous procedural motions, or by any other delaying or obstructive actions.
  - B. A proposed change to a bill.
  - C. When the House of Representatives and Senate meet and conduct formal business or to hear an address by the president of the United States.
  - D. When members of the House or Senate meet to discuss issues of mutual concern and possibly to perform legislative research and policy planning.
  - E. The procedure where the Senate can vote to place a time limit on consideration of a bill or other matter, and overcome a filibuster. The Senate may limit consideration of a pending matter to 30 additional hours, but only by vote of three-fifths (60 votes) of the full Senate.
  - F. A vote where each senator votes "yea" or "nay" as his/her name is called by the clerk, so that the names of senators voting on each side are recorded.
  - G. The number of senators that must be present for the Senate to do business. The Constitution requires a majority of 51 senators.

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