

Unit III Congress

incumbents
incumbent advantage
caseworking
pork barreling (ear marked)
logrolling
House Rules committee
filibuster
cloture rule
Speaker of the House
president pro Tempore
majority and minority leaders
majority and minority whips
standing committees
joint committees
conference committees
select committees
legislative oversight
seniority system
senatorial courtsey
resolution
joint resolution
concurrent resolutions
Committee of the Whole
quorum
franking privilege
gerrymandering
reapportionment
commerce clause
spending clause
“power of the purse”
discharge petitions
open rule
closed rule
Baker v Carr
one man, one vote (Wesberry v Sanders)
Heart of Atlanta Hotel v US
specialized caucus
continuous body

legislative veto
constituent
riders
“cautious and deliberative “
Ways and Means Committee
Appropriation Committee