**Social Studies 11**

**Government: Review Sheet**

**Define/Explain:**

Bureaucracy Cabinet solidarity Democracy Official Opposition

Suffrage First-Past-the-Post Riding/Constituency Proportional Rep.

Minority Gov’t Majority Gov’t Fundamental Rights Cabinet

Mace Hansard Non-Confidence Minister

Senate Speaker House of Commons Shadow Cabinet

Caucus Precedent Election Writ By-Election

MP Governor General Party Whip Mandate

Patronage Executive Legislative Lobbyist

Parliamentary Committee Chief Electoral Officer

BC Human Rights Commission Universal Declaration of Human Rights

Constitutional Monarchy Representative Democracy

Royal Assent Triple “E” Senate Reform

Head of State Charter of Rights & Freedoms

**Questions:**

1. Outline the steps in the electoral process, indicating who is involved at each stage and what occurs.
2. Outline the law making process.
3. What criticisms have been made of the Senate and what are some of the proposed reforms?
4. Review the Political Spectrum and be able to differentiate between the following political ideologies: a) Conservatism b) Liberalism c) Communism d) Socialism e) Fascism