



Q How does the system of checks and balances work in the US political system? Explain with examples.

Answer- Introduction

"There must be some checks in every relation"

(-Toquees Hussain)

System of checks and balances work in the US political system to maintain political order. In fact, the governmental bodies have some checks on each other to run smooth functioning of the US politics. Therefore, the US political system has some checks and balances.

2- System of checks and balances;
an Overview

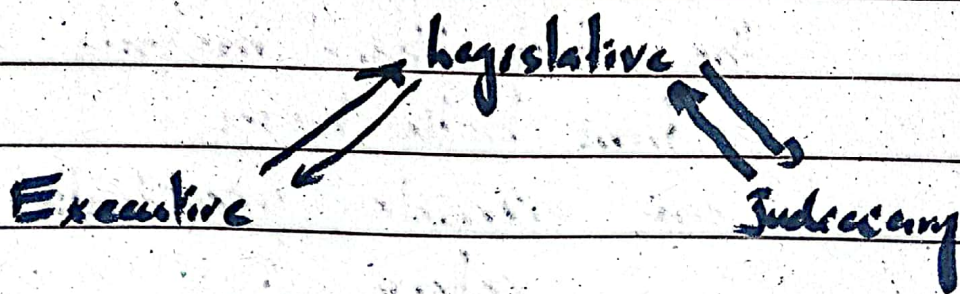
"The US political system

works under the system of checks and balances."

(Maxey)

System of checks and balances is an order of maintaining smooth functioning of politics. In this system, each body has some checks on the other. Thus, the system of checks and balances is a maintaining order.

System of checks and balances



3- System of checks and balance in the US political system

Following are checks and balances:

a) The legislative checks over the executive

The Congress has certain checks as below:

i) Power to override presidential veto

Congress has power to override presidential veto. In fact, both houses can declare veto null and void.

"Passing any act by the two-thirds majority from both houses can override presidential veto."

(- The US political system)

Thus, presidential veto can be over-riden.

ii) Removal of president by impeachment

Moreover, Congress can remove president by impeachment. The US-president can be removed on corruption charges.

• Donald Trump was accused of 34 cases in the US-political system...

(CIVIL, corruption cycle, 2022)

Thus, the Congress can remove president.

iii) Sharing in presidential power of appointment

Congress has sharing power in appointment by

the president. In fact, president is dependent on the Congress.

"Appointment of officers and judges is done with the consultation of the Congress."

(-The US political system)

Thus, the Congress has checks on appointment, too.

b) The legislative checks over the judiciary

Along with the executive, the legislative also has checks over judiciary. Following is detail:

i) Appointment of judges

Appointment of judges is dependent on the Congress. In fact, Congress decides the checks

on appointment.

"Judges are appointed on the consent of the Congress for life time."

(The US political system)

Therefore, judges are appointed by the Congress' consent.

(i) Impeachment of judges

Judges can also be impeached by the Congress. Like-wise president, judges can also be removed on corruption charges.

"The Congress has power to impeach judges on corruption charges."

(The US political system)

Hence, Congress can also impeach

judges.

c) The executive powers checks over the legislative

Following are executive powers:

i) To veto the law passed by the Congress

The US president has power to veto the law passed by the Congress. In fact, president can declare it 'null and void'.

"President has authority to declare law

'null and void' passed by the Congress."

(in the US political system)

Thus, the US president can

declare law null.

ii) Equal sharing in appointment
 Moreover, president has share in appointment policy. President's assent is respected in appointment of officers.

"The US president is equal sharing part in appointment of the Congress policy."

(- The US political systems)

Hence, president has power of appointment.

d) The executive checks over the legislative judiciary

The executive also has checks over the judiciary. In fact appointment of judges is also

done by president.

"President appoints SC-judges for life time with consultation of the Senate."

(- The US-political system)

Thus, appointment of judges is also led by the president!

e) Judiciary checks over the legislative and the executive

Judiciary also has some checks over the legislative and executive. Judiciary is the supreme body.

"The SC. has judicial review to declare any act of the legislature and the executive null and void."

(- The US political

system

Thus, judiciary also has checks over executive and legislative.

↳ Conclusion

"The US political system is a balance of checks of the political system."
(-Maxon)

The US political system works under system of checks and balances. In fact, the governmental bodies, legislative, executive, and judiciary have checks over each other's functioning system. Thus, the US political system works under system of checks and balances.