

Q 2:

Ans: President of ~~the~~ USA is one of the most powerful elected person in the world. Despite of holding office for a maximum two terms ^(four years each) or ten years, still he is most powerful than Prime Minister - who is not bound by number of terms. The President of USA exercise the Powers in a vast range whereas the Prime Minister of UK can't do in such a way. There are ~~sev~~ several points being discussed below which is making Mr. President more powerful than Prime Minister of UK.

1- Power of Veto:

The President of USA has a power to veto every bill passed by the legislation / House of Representation. While the P.M of UK cannot exercise such power to reject a bill. In UK, the bill

is being passed 'with a two third majority and P.M is also a member of the majority party. So, with such clear majority, the P.M is bound to approve the bill.

2- Appointment of the Cabinet:

The Prime Minister appoints his Cabinet members after discussion with his Party leader. And with their consent, he appoints the Cabinet members. On other hand the President of USA does not a member of any house, so he is free to appoint his Cabinet—Composed of Secretaries upon his own will.

3- Ratification of Treaties:

The President of USA has an upper hand in ratification of treaties with other states. He can launch a war over a state or can halt assistance to any state. On other side the P.M of UK has no power to ratify the treaties. It is the job of the Cabinet to do.

4. Appointment of high officials:

In USA, the appointments of high officials i.e. Chief of armed forces, judges, Attorney at law, foreign diplomats are being appointed on the consent of President. In UK, the appointments are being done by the King on the suggestion of Prime Minister and his cabinet.

5. Movement of No Confidence:

In UK the Prime Minister can be removed if a No Confidence movement goes successful. While in USA, no power can remove from his position before the completion of his tenure. The President can only be impeached on high offense only.

6. Check on Legislature and Judiciary:

The President of USA can legally hold a check on legislature and judiciary and their powers. While in UK, the executive, legislature, and judiciary are the separate organs of the state. And the P.M. has no right to keep a check on them.

7. Head of the state and government:

The President of USA has the powers of head of the state and head of the government. In

Contrast, the P.M is the head of the govt and constitutional monarch is the head of the state.

8- Commander in chief:

At the same time USA's President is Commander in chief of the armed forces. He has the power to declare a war against any country. While the P.M of UK does not hold such powers.

Conclusion:

Both the President of USA and P.M of UK are the elected members of the respective countries. But the President of USA holds more direct executive, military, and authoritative powers that the P.M of UK does have. Thus these powers and their exercise making the President of USA more powerful and more autonomous than the Prime Minister of UK.

Q8:

(a) Gerrymandering:

The word Gerrymandering was first originated in 1812 after signing a bill by Gerry - Massachusetts Governor.

Definition

Gerrymandering is the manipulation of electoral boundaries of a district to favour a particular group or a party.

It is a practice by which voters of a respective parties are being diluted. In Gerrymandering certain techniques are being used. But the most important are cracking and packing of voters. This technique widely impacts the election results.

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Gerrymandering undermines the democracy by distorting representation - It allow politicians to chose their voters irrespective of the voters to chose their representatives. It leads to an uncompetitive elections -

(b) Dog Whistling:

Dog whistling originated from dog whistles which are audible by dogs but not by human. Dog whis

Dog whistling refers to the use of a coded language to communicate to the people of a specific group and unclear to the general public.

In Politics the dog whistling is used by politician, involving phrases or sentiments to resonate with a particular audience while keep the other obscure.

Dog Whistling will be an illegitimate and manipulative technique that exploits the underlying tension without openly being discussed.

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