

## SECTION 1 QUIZ

# Foreign and Defense Policy: An Overview



### A. KEY TERMS AND CONCEPTS

Read the statements below. If a statement is true, write T in the blank provided. If it is false, write F.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. World War II led to a fundamental shift in Americans' attitudes toward involvement in foreign affairs.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Although the cold war has ended, wars still rage in many parts of the world.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Freedom of the seas became an important tenet of American foreign policy in the years since World War II.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The policy of deliberately avoiding involvement with other countries is known as détente.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Congress has little or no power in foreign and military affairs.

### B. MAIN IDEAS

Write the letter of the correct answer in the blank provided.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. All of the following international events affect the United States EXCEPT
  - a. "one-world" isolationism.
  - b. political upheavals.
  - c. economic conditions in other countries.
  - d. wars.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Which of the following is NOT one of the powers that allows Congress to have an important influence over foreign policy?
  - a. Congress must authorize the use of all public monies used for foreign policy purposes.
  - b. The Senate must approve all treaties.
  - c. Only Congress can declare war.
  - d. Congress must approve all military deployments.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. When people say that there is "one world," they mean that
  - a. instant communications have made the world "smaller" than ever.
  - b. terrorism and nuclear weaponry mean that no nation can be isolated from the rest of the world.
  - c. economic interdependence forces Americans to concern themselves with foreign affairs.
  - d. all of the above.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Who bears the primary responsibility for the making of American foreign policy?
  - a. the secretary of state
  - b. the Senate Foreign Relations Committee
  - c. the President
  - d. the National Security Council
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Foreign policy includes the Federal Government's policies in which area?
  - a. military affairs
  - b. diplomacy
  - c. international trade
  - d. all of the above