

POLITICS

(general) (nationwide) elections/ to elect/ ballot/ to vote

“shadow cabinet”/ opposition

adviser

amendment/ to amend

bill/act

chamber of Parliament/ to divide (into)/ MP = Member of Parliament

citizens

civil service/ civil servant

constituency

council/councilors

embassy/ ambassador

foreign policy/ foreign affairs/ national affairs

freedom/ equality/ basic human rights

legislation

legislative/ executive/ judicial branch of government

majority/minority

national anthem

political party (left-wing, right-wing, centre)

senate/ senator/ representative/ politician/ Prime Minister

spokesperson

Supreme Court/ Court of Appeal/ law

to appoint

to impeach/ impeachment

to reject/ to approve

to run for (the Parliament)

to serve a term (e.g. in Congress)

trade unions

mayor/ president/ leader/ candidate