

**California State & Local Government In Crisis, 6<sup>th</sup> ed., by Walt Huber**  
**CHAPTER 5 QUIZ - © January 2006, Educational Textbook Company**

1. An organized segment of voters that feel a certain way about a particular political "subject" whose objective is to influence policy makers to enhance their point of view is called a(n): (p. 61)
  - a. political party.
  - b. trade association.
  - c. interest group.
  - d. demographic group.
  
2. Pro-Choice and Right-to-Life organizations are examples of: (p. 62)
  - a. single-issue interest groups.
  - b. public interest groups.
  - c. demographic interest groups.
  - d. trade associations.
  
3. Which of the following would NOT be considered a business interest group, but rather, a union? (p. 63)
  - a. California Chamber of Commerce
  - b. California Retailers Association
  - c. California State Employees Association
  - d. California Association of Realtors®
  
4. What group is often referred to as the "third house of the legislature"? (p. 62)
  - a. California Lawyers Association
  - b. Legislative Assistants Association
  - c. County Supervisors Association
  - d. Lobbyists
  
5. Which of the following is NOT an officially recognized political party in California? (pp. 64-65)
  - a. Green Party
  - b. American Independent Party
  - c. Peace and Freedom Party
  - d. Progressive Party
  
6. A person who tends to favor established traditions, smaller government, and is resistant to change is known as a: (p. 65)
  - a. liberal.
  - b. progressive.
  - c. conservative.
  - d. libertarian.

7. A person who tends to favor political reform or progress and a larger role for government is known as a: (p. 65)
- a. liberal.
  - b. progressive.
  - c. conservative.
  - d. libertarian.
8. What is NOT a function of the state central committee? (p. 66)
- a. Adopt resolutions
  - b. Actual campaigning
  - c. Coordinate fund raising
  - d. Encourage party enthusiasm
9. Proposition 34 states that the maximum amount that an individual can contribute to a political campaign for governor is: (p. 69)
- a. \$200.
  - b. \$2,000.
  - c. \$3,000.
  - d. \$22,000.
10. The percentage of California government workers that are members of public employee unions is: (p. 71)
- a. over 50%.
  - b. under 50%.
  - c. over 70%.
  - d. declining rapidly every year.