

Crash Course U.S. Government - Day 30

1. What is a **writ of certiorari**? _____

2. What is the function of the **solicitor general**? _____

3. What is the **discussion list**? _____

4. What is it called when 4 of the 9 judges agree to hear a case? _____
5. A written argument explaining why the law favors their position is called a _____.
6. Briefs filed by someone other than the two parties to the case are called what?

7. When the Supreme Court sends a case back down to a lower court for another decision, this is called a _____.
8. The written decision of the court is called the majority _____.
9. The _____ is the decision of the court to either affirm or overturn the ruling from the lower court.
10. If a justice agrees with the holding and majority opinion but for a different reason, they may write a _____.
11. Justices on the losing side who disagree with the majority may write a _____
opinion.