NOVA SCOTIA CANADIAN HISTORY 11 · UNIT C

Governance — Practice Test

Nova Scotia Canadian History 11 • 10 questions

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1 **The Canadian Bill of Rights of 1960 was limited because it was**

- A never passed
- B only about taxes
- C an ordinary law, not part of the Constitution
- D repealed at once

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2 **The notwithstanding clause in the Charter allows governments in some cases to**

A ignore all court rulings forever

B end elections

C change the monarch

D override certain Charter rights temporarily

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3 **A constitutional amendment in Canada generally requires agreement from Parliament and**

A a set number of provinces

B one city council

C a foreign parliament

D the courts alone

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4 **Provincial premiers lead the government of a**

A federal department

B province

C municipal ward

D foreign embassy

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5 **The lieutenant governor represents the monarch in a**

A federal riding

B foreign country

C province

D municipal council

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6 **Good governance in a democracy is often judged by fairness, accountability and**

- A speed of decisions alone
- B secrecy
- C rule by one person
- D respect for the rule of law

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7 **The rule of law means that laws apply**

- A to everyone, including government leaders
- B only to ordinary citizens
- C only in wartime
- D only to visitors

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8 **Civic participation includes voting, volunteering and**

A avoiding all news

B joining community discussion

C ignoring elections

D paying no taxes

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9 **A citizen in Canada has both rights and**

A guaranteed jobs

B free travel everywhere

C responsibilities

D exemption from laws

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10 **The Nova Scotia House of Assembly is the provincial legislature and first met as an elected body in**

A 1867

B 1848

C 1982

D 1758

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ANSWER KEY

1.	C	**5.**	C	**9.**	C
2.	D	**6.**	D	**10.**	D
3.	A	**7.**	A		
4.	B	**8.**	B		

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