

***How a Bill Becomes a Law* Flowchart**

**Chapter 12 HW**

BILL IS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Who can draft or write a bill?

About 10,000 bills are introduced per year. Each is given a number and assigned to a committee. There are 22 committees in the House of Representatives and 15 committees in the Senate.

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On the back of this paper answer the question: Do you think our system makes it too hard to get a bill passed into law? Why or why not?