**Congressional Committees Worksheet**

***Directions:* Using the chart below, choose the correct committee the Bill will originate in for Qs 1-4. For Qs 5-10, please use pages 322-333 in your text.**

***Example:*** H.R. 6573: Helping Farmers through Drought Act = Agriculture committee



# Bill S. 3588: Great Lakes Ecosystem Protection Act of 2012

# Bill H.R. 6568: Back to Work Blueprint Act

# Bill H.R. 6574: Service-member Mental Health Review Act

# S. 3577: Foreign Prison Conditions Improvement Act of 2012

# What type of committee would create bills related to a recent terrorist attack in the United States?

# What type of committee has members from both the House and Senate?

# What type of committee would discuss two different versions of the same bill?

# What type of committee would always be in existence?

# How are committee chairmen chosen?

# Describe the “seniority rule.”