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ARTICLES OF CONFEDERATION

Executive	Legislative	Judicial
1. None	1. Unicameral Congress 2. Powers: a. Declare War b. Ambassadors c. Treaties d. Coin Money e. Post Office f. Fix Standards 3. Restrictions: a. No Power to Tax b. No Conscription c. No Regulation	1. None
1. Weak Governor 2. One year terms generally; no reelection in some states 3. Assembly Elects in all but three 4. Executive Councils	1. Bicameral (exc. PA) 2. Powers: a. Regulate Commerce b. Coin Money c. Raise Taxes d. Amend Articles (unanimous consent) e. Conscription 3. Powers of the People a. Recall of Delegates b. Forced rotation; short terms	1. System of Courts 2. No Plural Office Holding 3. Judges Appointed (exc. Vermont)