

State of the Constitution, Q4 2026

2026-10-01 to 2026-12-31 • report 2 • compiled 2026-10-08 •

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Preview, quarter in progress. Covers 1 of 14 weeks so far (2026-W40). It is rebuilt each week until the quarter ends.

- Covers 1 of 14 weeks with a stored weekly report.
- The Constitution Index issued no grades in the weeks covered.
- 6 VFA SI Solutions published.
- No SI Think Tank proposals were published in the weeks covered.
- No Moved toward VFA entries were logged.
- No corrections were logged.
- Most cited provision: Article I, Section 9, Clause 7 (5 items).

OVERVIEW

This is a preview covering only 2026-W40, for 2026-Q4. It covers 1 of 14 weeks with a stored weekly report. The busiest week was 2026-W40. The most cited provision was Article I, Section 9, Clause 7 with 5 items.

THE CONSTITUTION INDEX

The Constitution Index issued no grades in the weeks covered, with 0 measures graded and a total of 0. The distribution at quarter end shows 0 in each listed grade, with 0 new measures and 0 regrades. Grades and Solutions are SI-generated analysis published after automated checks.

Grade	A	B	C	D	F	Total
All grades issued	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bills	0	0	0	0	0	0
Executive orders	0	0	0	0	0	0

0 newly graded measures, 0 re-grades. At the end of the last week covered, the Index held 0 graded measures. Meanings: A Constitutional · B Mostly sound · C Significant issues · D Likely unconstitutional · F Direct violation.

Provisions most cited

Provision	Items	Grades	Solutions	Think Tank
Article I, Section 9, Clause 7	5	0	5	0
Amendment V	4	0	4	0
Amendment X	4	0	4	0
Article I, Section 8, Clause 1	4	0	4	0
Article II, Section 3	3	0	3	0
Article I, Section 8, Clause 18	2	0	2	0
Article I, Section 8	1	0	1	0
Article I, Section 8, Clause 17	1	0	1	0
Article I, Section 8, Clause 3	1	0	1	0
Article II, Section 1, Clause 1	1	0	1	0

SOLUTIONS AND THE SI THINK TANK

6 VFA SI Solutions were published, with 6 editor-published. Of the Solutions by target, 2 concerned bill and 4 concerned executive_action, with 0 concerning scotus_opinion. No SI Think Tank proposals were published in the weeks covered, with a total of 0.

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ADOPTION, CORRECTIONS AND CHECKS

No Moved toward VFA entries were logged, with a total of 0. No corrections were logged, with a total of 0. The record notes that matching text does not show why a change was made, and Congress drafts from many sources.

0 “Moved toward VFA” entries logged. 0 corrections logged.

WEEK BY WEEK

Week	Grades	Solutions	Think Tank	Moved toward VFA	Corrections
2026-W40	0	6	0	0	0

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