

**C10 Mailing in Voting**

**Worksheet: Low rates of fraud in vote-by-mail states show the benefits outweigh the risks**



**Instructions:**

- ▶ Tick the correct statement. Only one answer is correct.
- ▶ Provide a quotation from the text to support each correct statement: the line number(s) plus the first three and the last three words of the quotation.
- ▶ If the quotation is less than six words, write down the full quotation.

**1** President Trump's two concerns regarding mail-in ballots are that

- they make frauds easier and favor his party.
- they favor the opposing party and there will likely be a high number of vote frauds.
- the upcoming elections will be unfair and lots of votes will be invalid.
- there will be an exponential increase of votes and no chance for him to win the election.

Quote: line(s) \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

**2** Right after the presidential election in November 2016

- Trump presented evidence that a lot of illegal workers had voted.
- Trump claimed he lost the electoral college because of invalid votes.
- Trump stated that he would have won the popular vote if the illegal votes hadn't been counted.
- Trump criticized mail-in voting and said it's dangerous.

Quote: line(s) \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

**3** The Heritage Foundation is

- closer to the Republican Party.
- closer to the Democratic Party.

Quote: line(s) \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

**4** Considering the Heritage's data, the authors conclude that

- there is not enough evidence that voter fraud actually happened.
- vote-by-mail systems could be problematic for general elections.
- clocking vote-by-mail would be recommendable in some states.
- the vote fraud results rather advocate vote-by-mail under the current circumstances.

Quote: line(s) \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

5 According to the authors, the chart M2 clearly shows that

- vote fraud is organized and arranged by certain groups.
- vote fraud could, if all 50 states allowed vote-by-mail, have a significant influence on elections.
- vote fraud attempts are rather individual and wouldn't have a significant impact on elections.
- vote-by-mail states have to improve their vote-by-mail system.

Quote: line(s) \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_

6 In the state of Washington, two women were convicted of vote fraud because ...

Name	Reason	Sentence

7 A well-known large-scale vote fraud

- was committed by operatives for a congressional candidate so the election was repeated.
- happened due to a high number of fraudulent votes attempted by mail.
- happened in North Carolina's governor's election in 2018.
- happened in North Carolina, but all charges against the perpetrators were dropped.

Quote: line(s) \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_