

**2003 AP® UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS
FREE-RESPONSE QUESTIONS**

4. Both party leadership and committees in Congress play key roles in the legislative process.
- (a) Define two of the following elements of the congressional committee system and explain how each influences the legislative process.
- Specialization
 - Reciprocity/logrolling
 - Party representation on committees
- (b) Identify two ways party leadership in Congress can influence the legislative process, and explain how each way influences the process.

END OF EXAMINATION