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Balancing Power

Short Answer Key

1. Legislative (makes laws), Executive (enforces laws), Judicial (decides if laws are fair).
2. Each branch has the power to stop another branch from making unfair decisions.
3. To make sure the President cannot send troops to war without Congress's approval.
4. The Supreme Court ruled that Nixon must hand over recordings, proving that even the President must follow the law.
5. The ruling ended segregation in schools and helped promote equal rights.

