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Can the Bill of Rights Be Changed or Amended?

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the primary purpose of the Bill of Rights?
 - a) To outline the duties of government officials
 - b) To protect individual rights and freedoms
 - c) To establish a monarchy in the United States
 - d) To regulate commerce among states

2. How can an amendment to the Constitution, including the Bill of Rights, be proposed?
 - a) By a majority vote in the Senate
 - b) By a two-thirds majority vote in both the House of Representatives and the Senate
 - c) By a constitutional convention called for by the President
 - d) By a simple majority vote in state legislatures

3. What is the final step in amending the Constitution?
 - a) Proposal by Congress
 - b) Ratification by state legislatures
 - c) Approval by the President
 - d) Ratification by three-fourths of state legislatures or conventions

4. Why is amending the Bill of Rights a challenging process?
 - a) Because it requires the approval of a simple majority in Congress
 - b) Because it can only be done during a constitutional convention
 - c) Because it necessitates significant national consensus due to the importance of these rights
 - d) Because it can be done without the public's knowledge

5. Which amendment to the Constitution granted women the right to vote?
 - a) The 13th Amendment
 - b) The 19th Amendment
 - c) The 26th Amendment
 - d) The 10th Amendment

