CHAPTER 2 ACTIVITY Basic Concepts

STREET LAW

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Directions: Match each definition in the column on the left with the appropriate term in the column on the right.

- **1.** ____ Laws made by legislatures
- **2.** Provision that places the U.S. Constitution and federal laws above state laws
- **3.** ____ The purpose for which a statute is enacted
- 4. ____ Court decision establishing legal principles
- 5. ____ Law made by local governments
- **6.** _____ Divides the lawmaking power between the federal and state governments
- 7. ____ Comparing state and federal government, has broader power to legislate
- **8.** ____ Treaty creating obligation to return criminal or terrorist to another country
- **9.** May contain both legislative and executive authority
- 10. ____ Proposed laws
- 11. ____ Process of writing the actual language of a bill
- 12. ____ Has the authority to write regulations
- **13.** ____ Agreement or contract between countries
- **14.** ____ One reason courts would not enforce laws

- a. agency
- b. bill
- c. drafting
- d. extradition
- e. legislative intent
- f. ordinance
- g. precedent
- h. state legislature
- i. statute
- j. supremacy clause
- k. tribal council
- I. treaty
- m. too vague
- n. U.S. Constitution