

Government—Mr. Singiser—"Campaign Finance" Film Questions

1. What is the argument AGAINST the current system of campaign finance, as stated by people like former Senator Bill Bradley?
2. What is the argument FOR the current system of campaign finance, as stated by people like Senator Mitch McConnell?
3. What tactics did the sugar industry use to try to gain influence with members of Congress?
4. How did New Jersey senator Bob Torricelli try to explain away his vote for the sugar subsidy, despite the fact that it would hurt consumers in his home state?
5. What are the components of the Maine "clean elections" law, and why are they controversial?