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|  | GB | Russia | China |
| HOS | Queen | President Putin (2018, 6 year terms) United Russia  | President Xi Jinping CCP (wrote himself into constitution, 2 5 year terms) |
| HOG | Theresa May ’17 snap election; Consertative | Premier Medvedev (president selects from Duma) | Premier Li Keqiang (president selects from National People Congress) |
| LH | House of Commons \* parliamentary sovereignty | Duma | National People’s Congress \*rubberstamp |
| Upper | House of Lords \*delay | Federation Council \*typical upper house stuff (declare war, treaties, approve people) |
| Federal unitary | Unitary | Federal | unitary |