



## Legal Design Contest: the new constitutional referendum in Italy asks to reduce the components of the Parliament.

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Who wants to apply principles to legal design to explain the vote can contact me by email [spataro@iusondemand.com](mailto:spataro@iusondemand.com) or better via Telegram: [iusondemand](https://t.me/iusondemand)

Join us as soon as possible to receive personal updates on the contest.

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Professors, universities, schools and specialized teams are wellcome.

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- The works will be submitted in cc nc 3.0, please state it in your files, together with the date and your name and your team (and all web addresses / linkedin profiles).
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- Everybody can discuss the solution or create teams using also this community on Facebook, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/legaldesign/>
- All materials must be submitted in .htm or .doc or .odt AND .pdf including the license
- The presentation must at least present the author / team and explaining the solutions adopted.
- All materials must have at least an english abstract of 1000 chars, and can be also completely in english.

Thank you all, let's start !

**This is my faq for non italian readers:**

1. It's a constitutional referendum
2. You have to vote yes or no, you can get the paper and don't vote, or invalidating the vote doing everything else
3. The majority of voters decide the winner. There is not a minimum of votes required.
4. If you answer yes, you want to reduce the parliament. If you vote no, all stay as now.
5. We have two (partially equivalent) branches of the Parliament: Camera (younger deputies), Senato (older ones)
6. In Camera now we have 630 component; with SI (yes), 400
7. in Senato now we have 315 senators, with SI, 200; plus some senators can be nominated for all their life long by the President of the Italian Republic: now they are 6, with SI will be 4; In case of SI there's also a new rule: there's a maximum number of all life long senators: 5.

That's all. Write me as soon as possible declaring your intention to participate and receive personal updates on the contest.

*ps: the contest starts now because italian ministers published the infos in the last days, sorry.*

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