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Lesson Review

Use with Pages 296–300.

Lesson 1: Declaring Independence

Directions: Put the events in the sequence chart in the correct order. Number the events from 1 (earliest) to 10 (latest). Write the numbers on the blank lines before the boxes.

_____ Thomas Paine publishes *Common Sense*.

_____ Congress attempts to avoid war by sending a petition to King George III.

_____ The Continental Army is formed.

_____ George Washington agrees to command the army.

_____ The Declaration of Independence is signed by the members of Congress.

_____ King George wants to “put a speedy end” to the illegal rebellion in the colonies.

_____ The Second Continental Congress is held.

_____ Congress decides to vote for independence.