

## THE MEDIA & POLITICS: IDIOMS + COLLOCATIONS



Match the words/expressions to complete phrases:

Bring in	for votes
Leak	politicians
Run for	ballot (UK) / vote (UK/US)
Bring down / overthrow / topple	new laws / legislation
Settle	president / presidency / parliament
Broker	the common touch
Bow	the party line
Cast a / absentee / blank / spoilt, spoiled, void, null, invalid, stray	a story to the press
Crooked	a dictator / the regime
Political	inflation
Toe	a ceasefire / an agreement
Curb	your soapbox
Get on / off	football / hot potato
Have	a dispute
Canvassing	to pressure