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> السنة الثانية علوم سياسية

The President of Republic

The duties and rights of the Algerian president are exclusively mentioned in the constitution of 2016.

Art. 84 - The President of the Republic, <u>Head of State</u>, <u>shall</u> <u>embody</u> the <u>unity</u> of the <u>Nation</u>.

He shall be the **guarantor** of the Constitution.

He shall embody the State within the **country** and **abroad**.

He shall **reserve** the right to **address** the Nation **directly**.

Art. 85 - The President of the Republic shall be <u>elected</u> by <u>universal</u>, direct and secret <u>suffrage</u>.

The election shall be **won** by an **<u>absolute majority</u>** of <u>votes</u> <u>cast</u>. The other terms of the presidential election shall be **prescribed** by an <u>organic law</u>.

Art. 91 - In addition to the <u>powers explicitly</u> <u>conferred</u> upon him by other provisions of the Constitution, the President of the Republic shall have the following powers and <u>prerogatives</u>:

1- he shall be the <u>**Commander-in-Chief**</u> of the Armed Forces of the Republic;

2- he shall be responsible for National **Defence**;

3- he shall decide and conduct the **foreign policy** of the Nation;

4- he shall chair the Council of Ministers;

5- he shall appoint the **<u>Prime Minister</u>**, after

<u>consultation</u> with the parliamentary majority, and terminate his functions;

6- he shall **sign** the **<u>presidential decrees</u>**;

7- he shall have the right to **<u>grant pardons</u>**, the right to **<u>remission</u>** or **<u>commutation</u>** of punishment;

8- he may refer, on any **issue** of national impor-tance, to the people by means of **referendum**;

9- he shall <u>conclude</u> and <u>ratify</u> international <u>treaties</u>;

10- he shall **award** decorations, **distinctions** and **honorary** titles of the State.

1/ Give the translation of the underlined words in ARABIC

2/ In 2020 , Algeria made an amendment to the constitution , Is there any amendment on the disposition listed above ?