FINDING LIBRARY INFORMATION ON CURRENT ISSUES

1. List your topic:

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2. Search for your topic in *Academic Search Complete* to find articles from magazines, academic journals and newspapers.

Start searching with one or two of your most important keywords from your topic. Check the “Narrow Results by Subjects” box and find the best subject heading that matches your topic – redo your search with the new terminology. Repeat the process above. Several subject headings may be useful – list some of them below:

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3. Email 3 articles to yourself that you found on your topic using *Academic Search Complete*.

Find some articles in *Academic Search Complete* on your topic, add them to your folder and email the citations/articles to yourself. Be sure to pick a “Citation Style” such as APA or MLA to properly format you citations.

4. Search *CQ Researcher* for background information.

Search *CQ Researcher* by keywords and find at least one issue with information on your topic. Look for articles that get a high “Score” and were published recently (since 2002 would be best).

Names and Dates of Articles:

A. ______________________________________________________

B. ______________________________________________________