

Japan's Upper House goes to the polls

The ruling coalition are on course for a majority in Upper House elections, where those in favour of constitutional reform over Japan's Self-Defence Force are also likely to pass the required two-thirds threshold

HOUSE OF COUNCILLORS

Coalition hold 69 of 124 seats to be contested

Liberal Democratic

55 seats

Komeito 14

Constitutional

Democratic 22

Democratic for
the People 9

Vacant 2

Hokkaido

J A P A N

Innovation 9

Other 5

Communist 7

**TOTAL
245 seats**

74 members chosen by
multi and single member
constituencies

Nationwide district elects
50 members by proportional
representation

Hyogo

Fukuoka

Saitama

Chiba

Aichi

Kanagawa

Osaka

Tokyo

Okinawa

Source: National Diet of Japan

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