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Debatable Topic

Laws and rules help civilization function. Without laws or rules, civilization would be a mess. A Society rarely survives without some formed code of conduct. Human law is a kind of law that is regulated and conduct by a human and helps people settle under some obligation of rules they must obey. Without any laws, nobody can get arrested for doing anything, since nobody would be breaking any law. With people doing whatever they want, people's fundamental rights would be taken away, conflicts can be sparked. Laws help create order within a civilization setting limits for what people can do, and without them can make a civilization crumble.

Human law is a kind of law that is regulated and conducted by a human and helps people settle under some obligation of rules they must obey. This helps to regulate what people can and cannot do. They help protect people's safety from others who may cause harm to them. On top of safety, they also ensure our rights as citizens against abuses by other people, by organizations, and by the government itself. We are given fundamental rights that provide protection from government encroachment.

Without laws, people won't receive consequences for their negative actions. For example, it is against the law to murder someone. Even though people still murder people with

the law in place, sadly, it happens less with the law in place. If the law were not to be in place, more murders would happen. More people won't do it if they know they will get in trouble for it, but if they won't get in trouble there is a higher chance of them carrying out a murder.

With people doing whatever they want, people's fundamental rights would therefore be taken away. Some of those fundamental rights include the right to equality, right to freedom, right against exploitation, right to freedom of religion, cultural and educational rights, right to property, and right to constitutional remedies. Without the protection of these fundamental rights, this can spark brutal conflicts. If you read up on most civil wars/revolutions, what you'll find is that in many cases, the actual issues that sparked the conflict weren't necessarily as bad as revoking the fundamental rights of citizens. Protests are also usually sparked when the rights of a citizen are taken away.

Think about all the laws that our country has set in place. These laws are set to establish rules that people must obey and protect people from those who may harm their safety. Laws also ensure our rights as citizens against abuses by other people, by organizations, and by the government itself. Without laws, people would be able to go around and commit whatever crime they want without receiving any consequences. This would also result in the fundamental rights given to citizens being taken away, which could result in conflicts being sparked. Laws help keep civilization in order, and without them, it would crumble.