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## ***Alexander Hamilton • Federalist #70***

### *Reading & Discussion Questions*

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**Directions:** *Federalist Paper#70 has been posted on my website. Type or handwrite as usual and have them complete/ready for discussion.*

**10 points.**

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1. In his defense of a single executive, Hamilton provides a quote (*noted in the end notes that it comes from Genevan-British political theorist Jean-Louise De Lolme*) that "the executive power is more easily confined when it is ONE."
2. How does Hamilton see a single executive as well suited to provide a foil against the Legislature?
3. Fed #70 describes the benefits of executive energy emerging from a single man. What is, and how does, this energy better suit a single executive?