

## The Social Impact

### Problem/Solution Essay: Sample Student Response

#### Sample 6

John Locke explained our government. He wanted to help people understand what life was like without government and why we need government. Some people live in places without government. They can do whatever they want, yet they feel insecure. They are unsafe because their rights aren't protected. This is called a state of nature.

#### 3-point Scoring Rubric

3	The response identifies the problem and solution with an accurate and relevant example.
2	The response identifies the problem and solution with an inaccurate, irrelevant, or no example.
1	The response identifies problem or solution with an inaccurate, irrelevant, or no example.
0	Inaccurate response

The student identified the problem, "Some people live in places without government. They can do whatever they want, yet they feel insecure. They are unsafe because their rights aren't protected. This is called a state of nature." The student failed to accurately express the solution and give an example of the solution.