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The Virginia Plan and New Jersey Plans each had certain benefits and costs. Understanding these is helpful in making intelligent decisions about which is the better plan. Identify and describe the benefits and costs of each plan and list them on the chart below.

Virginia Plan		New Jersey Plan	
Benefits	Costs	Benefits	Costs

Using the chart above to guide your decision, select the plan that your group thinks would make a better government. Write a paragraph on the reverse side of this paper explaining and defending the reasons for your decision.