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**#1**

**A BILL TO IMPLEMENT CURSIVE WRITING IN SCHOOLS**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **ARTICLE 1:** All public schools must add teaching cursive to their curriculum in grades  
3 2nd, 3rd, and 4th.

4 **ARTICLE 2:** A public school shall be defined as a school maintained by public expense  
5 for the education of the children in a community or district and that  
6 constitutes a part of the system of free public education.

7 **ARTICLE 3:** This legislation shall come into effect July 1st, 2026.

8 **ARTICLE 4:** The Department of Education shall be responsible for the implementation of  
9 this legislation.

10 a.) If states and schools do not comply with this legislation, 20% of federal  
11 funds that are given to that school or state for education will be revoked until  
12 the necessary change to the curriculum is made.

13 **ARTICLE 5:** All laws or portions of this law in conflict with this legislation are hereby  
14 declared null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted,  
District 1*

#2

**A BILL TO IMPROVE EDUCATION ABOUT UNDERAGE DRINKING**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** All Schools will provide more information and educate students about  
3 underage drinking and its consequences.

4 **SECTION 2.** More information shall be defined as resources such as pamphlets, talks, etc.

5 **SECTION 3.** The US Department of Education shall be responsible for implementing this bill.

6 The Department of Education is responsible for providing said resources to  
7 schools to access. The Department of Education shall be given \$2 billion dollars  
8 in aid to supply resources.

9 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall be implemented within one fiscal year of the year it was passed.

10 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully submitted,  
District 2*

#3

**A BILL TO PARDON ALL NON-VIOLENT DRUG OFFENDERS**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** All people in federal prison on drug-related charges shall hereby be pardoned and  
3 placed into rehabilitation centers where they will receive treatment for addiction.

4 **SECTION 2.** Drug-related charges shall be defined as any federal charge related to a drug  
5 offense. Pardoning refers to the act of being removed from criminal penalties such  
6 as fines and or jail time. Rehabilitation shall be defined as receiving treatment for  
7 negative side effects of the drug, treatment for addiction, and courses for how to  
8 enter back into society.

9 **SECTION 3.** The DEA shall be responsible for the proper enforcement of this legislation. The  
10 DEA shall be granted 5 Billion dollars monthly, for 15 months approximating a  
11 total of 75 Billion dollars from the Department of Defense's budget to see the  
12 proper implementation of this legislation.  
13 Congress shall receive a bimonthly report from the DEA on using the money to  
14 ensure that the 75 billion dollars are being used properly to ensure rehabilitation is  
15 effective.

16 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will begin taking effect immediately upon passage. All laws in  
17 conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully submitted,  
District 3*

#4

**RESOLUTION TO RECOMMEND STATES LEGISLATURE BAN CHILD MARRIAGE**

1     **WHEREAS,** Nearly 300,000 minors (as young as 12) — the vast majority of them girls —  
2                     were legally married in the United States between 2000 and 2018; and  
3     **WHEREAS,** About 60,000 child marriages (between 78% and 95% of all child marriages)  
4                     since 2000 involved a child at an age or a marriage with a spousal age difference  
5                     that would have otherwise been considered a sex crime; and  
6     **WHEREAS,** In most states, child marriage is considered as a valid defense to statutory rape.  
7                     The marital defense to statutory rape also used to be permitted under federal law  
8                     in 18 U.S.C. Section 2243(c); and  
9     **WHEREAS,** Due to the 10th Amendment, it would be unconstitutional for this Congress to  
10                    pass a law on this problem; and  
11    **WHEREAS,** The United States has a moral and ethical responsibility to protect minors; now,  
12    **THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** That the Congress here assembled recommend to States’  
13                    Legislatures to ban child marriage.

*Respectfully submitted,  
District 4*

#5

**A BILL TO STOP CONGRESS MEMBERS FROM GETTING PAID DURING A SHUTDOWN**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States will stop paying Congress members during a government  
3 shutdown. Congress members will resume getting paid following the end of the  
4 shutdown with no back pay.

5 **SECTION 2.** A Federal Government shutdown will be defined as when the government's  
6 funding authorization expires, and Congress and the President have not passed  
7 legislation to fund government operations for the upcoming fiscal year or a  
8 specific period. This situation can arise when there is a failure to reach an  
9 agreement on a budget, appropriations bills, or a continuing resolution.

10 **SECTION 3.** Currently, during a Government Shutdown all Government Employees, except for  
11 lawmakers, do not get paid until the government reopens.

12 **SECTION 4.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void. This  
13 bill will take effect on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

*Respectfully Submitted,  
District 7*

#6

**A BILL TO DECREASE INNOVATION ESPIONAGE**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** A special interagency task force shall be created to stop innovation espionage.

3 **SECTION 2.** Innovation espionage shall be defined as any activity of a non U.S. citizen that  
4 transmits intellectual property to a foreign corporation, government, or agency.

5 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Defense (DoD), National Security Administration (NSA) and  
6 the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) will hire more cybersecurity  
7 personnel, raise cybersecurity salaries, and create incentives for cybersecurity  
8 personnel to work for the government. In addition, they will develop methods to  
9 stop cyber attacks aimed at gaining intellectual property and educate companies  
10 on how to prevent innovation espionage.

11 A. \$500 million shall be given to hire extra personnel, raise cyber security  
12 salaries, create incentives for cybersecurity personnel, and develop methods  
13 against cyber attacks.

14 B. \$10 million shall be given to increase awareness and educate companies on  
15 innovation espionage.

16 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect three months from passage.

17 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully submitted,  
District 8*



#7

**A BILL TO EXPAND ACCESS TO SCHOOL MEALS**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Access to school breakfasts and lunches in all American public schools K-12 will  
3 be expanded by broadening eligibility guidelines to include families previously  
4 excluded based on unreasonably narrow income thresholds. The program will  
5 continue to be operated by the National School Lunch Program, which provides  
6 free and reduced-price meals to students who apply through their schools.

7 **SECTION 2.** A. Families with incomes equal to or below 250% of the federal poverty rate will  
8 now have access to reduced-price school meals, as opposed to the previous 185%.  
9 B. Families with incomes equal to or below 200% of the federal poverty rate will  
10 have access to completely free school meals, as opposed to the previous 130%.  
11 C. All public schools K-12 will be advised to inform parents of the revised  
12 income guidelines, and to give clear instructions on how a family can apply to the  
13 program.

14 **SECTION 3.** The National School Lunch Program of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, as  
15 well as the Department of Education will oversee the implementation of this  
16 legislation.

17 A. The funds accorded to the Department of Agriculture for use by the National  
18 School Lunch program shall be adjusted proportionally to the influx of families  
19 applying to the program two months after the implementation of this legislation.

20 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will go into effect May 1st of 2024.

21 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted,  
District 9*

#8

**A BILL TO REDUCE OPIOID DEATHS THROUGH SAFE INJECTION SITES**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States government shall legalize safe injection sites to encourage  
3 governors and mayors to implement them into neighborhoods as needed.

4 **SECTION 2.** Safe injection sites (SIS) are harm reduction interventions that allow people who  
5 inject drugs to use previously obtained substances under the supervision of health  
6 professionals. SISs provide sterile consumption equipment and offer general  
7 medical advice and referrals to substance use disorder treatment, housing, medical  
8 care, and other community social services. To qualify as an approved SIS,  
9 facilities would need to prove they meet the minimum standards for staffing,  
10 training, and resources.

11 **SECTION 3.** The United States Department of Health would oversee the authorization of SISs.  
12 Local authorities, in conjunction with State Health Departments, would oversee  
13 the implementation of safe injection facilities.

14 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1st, 2025. All laws in conflict with this  
15 legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully submitted,  
District 11*

#9

**A BILL TO CREATE A FOOD SUBSIDY FOR AMERICANS WITH ALLERGIES**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE SENATE HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** All American citizens with life-impacting and life-threatening food allergies will  
3 receive \$100 a month to aid in covering increased food costs.

4 **SECTION 2.** “Food allergy” refers to a medical condition in which exposure to a food triggers  
5 a harmful immune response. “Subsidy” refers to a sum of money granted by the  
6 government to assist someone so that the price of a commodity may become  
7 accessible.

8 **SECTION 3.** A submission of an application accompanied by a doctor's diagnosis of allergy  
9 will be used to establish qualification for receiving of subsidy.

10 **SECTION 4.** The total cost annually of this bill will be \$24,000,000 (24 billion dollars), funded  
11 by a reduction in military spending.

12 **SECTION 5.** The US Department of Agriculture shall implement this legislation as a part of the  
13 Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program.

14 **SECTION 6.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2025. All laws in conflict with this  
15 legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully submitted,  
District 12*

**#10**

**A BILL TO EFFECTIVELY END GERRYMANDERING TO ENSURE JUST ELECTIONS**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Redistricting shall no longer be done by partisan politicians and will now be  
3 determined by a computer algorithm. The algorithm will work to achieve  
4 equilibrium between the number of eligible voters in an area and compactness  
5 when delineating electoral constituencies.

6 **SECTION 2.** Gerrymandering shall be defined as the manipulation of voting districts so as to  
7 favor one political party or class in an election. Compactness refers to the  
8 principle that the constituents residing within an electoral district should live as  
9 near to one another as possible.

10 **SECTION 3.** The United States Federal Elections Committee will oversee the enforcement of  
11 the piece of legislation.

12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will be implemented at the beginning of the fiscal year 2024.

13 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully submitted,  
District 16*

**SUPPLEMENTAL - #11**  
**A BILL TO ENCOURAGE MULTIGENERATIONAL PROXIMITY**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The Grow Families Closer Grant will provide applicants up to \$25,000 in  
3 assistance in purchasing a resale apartment, condominium, or single family  
4 home located within five miles of extended family or for the purposes of housing  
5 at least three generations together.

6 A. Qualified family applicants will receive \$25,000 towards purchase.

7 B. Qualified single applicants will receive \$10,000 towards purchase.

8 **SECTION 2.** Family applicants are defined as applicant, spouse, and children under the age of  
9 18. Single applicants are defined as persons over the age of 25. Extended family  
10 includes the familial nucleus of parents and siblings.

11 A. At least one applicant must be a natural born citizen or legal permanent  
12 resident of the United States.

13 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Housing and Urban Development will oversee the enforcement  
14 of this bill.

15 **SECTION 4.** This shall take effect on the 1st of January next year.

16 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

**SUPPLEMENTAL #12**

**A BILL TO REQUIRE CULTURAL COMPETENCE TRAINING FOR MEDICAL SCHOOLS**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** All medical schools receiving federal funding will be required to provide cultural  
3 competence training to all students. This training must occur at least once during  
4 a medical program. All training must be reviewed by the Department of Health  
5 and Human Services to ensure compliance.

6 **SECTION 2.** Cultural competence training will cover implicit bias and communication  
7 strategies designed to provide all medical students with an understanding of how  
8 to better serve those from all ethnic and racial backgrounds.

9 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Health and Human Services will work with the Department of  
10 Education to implement this legislation.

11 A. The Department of Health and Human Services will ensure the content of the  
12 training is effective.

13 B. The Department of Education will oversee the implementation and evaluation  
14 of the program. Any school found not in compliance may lose access to federal  
15 funding until such time as they become compliant with Section 1.

16 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will go into effect two years after passage.

17 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

**SUPPLEMENTAL #13  
A BILL TO INSTILL A MAXIMUM COST OF COLLEGE ATTENDANCE**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** All public colleges will institute a ceiling on the cost of attendance of \$30,000 per  
3 year.

4 **SECTION 2.** Cost of attendance includes, tuition, fees, room and board.

5 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Education will oversee the implementation of this bill.

6 A. Schools which fail to adhere to this ceiling shall not receive Federal loans or  
7 grants.

8 **SECTION 4.** Implementation of the bill will begin at the commencement of the 2025-2026  
9 academic year.

10 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

**SUPPLEMENTAL #14  
A BILL TO REQUIRE CHANGE TO T VISA ELIGIBILITY**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The requirement for T Visa applicants to prove removal from the United States  
3 would cause “unusual or severe harm” upon return to their home country shall be  
4 eliminated from the T-1 Visa application process.

5 **SECTION 2.** A T Visa is one of two visas that can be utilized to keep a non-immigrant legally  
6 in the United States as protection from human trafficking. A T-1 Visa is  
7 specifically used for an applicant who is a victim of human trafficking. Unusual  
8 or severe harm indicates the applicant would not be able to achieve a stable  
9 livelihood if returned to their home country.

10 **SECTION 3.** The U.S. State Department will oversee the enforcement of this bill.

11 A. All rejected T-1 applications submitted a year prior to the effective date may  
12 be resubmitted and reviewed on a case by case basis.

13 **SECTION 4.** This shall take effect on the 1st of January next year.

14 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.



Super Session #1

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION TO STANDARDIZE PRESIDENTIAL  
PRIMARIES**

1 **RESOLVED**, That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the  
2 United States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the  
3 Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states  
4 within seven years from the date of its submission by the Congress:

5 **ARTICLE —**

5 **SECTION 1.** All states, territories, and the federal district must hold primaries for presidential  
6 elections concurrently. The first Tuesday in May, in every presidential election  
7 year, is established as the official day for presidential primary elections, though  
8 early voting, vote-by-mail, and absentee ballots shall remain viable.

9 **SECTION 2.** During primary elections, each voter may cast a vote in the primary for one  
10 political party only, though a voter may decide which party as late as the election  
11 day, and voters need not be registered members of a given political party to  
12 choose to vote in that party's primary.

13 **SECTION 3.** Caucuses as a means of determining a party's presidential nominee shall  
14 henceforth be abandoned.

15 **SECTION 4.** The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

Super Session #2

**A BILL TO END SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

2 **SECTION 1.** Municipalities throughout the United States and its territories are directed to  
3 abandon all single-stream recycling initiatives.

4 **SECTION 2.** Households and businesses are encouraged to continue recycling, and  
5 municipalities are directed to undertake initiatives that will make sorted recycling  
6 as efficient and user-friendly as practicable. Congress shall direct an additional \$5  
7 billion annually to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to support such  
8 initiatives.

9 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall be overseen by the EPA.

10 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2026.

11 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

**Super Session #3**  
**A BILL TO BAN INTRACORPORATIONAL NDAs**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

2 **SECTION 1.** No employer may enter into a non-disclosure agreement (NDA) with an employee  
3 regarding information internal to that company. Contracts protecting information  
4 connected with individuals outside the organization, such as customers or  
5 patients, are unaffected by this ban.

6 **SECTION 2.** All employee NDAs of this type that are active at the time of implementation  
7 shall be immediately nullified.

8 **SECTION 3.** Any employer found to be in violation of this legislation shall be fined \$25,000  
9 for each infraction, with half of those funds to be turned over to the affected  
10 employee and the other half retained to finance enforcement of this ban.

11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall be overseen by the Department of Labor.

12 **SECTION 5.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2025.

13 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

**Super Session #4**  
**A BILL TO ERADICATE MOSQUITOES**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

2 **SECTION 1.** Congress shall direct \$500 million annually to the Centers for Disease Control  
3 and Prevention (CDC) for the express purpose of the wholesale eradication of  
4 mosquitoes (*Culicidae*) from the United States and its territories. This funding  
5 may also be used to stop mosquitoes from crossing international borders into the  
6 United States and its territories.

7 **SECTION 2.** This funding shall continue for five years from the date of passage, at which  
8 point Congress and the CDC shall examine the degree to which this goal has been  
9 achieved and consider further measures if necessary.

10 **SECTION 3.** This funding shall be diverted from the Department of Defense budget.

11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall be overseen by the CDC.

12 **SECTION 5.** This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.

13 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.



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*2024 PHSSL House Legislation*

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**House Legislation**

- 1 A Bill to Pivot US Energy to Solar Power
- 2 A Bill to Expand Access to School Meals
- 3 Puerto Rico and D.C. State Admission Act
- 4 A Bill to Decriminalize Cannabis Possession
- 5 Initiative for Civil Education Act (ICEA)
- 6 A Bill to Fund the Cleansing of the Great Pacific Garbage Patch
- 7 A Bill to Defund Planned Parenthood
- 8 Same Day Voter Registration in PA
- 9 Resolution to Require Cell Phones and Hand-Held Devices . . . to Automatically Switch to Hands Free . . .
- 10 A Resolution to Establish a Military Base in Egypt to Combat Terrorism
- 11 A Bill to Establish the Indo-Pacific Economic and Security Organization to Counter Chinese Influence
- 12 A Bill to Mandate Armed Guards in Public Schools
- 13 A Bill to Establish a Bureau for Endangered and Regionally Extinct Species
- 14 A Bill to Eliminate Hostile Architecture
- 15 The Gang Opposition and Treatment Proposition (G.O.a.T.)

**House Super Session Legislation**

- SS-1 A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Standardize Presidential Primaries
- SS-2 A Bill to End Single-Stream Recycling
- SS-3 A Bill to Ban Intracorporational NDAs
- SS-4 A Bill to Eradicate Mosquitoes

#1

**A BILL TO PIVOT US ENERGY TO SOLAR POWER**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** 20% of all subsidies currently going towards fossil fuel companies  
3 will be halted every 2 years and transferred over to solar power.

4 A. 1 / 4 of the subsidies will be directed to private companies for the  
5 purposes of increasing research, development, and innovation.

6 B. 3 / 4 of the subsidies will be used for the construction of major solar  
7 farms on public land.

8 C. 20% of current subsidies are transferred over every 2 years so 10 years  
9 after the passage of this legislation, fossil fuels will not be receiving any  
10 subsidies.

11 **SECTION 2.** Public land shall be defined as land owned by the federal government,  
12 excluding national parks and ecologically protected land. “Major solar  
13 farm” shall be defined as a high-density assemblage of solar panels over 50  
14 or more square kilometers, primarily in desert land.

15 **SECTION 3.** The General Services Administration, in collaboration with the Department  
16 of Energy, shall be tasked with implementing this legislation.

17 A. These departments will work in conjunction with private operators if  
18 needed for the purposes of constructing the solar farms.

19 B. Every year, the Department of Energy must release a progress report of  
20 solar energy capabilities and if Congress rules that they are adequate, they  
21 may proceed for the next year. If Congress rules that they are inadequate,  
22 they may halt this operation immediately.

23 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage. All laws in  
24 conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

#2

**A BILL TO EXPAND ACCESS TO SCHOOL MEALS**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Access to school breakfasts and lunches in all American public schools  
3 K-12 will be expanded by broadening eligibility guidelines to include  
4 families previously excluded based on unreasonably narrow income  
5 thresholds. The program will continue to be operated by the National  
6 School Lunch Program, which provides free and reduced-price meals to  
7 students who apply through their schools.

8 **SECTION 2.** A. Families with incomes equal to or below 250% of the federal poverty  
9 rate will now have access to reduced-price school meals, as opposed to  
10 the previous 185%.

11 B. Families with incomes equal to or below 200% of the federal poverty  
12 rate will have access to completely free school meals, as opposed to the  
13 previous 130%.

14 C. All public schools K-12 will be advised to inform parents of the  
15 revised income guidelines, and to give clear instructions on how a family  
16 can apply to the program.

17 **SECTION 3.** The National School Lunch Program of the U.S. Department of  
18 Agriculture, as well as the Department of Education will oversee the  
19 implementation of this legislation.

20 A. It is recommended that the funds accorded to the Department of  
21 Agriculture for use by the National School Lunch program be adjusted  
22 proportionally to the influx of families applying to the program after the  
23 implementation of this legislation.

24 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will go into effect January 1st of 2024.

25 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void.



#3

**PUERTO RICO AND D.C. STATE ADMISSION ACT**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The passage of this legislation will allow for Puerto Rico and the District  
3 of Columbia. to become U.S. states.

4 **SECTION 2.** If this legislation were to pass, people living in these areas would be  
5 granted rights like those living in the 50 U.S. states.

6 **SECTION 3.** As per every state, they will both receive 2 senate seats. Puerto Rico will  
7 receive 5 electors and 5 voting delegates. Additionally, D.C. will receive 3  
8 electors and 5 voting delegates. If they were to become states, there would  
9 be 104 senators, 543 electors, and 443 representatives in total.

10 **SECTION 4.** The US Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) will review the  
11 state constitutions and grant state citizenship to all citizens living in these 12  
said areas. Additionally, the new United States flag will have 2 more stars,  
13 representing D.C. and Puerto Rico.

14 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

#4

**BILL TO DECRIMINALIZE CANNABIS POSSESSION**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS ASSEMBLED HERE THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Upon enactment, personal possession of cannabis products shall no longer  
3 be a criminal offense at the federal level for those over the age of 21. This  
4 does not affect any state or local laws currently in place.

5 Furthermore, pending charges for personal amounts shall be dropped, and  
6 pre-existing charges shall be expunged from criminal records. Sentences  
7 shall be reduced accordingly for those in prison for possession of personal  
8 quantities of cannabis products along with other crimes, while those  
9 serving a sentence for only possession of cannabis in personal quantities  
10 shall be released.

11 **SECTION 2.** The term “cannabis products” refers to marijuana, cannabis concentrates,  
12 and cannabis plants. Personal possession shall be defined as possession of  
13 such products in quantities equal to or less than 3 ounces of marijuana, 24  
14 grams of cannabis concentrates, 3 mature cannabis plants, and 3 immature  
15 cannabis plants. All mentions of “charges” and “sentences” refer  
16 specifically to federal charges and sentences.

17 **SECTION 3.** The Sentencing Commission shall be responsible for shortening sentences,  
18 and the Department of Justice shall be responsible for expunging charges  
19 and releasing those that are qualified for release based on Section 1.

20 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2025. All laws in conflict  
21 are hereby declared null and void.

**#5**  
**INITIATIVE FOR CIVIL EDUCATION ACT (ICEA)**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States Congress shall allocate one billion dollars in the form of  
3 categorical grants to the Department of Education corresponding to the  
4 totality of the 50 states in order to implement and improve programs that:

5 A. Require at least one course related to civics using a curriculum  
6 approved by the Department of Education.

7 B. Require that students achieve above 65% in the class. If a student  
8 does not meet this standard, then a remedial course shall be  
9 required. If a student does not meet this standard before their  
10 graduation date, they shall not graduate.

11 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this legislation, civics shall be defined as the academic  
12 courses approved by the Department of Education that were created with  
13 the aim to provide students knowledge of the principles, institutions, and  
14 processes of government and citizenship.

15 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall be enforced by the Department of Education.

16 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on FY 2025. All laws in conflict with this  
17 legislation are hereby declared null and void.

#6

**A BILL TO FUND THE CLEANSING OF THE GREAT PACIFIC GARBAGE PATCH**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** A task force will be created to increase efforts to clean the Great Pacific  
3 Garbage Patch (GPGP).

4 **SECTION 2.** A task force shall be called the PCC and defined as a crew consisting of  
5 members from multiple different agencies as listed in Section 2A. The  
6 Great Pacific Garbage Patch (GPGP) shall be defined as a debris patch  
7 spanning 1.6 million square kilometers located within the central Pacific  
8 Ocean.

9 A. This task force will consist of 250 members in its first year from  
10 agencies including but not limited to: The United States Navy, the  
11 Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the National Oceanic and  
12 Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

13 B. Recyclable garbage collected from the GPGP will be recycled as seen fit  
14 by the task force.

15 C. All non-recyclable garbage shall be disposed of as seen fit by the task  
16 force, as long as disposal mechanisms do not constitute further water  
17 pollution.

18 **SECTION 3.** The United States shall issue a formal recommendation to all members of  
19 the United States to contribute to the efforts of the Pacific Cleanup Crew.

20 **SECTION 4.** \$1 billion will be reallocated from the budget of the National Aeronautics  
21 and Space Administration (NASA) to fund the PCC on the first year of this  
22 bill's passage.

23 A. \$975 million will be used for the purchase of necessary equipment. The  
24 remaining \$25 million will be used as salary.

25 B. For ten consecutive years, \$100 million dollars will be reallocated from  
26 the budget of NASA to fund the PCC.

27 **SECTION 5.** This legislation will go into effect in the next fiscal year.

28 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

#7

**A BILL TO DEFUND PLANNED PARENTHOOD**

- 1    **SECTION 1:** Planned Parenthood shall no longer receive any funding from the federal
- 2                   government including mandatory expenditures or unobligated funding of
- 3                   individual agencies and ensure there is no reduction in overall federal
- 4                   funding available to support women’s health by transferring these funds to
- 5                   federally qualified health facilities that provide women’s healthcare.
  
- 6    **SECTION 2:** Planned Parenthood includes Planned Parenthood Federation of America
- 7                   and all its affiliates.
  
- 8    **SECTION 3:** This legislation shall be enforced by the United States Treasury
- 9                   Department.
  
- 10   **SECTION 4:** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage.
  
- 11   **SECTION 5:** All laws in conflict with this legislation shall be rendered null and void.

#8

**SAME DAY VOTER REGISTRATION IN PA**

1       WHEREAS: Same Day Voter Registration does away with registration deadlines that  
2                   disenfranchise potential voters by placing deadlines 30 days before  
3                   Election Day; and

3       WHEREAS: Same Day Voter Registration also fixes inaccuracies in voter rolls by  
4                   allowing eligible voters to use Same Day Registration to correct outdated  
5                   voter registration records at polling places often due to a name change or  
6                   change of address; and

7       WHEREAS: With Same Day Voter Registration there is far less need for provisional  
8                   ballot use, which will thereby speed the process of recounts and audits,  
9                   saving taxpayers in the long run, and assuring voters that their votes will  
10                  be counted; and

11       WHEREAS: Same Day Voter Registration will increase voter participation as not being  
12                  registered to vote is the biggest impediment to voting. Same Day  
13                  Registration has been proven to boost voter turnout in states that have it;  
14                  e.g. NH, Colorado, Montana, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Maine; and

15       WHEREAS: Same Day Voter Registration is the best stop-gap solution to solve errors  
16                  in the registration process, fix inaccuracies in voter rolls, reduce  
17                  provisional ballots, and increase voter participation.

18       THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by this PHSSL Student Congress here assembled:

19                  That the Pennsylvania legislature should permit Same Day Voter  
20                  Registration.

#9

**RESOLUTION TO REQUIRE CELL PHONES AND HAND-HELD DEVICES DISTRIBUTED  
IN AMERICA TO AUTOMATICALLY SWITCH TO “HANDS FREE” OPERATION WHEN  
IT DETECTS THAT A VEHICLE IS IN MOTION**

1       WHEREAS, distracted driving accounts for 9 deaths each day in car accidents, and  
2       WHEREAS, manually texting while driving is a significant distraction while driving, and  
3       WHEREAS, the number of Americans texting and driving has risen in the past ten  
4               years, and  
5       WHEREAS, there are already federal bans prohibiting the use of cell devices for federal  
6               and commercial drivers, and  
7       WHEREAS, a “hands free” voice-activated program would deter drivers from touching  
8               their phone during vehicle operation, and  
9       WHEREAS, the technology exists for a handheld device to determine that it is in an  
10              operated vehicle, therefore be it  
11      RESOLVED, That the congress here assembled propose legislation requiring that  
12              manufacturers of American-owned cell phones and hand held devices  
13              shall make it standard that the device goes into a “hands free” mode or  
14              blue tooth mode whenever it detects it is in a moving vehicle and can  
15              manually be turned off as needed.

**#10**

**A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH A MILITARY BASE IN EGYPT TO COMBAT  
TERRORISM**

1       WHEREAS, Egypt is facing instability within their borders while dealing with increased  
2                 threat of violence from terrorist groups, mainly by the Islamic State of Iraq  
3                 and Syria (ISIS); and

4       WHEREAS, hundreds of people are being killed every year due to an increase of  
5                 attacks, and the government is unable to stop them; and

6       WHEREAS, Egypt is an invaluable ally to the United States and it is in a prime strategic  
7                 location in the center of North Africa and on the border of the Middle East;

8       THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Congress here assembled shall encourage  
9                 the construction of a joint military base in Egypt between the United States  
10                Army and the Egyptian government to provide stability to the region and  
11                nearby countries; and, be it

11       FURTHER RESOLVED, that the United States shall provide the necessary funding to  
12                create and maintain the base to the Egyptian government.



#11

**A BILL TO ESTABLISH THE INDO-PACIFIC ECONOMIC AND SECURITY ORGANIZATION TO COUNTER CHINESE INFLUENCE**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States of America shall establish the Indo-Pacific Economic and Security  
3 Organization (IPESO) in conjunction with other Indo-Pacific States.

4 A) Recommended founding nations will include, but are not limited to: Japan, Republic  
5 of Korea, Republic of the Philippines, Australia, New Zealand, Republic of Indonesia,  
6 Socialist Republic of Vietnam, Kingdom of Thailand, Republic of India, Malaysia, and  
7 Canada.

8 B) Additional membership will be open to all countries in the Indo-Pacific Region and all  
9 countries that border the People’s Republic of China, pending approval from the  
10 founding members.

11 **SECTION 2.** A) “IPESO” shall be defined as a future organization that will allow Indo-Pacific states to  
12 increase military and economic cooperation.

13 B) “Indo-Pacific States” shall be defined as any nations that share a coast with the Pacific  
14 or Indian Oceans that are on the continents of Asia and North America.

15 **SECTION 3.** A Bipartisan subcommittee shall be formed for the purposes of creating a set of rules and  
16 expectations for member states similar to that of the NATO articles by June 1, 2025,  
17 which will be recommended to interested parties after affirmation of this congress.

18 **SECTION 4.** “IPESO” shall be given a starting budget of \$10 Billion, and an annual budget of \$2  
19 billion until either the organization is formed or until 2034.

20 A) Once the organization is formed and has 5 or more member states, the annual budget  
21 given to IPESO will be raised to \$5 billion for 5 years before being revised by Congress.

22 B) The money will be reallocated from the annual budget of the Department of Defense.

23 C) The money shall be used to incentivize other nations to join IPESO and to initiate  
24 early military and economic programs.

25 D) If, by 2033, the organization has not yet formed, Congress may choose to continue to  
26 fund or end the project.

26 **SECTION 5.** Work to establish IPESO shall begin immediately after passage.

27 **SECTION 6.** Any laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void.

#12

**A BILL TO MANDATE ARMED GUARDS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS PHSSL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1:** All public schools will be mandated to have at least one armed guard present  
3 during school hours.

4 **SECTION 2:** Public schools shall be defined as schools that are not owned privately and  
5 receive some level of funding from the state government.

6 **SECTION 3:** The mandate will be funded through the Pennsylvania Department of Education  
7 budget by:

8 a. Making the School Safety and Security grants that have been approved by  
9 Pennsylvania lawmakers a permanent source of funding for public school  
10 districts.

11 b. The money that results from the permanence of the grants will be used to  
12 extend school and safety requirements to the inclusion of at least one armed guard  
13 per public school.

14 c. Yearly support for both school personnel and guards will occur to ensure that  
15 safety procedures are up-to-date.

16 **SECTION 4:** This bill will go into effect at the beginning of the 2025-2026 school year.

17 **SECTION 5:** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

**#13**

**A BILL TO ESTABLISH A BUREAU FOR  
ENDANGERED AND REGIONALLY EXTINCT SPECIES**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED

2 **SECTION 1:** A federal bureau will be established under the United States Department of the Interior  
3 solely dedicated to the breeding and reintroduction of endangered and regionally extinct  
4 species in all states and territories administered by the United States government.

5 A. Staff of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service who specialize in this niche will  
6 assist in the making of and/or be transferred over to this new bureau.

7 B. \$500 million of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service's funding will be  
8 dedicated to the creation of this new bureau.

9 **SECTION 2:** To determine what constitutes as an endangered species, the bureau will follow the  
10 United States Fish and Wildlife Service's Endangered Species Bulletin.

11 A. They are then to research the history and status of every species on the bulletin so that  
12 they may act accordingly and determine what needs to be done to get the species back to  
13 an acceptable population and off the Endangered Species Bulletin.

14 B. Once the species has been removed from the Endangered Species Bulletin, the bureau  
15 shall monitor the population for three years.

16 C. If the population has remained at an acceptable population for those three years, all  
17 major operations in regards to that species will cease; if not, the operations will continue.

18 **SECTION 3:** The bureau will have the power to create specialized locations to achieve its goal  
19 including breeding centers to increase the population, monitoring stations to observe  
20 population trends of the released animals, and research institutes to gain information to  
21 the species they are attempting to restore.

22 **SECTION 4:** The bureau shall be run by a director and several lower level administrators established as  
23 is determined fit.

24 **SECTION 5:** Once the bureau is up and running, it shall be given an annual budget of \$1.5 billion.

25 A. This will be provided via Congressional funding.

26 **SECTION 6:** Creation of this bureau shall proceed one fiscal year after its passing.

27 **SECTION 7:** All laws in conflict with this bill are declared null and void.

#14

**A BILL TO ELIMINATE HOSTILE ARCHITECTURE**

in the Pennsylvania High School Speech League

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT

2 **SECTION 1:** This bill will ban all future hostile architecture from being produced in  
3 public property in the United States.

4 **SECTION 2:** Hostile architecture will be defined as any infrastructure design strategy,  
5 not including artwork, that deliberately uses elements of the built environment to  
6 purposefully guide or restrict behavior. Hostile architecture targets and  
7 discourages the gathering and living of the unhoused individuals and  
8 communities, who often use or rely on these spaces for safe cover and protection.

9 **SECTION 3:** This bill will be overseen by the General Service Administration as they  
10 will control the design of these buildings.

11 **SECTION 4:** This bill will take effect immediately upon passage.

12 **SECTION 5:** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

#15

**THE GANG OPPOSITION AND TREATMENT PROPOSITION (G.O.a.T)**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The Department of Justice shall allocate a sum of \$300 Million from its  
3 unobligated spending balance towards the Office of Juvenile Justice and  
4 Delinquency Prevention's (OJJDP) support efforts in communities with  
5 high gang activity.

6 **SECTION 2.** The OJJDP's programs currently consist of community mobilization efforts  
7 to report gang violence, providing youths with education, employment,  
8 and social development opportunities such as organized sports, providing  
9 counseling and other support services to youths at risk of gang influence,  
10 and working closely with local law enforcement against direct gang  
11 operations.

12 A. The funding of this legislation is to be directed towards all of the  
13 OJJDP's current provisions with a focus on youth development and  
14 counseling.

15 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Justice is tasked with the enforcement of this legislation in  
16 accordance with state justice departments and local law enforcement at the  
17 discretion of municipal bodies.

18 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect in the next fiscal year. All laws in conflict  
19 with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Super Session #1

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION TO STANDARDIZE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES**

1       **RESOLVED**, That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the  
2                                   United States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the  
3                                   Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states  
4                                   within seven years from the date of its submission by the Congress:

**ARTICLE —**

5       **SECTION 1.** All states, territories, and the federal district must hold primaries for presidential  
6                                   elections concurrently. The first Tuesday in May, in every presidential election  
7                                   year, is established as the official day for presidential primary elections, though  
8                                   early voting, vote-by-mail, and absentee ballots shall remain viable.

9       **SECTION 2.** During primary elections, each voter may cast a vote in the primary for one  
10                                  political party only, though a voter may decide which party as late as the election  
11                                  day, and voters need not be registered members of a given political party to  
12                                  choose to vote in that party’s primary.

13       **SECTION 3.** Caucuses as a means of determining a party’s presidential nominee shall  
14                                  henceforth be abandoned.

15       **SECTION 4.** The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

Super Session #2

**A BILL TO END SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING**

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:**

2 **SECTION 1.** Municipalities throughout the United States and its territories are directed to  
3 abandon all single-stream recycling initiatives.

4 **SECTION 2.** Households and businesses are encouraged to continue recycling, and  
5 municipalities are directed to undertake initiatives that will make sorted recycling  
6 as efficient and user-friendly as practicable. Congress shall direct an additional \$5  
7 billion annually to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to support such  
8 initiatives.

9 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall be overseen by the EPA.

10 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2026.

11 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

**Super Session #3**  
**A BILL TO BAN INTRACORPORATIONAL NDAs**

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:**

2 **SECTION 1.** No employer may enter into a non-disclosure agreement (NDA) with an employee  
3 regarding information internal to that company. Contracts protecting information  
4 connected with individuals outside the organization, such as customers or  
5 patients, are unaffected by this ban.

6 **SECTION 2.** All employee NDAs of this type that are active at the time of implementation  
7 shall be immediately nullified.

8 **SECTION 3.** Any employer found to be in violation of this legislation shall be fined \$25,000  
9 for each infraction, with half of those funds to be turned over to the affected  
10 employee and the other half retained to finance enforcement of this ban.

11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall be overseen by the Department of Labor.

12 **SECTION 5.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2025.

13 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.



**Super Session #4**  
**A BILL TO ERADICATE MOSQUITOES**

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:**

2 **SECTION 1.** Congress shall direct \$500 million annually to the Centers for Disease Control  
3 and Prevention (CDC) for the express purpose of the wholesale eradication of  
4 mosquitoes (Culicidae) from the United States and its territories. This funding  
5 may also be used to stop mosquitoes from crossing international borders into the  
6 United States and its territories.

7 **SECTION 2.** This funding shall continue for five years from the date of passage, at which  
8 point Congress and the CDC shall examine the degree to which this goal has been  
9 achieved and consider further measures if necessary.

10 **SECTION 3.** This funding shall be diverted from the Department of Defense budget.

11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall be overseen by the CDC.

12 **SECTION 5.** This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.

13 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.