

A Bill to Adopt IVAWA (2018)

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The 2018 International Violence Against Women Act (H.R. 5034) shall
3 hereby be implemented.

4 **SECTION 2.** The Department of State shall be responsible for enforcement and
5 oversight of this legislation

6 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.

7 **SECTION 4.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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Ratify CEDAW Act (2018)

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of
3 Discrimination Against Women shall hereby be ratified without
4 reservation.

5 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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

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The Children First Act (2018)

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Private and public employers within the United States shall hereby
3 provide the following for employees who are parents or legal guardians
4 of newborn and newly-adopted children:

5 **A.** 12 weeks of leave.

6 **B.** 100% wage reimbursement during leave period.

7 **C.** Immunity from termination of employment during pregnancy or
8 adoption, leave period, and within 12 weeks after the end of the
9 leave period.

10 **SECTION 2.** The U.S. Department of Labor shall be responsible for enforcement and
11 oversight of this legislation. Any employer found in violation of this
12 legislation shall be fined \$25,000 plus the amount of the employee's
13 yearly wage, the latter of which shall be disbursed to the employee.

14 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.

15 **SECTION 4.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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Women's Representation Act (2018)

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** A quota requiring at least 40% of candidates per district for the U.S.
3 House of Representatives and state for the U.S. Senate nominated by a
4 political party for a primary election be women shall hereby be adopted.

5 **SECTION 2.** The Federal Election Commission shall be responsible for enforcement
6 and oversight of this legislation. Any party in violation of this policy shall
7 be fined \$250,00 and shall be prohibited from fielding candidates during
8 the next electoral cycle in the district or state that said violation
9 occurred.

10 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall take effect during the 2020 electoral cycle.

11 **SECTION 4.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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