A Bill to Ban Crime-Predicting Software and Algorithms to Restore a Fair Justice System

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1**. All courts and individuals that work in or for courts within the United States of
3 America are hereby banned from using crime-predicting software and/or
4 algorithms to influence court rulings.

5 **SECTION 2**. Courts are defined as all federal or state, trial, appeals, circuit, district, and
6 supreme courts.

7 **A.** Individuals that work in or for courts include but are not limited to, judges,
8 lawyers, and clerks.

9 **B.** Crime-predicting software is a computer program that use algorithms to
10 determine the likelihood that someone is to commit a crime or where a crime
11 could occur.

12 **C.** Crime-predicting software includes artificial intelligence (AI) and machine
13 learning algorithms.

14 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Justice (DOJ) will oversee the implementation of this
15 legislation.

16 **A.** Courts found to be using or allowing the use of crime-predicting software
17 and/or algorithms will receive a Federal Censure per instance.

18 **B.** Individuals that work in or for courts found to be using crime-predicting
19 software and/or algorithms for the first time will be fined $15,000 per
20 instance.

21 **C.** All proceeds from these fines will go to the DOJ Bureau of Prisons (BOP) to
22 better prison infrastructure.

23 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect January 1, 2019.

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

A Bill to Combat Hurricanes Preemptively

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1**. The Federal Government will provide $15 billion annually to the United States

3 Army Corps of Engineers on the following conditions:

4 **A.** All funds will go into flood control, beach nourishment, dredging of canals,

5 and the design and construction of flood infrastructure in hurricane prone

6 regions.

7 a. Decisions for design and construction of flood infrastructure will be

8 made after   consultation with the local county over whether to

9 implement a hard engineering   technique, or a soft engineering

10 technique.

11 i. Hard engineering technique will be defined as Dams, Levées,

12 Wing Dykes, Channel Straightening, and Diversion Spillways

13 ii. Soft engineering techniques will be defined as Floodplain

14 Zoning, Afforestation, Wetland Restoration, and River

15 Restoration.

16 b. Hurricane prone regions will be defined as any state that has

17 experienced a hurricane of Category Two or higher in the previous

18 ten years

19 **B.** The United States Army Corps of Engineers will redo testing on I-walls and all

20 other mechanisms that have been breached during flooding before their future

21 implementation.

22 **SECTION 2**. If any of the conditions is not met, all funding will be withheld until revision.

23 **SECTION 3**. The Department of Defense will oversee this legislation.

24 **SECTION 4**. This bill will go into effect immediately.

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

A Bill to Declare the DPRK as a State Sponsor of Terrorism

1   BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2   **SECTION 1**.   The United States will classify North Korea as a state sponsor of terrorism.

3   **SECTION 2**.   State Sponsors of Terrorism are defined as countries determined by the Secretary

4   of State to have repeatedly provided support for acts of international terrorism.

5   **SECTION 3.**   The Department of State will be tasked with overseeing the classification.

6   **SECTION 4.**   This legislation will take into effect on January 1st, 2020.

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

A Resolution to Ban the Felony Checkbox on Application Forms

1 **WHEREAS**, United States employers deny ex-felons jobs based on their criminal record; and

2 **WHEREAS**, the National Employment Law Project estimates that men with criminal records

3 make up 34% of non-working men in the country; and

4 **WHEREAS**, felons who stated they had committed a felony were 50% less likely to get the job,

5 especially if they were a person of color according to the New York Times; and

6 **WHEREAS**, as of 2010, 19 million Americans have been convicted of a felony or have been on

7 felony probation; now, therefore, be it

8 **RESOLVED,** By the Congress here assembled that the United States ban the felony checkbox on

9 all application forms nationwide to all 50 states and territories.

The Immigration Security Act of 2019

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1**. The United States shall allocate an additional $300 million annually to the

3 Department of Homeland Security to expand and enhance both physical and virtual

4 border security infrastructure. The Department of State shall be allocated $100

5 million to provide a visa program to background check all visa applicants for

6 international criminal behavior. The Executive Office for Immigration Review

7 shall receive an additional $90 million annually to prevent court backlog.

8 **SECTION 2.** Physical border security shall be defined as secure fencing and physical barriers on

9 the US-Mexico border to prevent illegal crossings. Virtual border security shall be

10 defined as cameras, drones, sensors, and other surveillance technologies to better

11 detect and respond to illegal crossings.

12 **SECTION 3.** The United States Department of Homeland Security and the Department of

13 Justice shall enforce this legislation. The Department of Homeland Security will be

14 instructed to prefer Virtual border security over physical border security whenever

15 more feasible.

16 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall be implemented on March 1st, 2019.

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

The Supreme Court Bipartisanship Act of 2019

1   BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2   **SECTION 1**.   An "aye" vote by two-thirds of the Senate shall be required for the confirmation of

3   any appointment to the Supreme Court of the United States.

4   **SECTION 2**.   The Senate Committee on Rules and Administration shall oversee the enforcement

5   of this legislation.

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

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

A Resolution to Suspend Extraditions to Turkey

1   **WHEREAS,**   The Republic of Turkey has recently turned toward violence, suppression of

2   religious freedom, and prosecution of political dissenters, and

3   **WHEREAS,**   The United States is currently party to the Turkey International Extradition Treaty

4   with the United States, forcing the American government to extradite individuals

5   accused of crimes in Turkey, and

6   **WHEREAS,**   Many individuals who have been unjustly persecuted by the Turkish government

7   have attempted to flee to the United States, and

8   **WHEREAS,**   This Congress finds the extradition of individuals to nations who routinely violate

9   human rights to be immoral, especially when those individuals could face the

10   punishment of death, and

11   **WHEREAS,**   This Congress specifically frowns upon the request made by the Turkish

12   government for the extradition of Fethullah Gulen, a political and religious

13   reformer who currently resides in the United States, now, therefore be it

14   **RESOLVED,**   by two-thirds of the Congress here assembled, that the United States shall formally

15   suspend all extraditions to Turkey until the Turkish government ceases to act in a

16   deplorable manner, and be it

17   **FURTHER RESOLVED,** that this Congress supports the granting of asylum to all seekers of

18   political refuge from the current Turkish regime.

The Data Access Act

1   BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2   **SECTION 1**.   All communication tech companies shall be banned from encrypting their user data

3   in such a way that the company cannot retrieve that data under a court order.

4   **SECTION 2**.   Communication tech company shall be defined as any technology company that

5   facilitates communication between its users, including Google, Apple, Facebook,

6   WhatsApp, etc.

7   **SECTION 3.**   The Federal Communications Commission shall oversee the implementation of this

8   legislation.

9   **SECTION 4.**   This legislation shall take effect January 1, 2020.

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

The Corporate Long-Termism Act

1   BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2   **SECTION 1**.   All publicly traded corporations shall be required to submit earnings reports on an

3   annual rather than quarterly basis. Furthermore, short-term capital gains shall be

4   charged an additional 20% surtax.

5   **SECTION 2**.   Short term capital gains shall be defined as the profit gained from selling a share

6   held for less than 1 year. Earnings reports shall be defined as financial filings made

7   by companies to report their performance to investors.

8   **SECTION 3.**   This bill shall be jointly enforced by the Securities and Exchange Commision and

9   the Internal Revenue Service.

10   **SECTION 4.**   This legislation shall take effect January 1, 2020.

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