

A Bill to Create Nuclear Waste Storage Sites at Yucca Mountain

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

Section 1: The United States will construct and operate a permanent nuclear waste repository at

Yucca Mountain for the transfer and storage of spent nuclear fuel (SNF).

Section 2: Spent Nuclear Fuel shall be defined as Nuclear reactor fuel that has been used to the extent that it can no longer effectively sustain a chain reaction.

Section 3: The Department of Energy shall oversee the enforcement of this bill.

A. The existing Nuclear Waste Fund will be used to fund this project.

B. 5% of the Nuclear Waste Fund shall be made available to benefit host communities, not limited to education and public services.

Section 4: This bill will take effect immediately upon passing.

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

A Bill to Enact the Medicare for All Act of 2020

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- SECTION 1.** This bill enacts a national health insurance program that must:
- A. Cover all US residents**
 - B. Automatically enroll individuals at birth or residency in the US**
 - C. Cover costs of all medically required materials and services needed to maintain health or diagnose, treat, or rehabilitate a health condition, including hospital services, prescription drugs, mental health and substance abuse treatment, dental and vision services, and long-term care.**
 - D. Abolish private coverage and cost-sharing programs for medical care, except in cases where it would be supplemental to this legislation**
- SECTION 2.** A. Private coverage and cost-sharing programs shall be defined as any deductibles, insurance, and Copayments, including those provided by Employers.
- SECTION 3.** The Department of Health and Human Services will oversee the implementation of this legislation
- SECTION 4.** This bill shall go into effect on January 1, 2021
- SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
- Introduced for Congressional Debate by Milpitas High School**

A Resolution to Mandate Voting

WHEREAS, voting is vital to the sustainment of democracy, and

WHEREAS, voting is currently done primarily by upper class, hence perpetuating class bias in political bodies

WHEREAS, only half of eligible voters in the United States voted in 2016 and now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Congress here assembled make the following recommendation that voting

be a mandatory responsibility of United States citizens

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A Bill to Mandate Vaccines

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- Section 1.** This bill implements policy that mandates the vaccination of all US citizens and residents:
- A.** Only vaccinations deemed necessary for public health shall be mandated.
 - B.** Only doctor-verified medical conditions that may cause an allergy or other medical interference may be exempt.
- Section 2.** A. Vaccines deemed necessary for public health shall be determined by the Department of Health and Human Services
- Section 3.** The Department of Health and Human Services will oversee the implementation of this legislation
- Section 4.** This bill shall go into effect on January 1, 2021
- Section 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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A Bill to Create a National Biofuel Program

Be it enacted by the student congress here assembled that

SECTION 1: The United States Federal Government will implement a new public utility program to collect and process biological waste from the agricultural and private sector to create alternatives to petroleum-based energy.

SECTION 2: This program will use human and animal waste to produce fuel sources in gaseous and carbonized forms.

SECTION 3: All states will be required to implement these programs, and may select the provider they prefer, but this utility must be established and provided to all residents.

SECTION 4: The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) shall be responsible for oversight of this program.

SECTION 5: This program shall go into effect October 1, 2022

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

Submitted by Young Genius

A Resolution to Fund Job Training **in Emerging Professions**

- Whereas, studies have found one-quarter of jobs in the U.S. are at "high-risk" of being replaced by machines, and another 36 percent are at "medium-risk" for the same fate; and**
- Whereas, it has been estimated that this trend of automation will disproportionately impact the lower and middle class; and**
- Whereas, experts have said that while this shift to automation will render 75 million jobs obsolete by the year 2022, it will add 133 million new jobs, requiring workers with new skill sets, in that same time period**
- Whereas, in the year 2019, 91 Fortune 500 companies had an effective federal tax rate of 0% or less; now, therefore be it**
- Resolved, by the Congress here assembled that the United States Federal Government will impose a new corporate tax on all Fortune 500 companies, which will be used to fund low-cost job training programs for all workers who have been determined to be at high or medium risk of being replaced by machines. These programs will provide necessary training to allow workers to take on the new jobs in emerging professions.**

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A Resolution to Establish Global Sister Schools

Whereas, it has been proven that exposure to foreign languages at an early age is highly beneficial to children's growing brains, leading to improved cognitive development, memory, and academic performance; and

Whereas, the world, culturally, technologically, and economically, has grown more and more interconnected, making bilingualism increasingly important; and

Whereas, exposure to other cultures has been demonstrated to make people more empathetic; now, therefore be it

Resolved, that the state of California restructure its public education system (grades K-12) to include the following:

- A. The establishment of an international "sister school" relationship with schools located somewhere outside of the United States where a different language is spoken.**
- B. The students will connect with each other daily online, and receive instruction in an academic subject (including, but not limited to, math, science, history, debate, music, etc.) in both English and the language of the sister school.**

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Resolution to Save Social Security

Whereas: Social Security which millions of retired citizens rely on is in danger of having a shortfall of revenue by 2035, and

Whereas: Currently the wealthy do not have to pay payroll taxes to support Social Security on any income over \$137,700,

Whereas: Removing the cap could eliminate 86 percent of Social Security's funding gap for 75 years, therefore be it

RESOLVED: The income cap on the payroll tax should be repealed.

FINALS: A Resolution to Insure Safe Voting

Whereas: America is currently experiencing a pandemic that makes in person voting a health risk, and

Whereas: Absentee voting has overwhelmingly proven that mail in voter fraud has a historic rate of 0.0025% (less than 25 in 1 billion ballots), and

Whereas: Universal mail in voting historically results in a 2% increase in non partisan turnout, therefore be it

RESOLVED: All elections for national office (President, Senator, Congressperson) shall offer universal early mail in voting.

FINALS: A Bill to grant Voting Rights for Elected Representatives of Territories and US possessions

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

Section 1: Elected representatives of the United States' territories and possessions will hereby be granted full voting privileges in the United States House of Representatives

Section 2: U.S. Territories and possessions include: American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, the U.S. 6 Virgin Islands, and the Northern Mariana Islands

Section 3: This bill will be enacted by the United States Congress and elections will be overseen by the Federal Election Commission with assistance from the Election Assistance Commission. Guidelines and procedures will be the same as those federal elections held within the fifty states of the United States.

Section 4: This bill will be implemented by the 2022 election cycle.

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

FINALS: A Bill to Eliminate the Electoral College

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

Section 1: By two-thirds of the Congress here assembled, that the Electoral College shall be disbanded, which shall take effect immediately upon being ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the United States within seven years from the date of its submission by the Congress.

Section 2: The implementation of this legislation shall be administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA).

Section 3: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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