

## **Congressional Clash:**

#### **Summer Showdown**

### **Final Scenario Briefing**

- Please read this document in full. It contains important instructions on how the final round will work. More information will be released closer to the start of the tournament, if needed.
- Page 2 contains a briefing from secretary of state, page 3 contains detailed instructions on what to do.
- If you have any additional questions or concerns about the legislation, please contact <a href="mailto:congressionalclash@gmail.com">congressionalclash@gmail.com</a>,
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#### Office of Secretary of State Joshua S. Quraish

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Dear Senators,

As you may know, on February 15<sup>th</sup>, the President reiterated the U.S. commitment to Ukraine's sovereignty and territorial integrity and issued fresh warnings to Russian President Vladimir Putin. In the months since, the United States and European allies have poured in millions of dollars of support to Ukraine to aid their effort against Russia. Russian President Vladimir Putin has announced that the United States will "pay for their actions for supporting Ukraine" within the next week.

Just 15 minutes ago, CIA intel has found that Russia is planning a hit on our nation's electric grid, which could cause catastrophic results. Previous intel tells us that Russia's cybersecurity taskforce greatly overpowers that of the United States, and that they may be successful if such attack may occur. This attack would impact every part of the nations daily practices, and could hurt hundreds of millions of constituents.

Congress, we need you to introduce a piece of legislation to respond to such possible event. If we ignore Russia's actions and wait too long, we risk drastically harming our constituent's safety and nation's security on the world stage. If we go too far, we risk escalation of violence against both Ukraine and the United States. The state of the nation, and frankly the world, is in **your** hands.

# Senators: To-Do

- 1. Research the scenario and write a piece of legislation that will address the issues raised
  - a. Bill-Template:

https://docs.google.com/document/u/7/d/1FUg4mIZzUUZq
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- 2. Do background research overall and find cards that you could use in round
- 3. Not all bills will be debated, Senators will vote on the bills they will give speeches on. To this end, have research and knowledge that can help you speak on *any* bill related to the topic.

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