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A Bill to Provide Free Menstrual Products Throughout the United States

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- SECTION 1. All pharmacies and health clinics shall be required to provide a monthly supply of
 free menstrual products to all US residents.
- 4 SECTION 2. Menstrual products shall be defined as menstrual pads and tampons. Each
 5 resident may choose one but not both of these products per month.
- SECTION 3. Funding for this legislation shall be raised from a 1% tax increase on the revenue
 of US pharmaceutical companies. Any unused funding shall be diverted into the
 Department of Education to support expanding sexual education resources and
 improving their quality.
- SECTION 4. With the exception of Section 3, the Department of Health and Human Services
 (DHHS) shall oversee this legislation and be tasked with determining what
- 12 constitutes a reasonable monthly supply and with tracking and regulating usage.
- 13 Section 4 shall be overseen by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

14 **SECTION 5.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2023.

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

A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Enshrine a Right to Privacy

1	RESOLVED,	That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of		
2		the 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		
4		states within seven years from the date of its submission by the Congress:		
5			ARTICLE	
6		SECTION 1.	The right of each person to his, her, or their own privacy shall not	
7			be infringed.	
8		SECTION 2.	Specifically, the government shall make or enforce no law that	
9			monitors or limits an individual's ability to pursue his, her, or their	
10			own happiness unless such pursuit would demonstrably infringe	
11			on the rights of another biologically independent individual.	
12		SECTION 3.	Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate	
13			legislation.	

The Kinder Surprise Eggs Justice Act

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

- SECTION 1. The 1938 Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act shall be amended to remove its
 prohibition on the sale of confectionery products in which non-nutritive objects
 are partially or totally contained.
- SECTION 2. Congress shall support the production and import of confectionery products
 newly legalized under this legislation in time for the nation's next observance of
 Halloween.
- 8 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall be overseen by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA).
- 9 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.
- 10 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to End Federal Recognition of Thanksgiving

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

- SECTION 1. Thanksgiving Day, being the fourth Thursday in the month of November, shall no
 longer be recognized or observed as a federal holiday.
- SECTION 2. On the fourth Thursday in November, all federal government offices shall remain
 open, stock market trading shall continue as normal, and federal government
- 6 employees shall not be eligible for any special leave. State and local
- 7 governments and private businesses may choose to continue recognizing and
- 8 observing Thanksgiving if they see fit.
- 9 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2023.
- 10 **SECTION 4.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Invest in the Puerto Rican Power Grid

- 1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:
- SECTION 1. Congress shall direct \$10 billion to the territory of Puerto Rico to be used to
 strengthen that territory's power grid, specifically to help it withstand and
 recover from extreme weather events more effectively.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** These funds shall be offset via a new 10% tax on fossil fuel industry revenues.
- 6 SECTION 3. Section 1 of this legislation shall be overseen by the Department of Energy.
 7 Section 2 shall be overseen by the Internal Revenue Service.
- 8 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect at the start of the next fiscal year.
- 9 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Forbid the Use of Credit Scores in Lending

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

- SECTION 1. No lender may base a decision to approve or deny a loan on an individual's credit
 score or credit report, nor may lenders use credit scores and reports to
 determine interest rates or set credit limits.
- 5 SECTION 2. A credit report is defined as an account of an individual's history of repaying
 6 debts. A credit score is defined as a statistical representation of a credit report.
- 7 **SECTION 3.** Any lender found to be in violation of this legislation shall be banned from
- 8 engaging in lending for a period of 5 years and shall be liable for civil action from
 9 the affected individual. If a lender again violates this legislation following the first
 10 5-year ban, the ban shall be reinstated permanently.
- 11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall be overseen by the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau.
- 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.