

# **THE LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC**

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# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #1

## A Bill to Prohibit Public School Districts from the Disclosing of LGBTQIA+ Students' Orientation to Their Guardian(s)

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1     **SECTION 1.**     Public school districts and their employees are prohibited from disclosing  
2                             information regarding LGBTQIA+ students' gender and sexual orientations  
3                             to their guardian(s).

4     **SECTION 2.**     Sexual orientation will be defined as a person's identity in relation to the  
5                             gender or genders to which they are sexually attracted, (ex. homosexual,  
6                             pansexual, bisexual, asexual)

Gender orientation will be defined as the gender that each student personally identifies as (ex. male, female, non-binary, genderqueer)

9     **SECTION 3.**     This act will be administered by the United States Child Protective Services.  
10                     A.   The penalty for violating this bill would be a fine of up to \$1,000 and  
11                     possible jail sentences for subsequent violations.

12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage. All laws in  
13 conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Allison Tuite.*

# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #2

## A Bill to Empower the Department of Labour

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The Congress here assembled finds that the Department of Labor to be  
3 lacking funding, Therefore the following changes shall be Implemented:

4 A. Annual Mandatory Spending allocated to the Department of Labour is to be  
5 increased to 3 Billion Dollars per Fiscal year.

6 B. Discretionary Spending Allocated to National Defense Be Reduced by 3 Billion  
7 dollars this Fiscal Year.

8 **SECTION 2.**

9 A. At least 40% of the Department of Labor's Annual Budget will be allocated to  
10 prevention, discovery, and prosecution of wage theft, and other violations of Labor  
11 law.

12 **SECTION 3.** Wage Theft is defined as the failure to pay wages or provide employees  
13 benefits rightfully owed to an employee by contract or law.

14 **SECTION 4.** The Bill Shall be Implemented Immediately Upon passage

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

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# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #3

## **A bill to decriminalize use of intoxicating substances and provide rehabilitation instead of criminal charges**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. The following will occur upon passage

- A. The federal government shall decriminalize and no longer prosecute the use of intoxicating substances
- B. The federal government shall also provide rehabilitation for citizens who use intoxicating substances as a substitute to incarceration.

SECTION 2. “Decriminalization” shall be defined by the act of no longer prosecuting citizens over this interest. “intoxicating substances” shall be defined by any substance or drug that alters the user's state of mind and ability to coherently think. “rehabilitation” shall be defined by the act of restoring a person's health and wellbeing back to normal life through training and therapy after addiction, or illness. “citizens” shall be defined as anyone who lives in the United States legally. “Substitute” shall be defined as a secondary option to something already introduced. “Incarceration” shall be defined as the act of charging a citizen with a federal crime and sending said citizen to jail or prison for said crime.

SECTION 3. The U.S Department of Justice shall oversee implementation of this bill.

- A. Police officers or any person of authority with the ability to arrest, shall not incarcerate anyone under the influence of an intoxicating substance, officers must instead transport said citizens to a rehabilitation center until further notice.
- B. Citizens are to stay at rehabilitation centers for 30 days or until proven they no longer want to consume an intoxicating substance. Failure to complete a rehabilitation program within the 30 days will result in a fine of up to \$500.

SECTION 4. This bill shall go in effect May 2nd, 2023.

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

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Bentonville West High School*

### The Kinder Surprise Eggs Justice Act

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

2 **SECTION 1.** The 1938 Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act shall be amended to remove its prohibition  
3 on the sale of confectionery products in which non-nutritive objects are partially or totally  
4 contained.

5 **SECTION 2.** Congress shall support the production and import of confectionery products newly  
6 legalized under this legislation in time for the nation's next observance of Halloween.

7 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall be overseen by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA).

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

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

# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #5

## **A Bill to Make Menstrual Products & Birth Control Free for All**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. All menstrual products and birth control, such as pads, tampons, plan B, condoms, abortions, should be free for all, especially towards those in poverty

SECTION 2. Poverty is defined as the state of being extremely poor and the Menstrual Cycle is defined as the monthly cycle of changes in the ovaries and the lining of the uterus (endometrium), starting with the preparation of an egg for fertilization.

SECTION 3. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services will oversee this bill

A. They will ensure that all menstrual and birth control products be free and accessible to everyone, especially to minors and those in poverty.

B. Anyone with a uterus cannot control their cycle and poor period control can lead to certain infections, and a lack of contraceptives can lead to unwanted pregnancies and sexually transmitted diseases, especially to those who can't afford such products, so this department will be able to prevent this.

SECTION 4. This shall be implemented between 2024-2025

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

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Bentonville West High School*

# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #6

## A BILL TO APPLY THE DRAFT TO ALL GENDERS

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1   **SECTION 1.**   All people ages 18-25 who are U.S. citizens or are immigrants living in the  
2                   U.S. will be required to register with Selective Service. Citizens must  
3                   register within 30 days of turning 18. Immigrants must register within 30  
4                   days of arriving in the U.S.
- 5   **SECTION 2.**   This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage however for  
6                   those who must now register for the selective service due to this legislation  
7                   will have 120 days to do so upon passage of this legislation.
- 8   **SECTION 3.**   All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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*Introduced for Congressional Debate by* Sylvan Hills High School



# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #7

## **A Bill to Mandate Gender Neutral Restrooms in New Constructions**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- SECTION 1. A. All current single-occupancy restrooms must be converted to gender Neutral bathrooms by Jan 1, 2025  
B. All buildings beginning construction after Jan 1, 2024 must contain only single occupancy, gender neutral, restrooms.
- SECTION 2. “Gender Neutral Bathrooms” will be defined as any Bathroom not intended for, or restricted for, use by a specific gender.  
“Single Occupancy” will be defined as any restroom intended for use by one person but could include restrooms designated for family use.
- SECTION 3. A. The Occupational Health and Safety Administration will oversee the implementation of this bill.  
B. The United States government will provide grants totaling \$1 Billion each year until 2027 for any nonresidential buildings to install Gender Neutral restrooms. The funding for these grants shall come from the Military budget. Unused grant money shall be used to pay off the national Debt.
- SECTION 4. This bill will be implemented by Jan 1, 2024.
- SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Linden Mixon and Jonesboro High School.*

### A Bill to Expand Executive Privilege

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

2 **SECTION 1.** The rights associated with executive privilege shall henceforth follow any individuals who  
3 have held the office of President of the United States even after they are no longer  
4 invested with that office. These rights will also immediately be conferred on all living  
5 former presidents.

6 **SECTION 2.** Any individual who held the office of President but was impeached and removed from  
7 office by the Senate shall lose this extended executive privilege.

8 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall not confer similar benefits on individuals who have held the office of  
9 vice president or any other executive office.

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

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

# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #9

## A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Enact the Ludlow Amendment

1 **RESOLVED,** By two-thirds of the Congress here assembled, that the following article is  
2 proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which  
3 shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when  
4 ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states within  
5 seven years from the date of its submission by the Congress:  
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### 7 **ARTICLE --**

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9 **SECTION 1:** That the authority of Congress to declare war shall not be  
10 effective until confirmed by a majority of all votes cast  
11 thereon in a nationwide referendum except in the event of  
12 invasion of the United States or territories of the United  
13 States.

14 **SECTION 2:** Congress will have the power to enforce this article by  
15 appropriate legislation.  
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*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Zayd Dalabih*

## A Bill to Provide High School Students in Arkansas With Excused Personal Leave

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1   **SECTION 1.**   The Arkansas Department of Education will hereby provide all students in  
2                   Arkansas with 5 school days of excused personal leave.
- 3   **SECTION 2.**   Excused personal leave includes any reason a student may be absent from  
4                   school. This is applied after informing the school office within 5 school days  
5                   of the absence.
- 6                   A.   The school office must be informed by a guardian if the student is  
7                   below the age of 16. Otherwise, the student may inform the office.
- 8                   B.   The student will not receive a punishment from the school for taking an  
9                   excused personal leave (e.g. not considered absent in a class, instead  
10                  excused, so it will not apply to punishments like mandatory finals).
- 11 **SECTION 3.**   The Arkansas Department of Education Division of Public School  
12                  Accountability will oversee the enforcement of the bill.
- 13                  A.   The Division of Public School Accountability will oversee Arkansas  
14                  school districts and enforce the policy in their handbook
- 15                  B.   The school offices' will have the responsibility to account and record  
16                  the excused personal leave.
- 17 **SECTION 4.**   This legislation will take effect on August 1, 2023. All laws in conflict with  
18                  this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Bentonville High School.*

# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #11

## **A Bill to End Seed Patents**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. A. All patents and copyright on forms of life shall be revoked.

B. The United States government shall no longer grant patents or copyright on forms of life.

C. The United States Federal government shall no longer enforce patents or copyright on forms of life from any nation.

SECTION 2. Forms of life shall be defined as the genetic contents of any living thing, plant, animal, or otherwise.

SECTION 3. The Department of Agriculture shall enforce this bill.

SECTION 4. This bill will be implemented by Jan 1, 2024.

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

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Linden Mixon and Jonesboro High School.*

# LITTLE ROCK CLASSIC BILL #12

## A BILL TO REDUCE INSULIN MONOPOLIZATION TO REDUCE THE COST OF INSULIN

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1   **SECTION 1.**   All forms of patents that in any way involve insulin expire immediately  
2                   upon passage of this legislation.
- 3   **SECTION 2.**   The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office agencies or any other agency with  
4                   such power will no longer be allowed to grant any forms of patents that  
5                   include or involve insulin.
- 6   **SECTION 3.**   All laws and legislation in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared  
7                   null and void. This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage.

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