# Interleague CONGRESS LEGISLATION 11/19/2022 St. Francis Prep

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Title of Legislation *	A Bill to Establish Congressional Term Limits
Designation *	Primary
Date of Congress *	11/12/2022
1*	BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2	SECTION 1. All members of both the House and Senate shall have their
3	opportunity of re-election restricted by congressional term limits.
4	SECTION 2. All members of the House shall serve a maximum of four terms.
5	A. These terms may be served consecutively or individually; however, the
6	maximum number of terms will be four and two for the House and
7	Senate, respectively.
8	B. Terms served in one body of Congress do not impede an individual's
9	ability to serve in another. For instance, if an individual wanted to
10	serve four terms in the House and two in the Senate, they would have

11	the ability to do so.
12	SECTION 3. The Federal Election Commission will oversee the enforcement of
13	this legislation.
14	SECTION 4. This bill shall be implemented by the fiscal year 2023.
15	SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null
16	and void.
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Title of Legislation *	A Bill to Expand the Housing Act of 1937 that Ensures Quality Public Housing
Designation *	Primary
Date of Congress *	November 19
1*	SECTION 1. To meet the housing needs of millions of poor and working class
2	Americans, the United States government shall expand the stock of quality
3	public housing.
4	SECTION 2. All public housing under this bill would be permanently affordable,
5	environmentally conscious and located in neighborhoods of greatest need.
6	SECTION 3. This bill shall be implemented by HUD. In order to meet quality
7	requirements, this bill expands previous budgets to directly create 70,000
8	housing units.
9	This bill will expand the budget of the 1937 housing act from \$500
10	million to \$2 billion.

11	SECTION 4. This legislation will take effect on January 1st, 2023. All laws in conflict
12	with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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## A Resolution to Offer NATO Membership to Asian Countries at risk of Chinese Encroachment and Interference

1	WHEREAS,	China is actively encroaching on the territory of countries bordering it
2		within areas such as the South China Sea and the Himalayas; and
3	WHEREAS,	Using their military and economic powers, China puts other countries in a
4		position where they either submit to having their land taken over or risk
5		fighting and territory being used either way because China is much more
6		powerful than smaller countries; and
7	WHEREAS,	This hurts the sovereignty of these countries, many of which are allied with
8		the United States and present military and economic advantages due to
9		their positioning around China; now, therefore, be it
10	RESOLVED,	That the Congress here assembled recommend that NATO offers
11		membership to Asian countries at risk of Chinese encroachment and
12		interference.
13	FURTHER RES	OLVED, Involvement in programs that help meet requirements for
14		membership will also be extended to countries interested in joining.
	Introduced for	Congressional Debate by Xaverian HS

## A Bill to Nationalize the US Freight Rail System

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1	SECTION 1.	The United States freight rail system shall be nationalized under the public
2		company Conrail.
3	SECTION 2.	Conrail is the government run agency that shall be responsible for and take
4		over the tracks, infrastructure, and rail cars and trains from private rail
5		companies. Freight Rail shall be defined as goods that are transported by
6		train.
7	SECTION 3.	The DOT shall oversee the passing of this legislation and include the 5% of
8		the DOT budget being given to Conrail and any additional funding can be
9		taken from the DOD. Conrail shall be organized as the following:
10		A. Private companies shall still be allowed to operate still along Conrail's
11		tracks by paying a fee or leasing them.
12		B. Amtrak, Conrail, and Commuter Rails shall work together to improve
13		service and infrastructure through the country.
14	SECTION 4.	This legislation will take effect as passed. All laws in conflict with this
15		legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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## **Promote Voter Representation**

WHEREAS, The Electoral College allows a president to be elected without a majority of voters and

WHEREAS, The Electoral College allows electors to disregard the will of the people; and

WHEREAS, Democratic ideals continue to erode through every voter who feels unrepresented; now, therefore, be it

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

#### ARTICLE --

SECTION 1: The Electoral College is hereby abolished and Congress shall declare a federal holiday in which voters will vote using ranked-choice ballots. The Department of Justice will establish voter eligibility and enforce voting procedures.

SECTION 2: Congress shall have the power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

Submitted for Congressional Debate by Xaverian High School

Title of Legislation *	A Bill to Ban Fracking
Designation *	Super Session
Date of Congress *	11/12/2022
1 *	BE IT ENACTED BY STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2	Section 1. This bill prohibits federal agencies from issuing permits for the
3	expansion of fracking or fracked oil and natural gas infrastructure,
4	including infrastructure intended to extract, transport, or burn natural
5	gas or oil. By 2030 all fracking permits will be revoked. By 2030 the
6	United States will be fracking free.
7	Section 2. "Hydraulic fracturing or fracking is a process to extract underground
8	resources such as oil or gas from a geologic formation by injecting
9	water, a propping agent (e.g., sand), and chemical additives into a
10	well under enough pressure to fracture the geological formation."
11	Section 3. The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection Agency
12	shall be deemed responsible for implementing this bill
13	Section 4. Upon passage, this legislation will take effect on January 1st, 2023
14	Section 5. All laws that conflict with this will be declared null and void
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