



## SADL 2 Congressional Debate Docket

## Prelim A - A Bill to Assist the Farm Industry

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** An additional \$40 billion will be added to the farm bill funding specified in  
3 H.R. 6363. If a new Farm Bill is approved prior to the implementation  
4 date, separate from a continuing resolution, this funding will be added to  
5 the amount appropriated in that legislation.

6 **SECTION 2.** The funding is appropriated to the following categories:

7 **A.** \$1.9 billion to supplement disaster assistance.

8 **B.** \$21 billion to supplement crop proceeds.

9 **C.** \$4.6 billion to supplement animal product proceeds.

10 **D.** \$16.7 billion to offset production expenses.

11 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Agriculture will oversee the distribution of the  
12 increased funding.

13 **A.** A tariff of 10% on all agricultural imports will be implemented to  
14 provide funding for this legislation.

15 **SECTION 4.** This will take effect on October 1, 2024.

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

## Prelim B - A Bill to Eliminate Taxation on Tipped Income

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Income from tips or gratuities will be exempt from taxation, including  
3 Social Security and Medicare taxes. All income derived from tips or  
4 gratuities must be reported on IRS form 4070A to differentiate it from  
5 wages earned from an employer.

6 **SECTION 2.** Income from tips or gratuities will include, but is not limited to:

7 **A.** Cash tips received directly from customers

8 **B.** Tips from customers who leave a tip through electronic settlement  
9 or payment. This includes a credit card, debit card, gift card or any  
10 other electronic payment method.

11 **C.** The value of any noncash tips, such as tickets or other items of  
12 value.

13 **D.** Tip amounts received from other employees paid out through tip  
14 pools, tip splitting, or other formal/informal tip sharing  
15 arrangements.

16 **SECTION 3.** The Internal Revenue Service will adjust form 1040 and 1040A to reflect  
17 the tax exemptions when calculating income tax owed.

18 **A.** No fewer than ten percent of all returns which contain income from  
19 tips or gratuities shall be subject to audit during a fiscal year.

20 **B.** If the result of the audit shows income fraudulently categorized as tip  
21 or gratuity, a penalty of no less than double the amount falsely  
22 claimed shall be assessed.

23 **SECTION 4.** This will take effect on October 1, 2025.

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

## Prelim C - A Bill to Ban Medical Patents to Fix Big Pharma

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1   **SECTION 1.**   All medical patents shall hereby be nullified, and the U.S. Patent and  
2                   Trademark Office shall be restricted from issuing any and all medical  
3                   patents in the future. The National Institutes of Health (NIH) shall be  
4                   allocated an additional fifty billion dollars per year to finance the research  
5                   and development done by the pharmaceutical industry.
- 6   **SECTION 2.**   Medical patents shall be defined as patents on any medication, medical  
7                   device, or medical process that prevent other competitors from producing  
8                   similar medications, devices, or processes.
- 9   **SECTION 3.**   The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, the Department of Commerce, and  
10                  the Department of Health and Human Services shall oversee the  
11                  enforcement of this legislation.
- 12 **SECTION 4.**   This legislation will take effect on July 1, 2025.
- 13 **SECTION 5.**   All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

# Final A - A Bill to End Forced Arbitration

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** No contract or agreement shall be written or agreed to between two  
3 parties which has the effect of denying a party access to the court system  
4 for relief in the event of negligence or breach of contract.

5 **SECTION 2.** Such contracts and agreements may be, but are not limited to,  
6 employment agreements or contracts for goods and services.

7 **SECTION 3.** Enforcement will be handled by the following departments:

8 **A.** Employment contracts and agreements will be overseen by the  
9 Department of Labor.

10 **B.** Agreements involving the exchange of physical goods or online  
11 services will be overseen by the Federal Trade Commission.

12 **C.** Agreements involving financial products will be overseen by the  
13 Consumer Financial Protection Bureau.

14 **D.** Violations of this legislation which are deemed to deny consumers the  
15 right to relief in a court of law shall result in treble damages.

16 **SECTION 4.** This shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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

## Final B - A Bill to Implement a Carbon Tax

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1   **SECTION 1.** A carbon tax of \$10 per metric ton of CO<sub>2</sub> emitted by for-profit companies  
2                   will be imposed. The tax will initially apply to companies that emit more  
3                   than 30 metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> per year, but will be applied to all for-profit  
4                   companies after 2035. The tax revenue will go to the Office of Energy  
5                   Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) of the United States Department  
6                   of Energy to aid the transition from fossil fuels to environmentally  
7                   sustainable energy.

8   **SECTION 2.** “Carbon emissions” is defined as carbon gas emissions that are influenced  
9                   by the direct decisions of for-profit corporations (which do business in the  
10                  U.S., onshore or offshore) for each calendar year.

11 **SECTION 3.** The Internal Revenue Service shall implement a tax of \$10 per metric ton of  
12                  carbon emitted per calendar year (above the threshold of 30 tons of CO<sub>2</sub>)  
13                  for U.S. based for-profit organizations

14                  A. After 2035, there shall not be a threshold of 30 tons of CO<sub>2</sub>, and every  
15                  metric ton of CO<sub>2</sub> which for-profit companies emit will be taxed

16                  B. After 2035, the tax per metric ton of CO<sub>2</sub> emitted by each company per  
17                  calendar year shall be raised to \$30

18                  The taxes will go toward the The Office of Energy Efficiency and  
19                  Renewable Energy (EERE) of the United States Department of Energy

20                  A. the EERE will use these taxes to aid the transition away from fossil  
21                  fuels to renewable, environmentally sustainable energy

22 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on FY 2025. All laws in conflict with this  
23                  legislation are hereby declared null and void.

## Final C- A Resolution to Modify the UN Security Council Veto Process

1   **WHEREAS,**   The system which currently governs vetoes within the United Nations  
2                   Security Council (UNSC) is undemocratic; and  
3   **WHEREAS,**   One member state out of 15 voting member states can destroy a solution  
4                   for peace by exercising an insurmountable veto; and  
5   **WHEREAS,**   Many permanent member states of the UNSC are operating from a purely  
6                   self- interested position and, in turn, often fail to work for global progress;  
7                   now, therefore, be it  
8   **RESOLVED,**   That the United States urges the United Nations to revise the Security  
9                   Council veto process to ensure a two-thirds majority vote can override any  
10                  veto within the UNSC.