

## TALL COTTON 2025 NSDA Legislation

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## A Bill to Increase Research and Development in Cloning for Organ Duplication

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Thousands of Americans spend years on organ donor waitlists. We call  
3 this Congress here assembled to invest in research and development into  
4 cloning technology for Organ Duplication.

5 **SECTION 2.** Organ Duplication Technology will be defined as methods of cloning that  
6 are only developed for cloning already living organisms, including but not  
7 limited to somatic cell nuclear transfer, artificial wombs, and/or  
8 xenotransplantation.

9 **SECTION 3.** The United States will direct 15 billion dollars of total funding to subsidize  
10 the cloning/biotechnology industry over a 5-year period. The funding  
11 shall be provided for by the Department of Defense.

12 **SECTION 4.** The Department of Health will oversee the funding implementation to  
13 increase R&D using private contractors to conduct the research.

14 **SECTION 5.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2026. All laws in conflict with  
15 this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by San Angelo Central High School.*

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## A Bill to Prohibit the Banning of Critical Race Theory Being Taught in Schools

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The federal government will strip funding from any state education  
3 agency that has banned the teachings of critical race theory in their  
4 curriculum, and AP courses related to the matter.

5 **SECTION 2.** Critical Race Theory shall be defined as the teachings that race is a social  
6 construct, and that racism is not merely the product of individual bias or  
7 prejudice, but also something embedded in legal systems and policies.

8 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Education will oversee the implementation of this  
9 legislation until deemed unnecessary.

10 A. If states are found in violation of this legislation, federal funding to  
11 their education departments will be decreased on a 25% increment  
12 per semester.

13 B. Once a previously violating state begins to abide by this legislation,  
14 federal funding will be added back on a 25% increment per semester  
15 until it returns to the state's original education funding.

16 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2026. All laws in conflict with  
17 this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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## **A Bill to Ban Cell Phone Use in Public Schools to Increase attention Span and Academic Achievement.**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS NSDA CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Cellular Devices in Public Schools shall be prohibited during school hours.

3 **SECTION 2.** Cellular Devices shall be defined as a telecommunication device that uses  
4 radio waves over a networked area (cells) and is served through a cell site  
5 or base station at a fixed location, enabling calls to transmit wirelessly  
6 over a wide range

7 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Education shall oversee the implementation of the  
8 bill.

9 A. Federal Funding will be decreased for any district, not in compliance

10 B. Schools shall have the autonomy to implement the device ban.

11 **SECTION 4.** All schools shall meet compliance by August 2025.

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

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Big Spring High School.*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1                   **SECTION 1.**       The United States government shall lift economic sanctions on  
2                   the country of Cuba by repealing the Helms-Burton Act, Cuban Assets Control  
3                   Regulations, and the Cuban Democracy Act. Furthermore, the United States  
4                   Government shall engage in foreign relations with the country of Cuba to  
5                   achieve and maintain the goal of open trade and borders between one  
6                   another.

**7 SECTION 2.** The definitions for this act are as follows:

8 A. The Cuban Assets Control Regulations shall be abbreviated if necessary  
9 to “The CACR.” B.

10 The Office of the United States Trade Representative shall be abbreviated  
11 if necessary to “The USTR.”

12           **SECTION 3.**     The United States Congress shall oversee the repealing of the  
13           Helms-Burton Act, Cuban Assets Control Regulations, and the Cuban  
14           Democracy Act. The USTR shall be tasked with foreign relations with Cuba to  
15           achieve the goals stated in Section 1.

16                   **SECTION 4.**     This act shall go into effect 90 days after passage.

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

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## A Resolution to Refine Child Protective Services

- 1   **WHEREAS,**   while poverty and child neglect are highly correlated and often impact  
2                   families simultaneously, poverty does not *cause* neglect; and
- 3   **WHEREAS,**   there is growing evidence that suggests there is a correlation between  
4                   child maltreatment reports and factors such as lower income,  
5                   neighborhood economic status, employment type, food insecurity, and  
6                   depression; and
- 7   **WHEREAS,**   poor and lower income families often lack the financial and material  
8                   resources to provide state-defined levels of adequate care, placing them  
9                   at higher risk of CPS involvement, particularly when dealing with  
10                  allegations of neglect; and
- 11   **WHEREAS,**   Poverty is often mistaken for neglect and addressing it as a significant  
12                  factor could result in lower child removal rates and higher reunification  
13                  and parental rights retention rates
- 14   **WHEREAS,**   providing aid to impoverished families can prevent their separation; now,  
15                  therefore, be it
- 16   **RESOLVED,**   That the Congress here assembled allocate \$1 billion annually to Child  
17                  Protective Services to be used to grant support for families in poverty to  
18                  better provide and care for their children.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Amarillo High School*

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### SECTION 3.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Snyder High School*



## The Genital Research Around Contraceptive Equality (G.R.A.C.E) Act

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States government shall push funding towards genital  
3 research for contraception, specifically focusing on efforts to expand  
4 access for male birth control methods. These methods, once approved,  
5 will available to the public through Planned Parenthood, which will also  
6 be receiving more federal funding to expand overall access to  
7 contraception.

8 **SECTION 2.** Birth control methods are defined as the use of medicines, devices, or  
9 surgery to prevent pregnancy.

10 **SECTION 3.** The FDA will oversee the research part of this legislation. They will  
11 provide funding for the research and spread it across multiple private  
12 research institutions. Funding towards Planned Parenthood will be  
13 centered based on state record.  
14 A. Funding for research will be 50 million dollars.  
15 B. The private research institutions in question will be chosen by the  
16 FDA.  
17 C. Funding towards Planned Parenthood will be increased by 100 million  
18 dollars.  
19 D. Funding will come from a 10% tax on nicotine products.

20 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2026. All laws in conflict with  
21 this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by San Angelo Central High School.*



## A Bill to Ban Diabetes Medication Use for Cosmetic Purposes to Decrease Medication Costs and Increase Accessibility for Diabetic Needs

BE IT ENACTED BY THIS NSDA CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. The United States Federal Government shall ban the use of Diabetes medicines for weight loss and/or cosmetic purposes instead of using FDA-approved weight loss drugs

SECTION 2. Diabetes medication shall be defined as FDA-approved drugs used to treat diabetes mellitus by decreasing glucose levels in the blood. This includes but is not limited to Ozempic, Mounjaro, and Trulicity. Cosmetic purposes shall be defined as an action for the purpose of beautifying, preserving, or conferring comeliness which includes but is not limited to weight loss.

SECTION 3. The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) shall oversee the implementation of this bill.

A. Individual states shall oversee the punishment given. B. Any disputed claims shall be determined by individual states.

SECTION 4. If a physician is charged with administering a prescription of diabetic medication instead of weight loss medication, he or she will have his or her medical license suspended for 28 days.

SECTION 5. Implementation will be June 2025. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Big Spring High School



# A Bill to Prohibit the Marketing of Prize-Based Content to Children Tied to Merchandise Purchases

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

**SECTION 1.** It shall be illegal to create and distribute online video content marketed towards children that offers entry into contests, giveaways, or prize opportunities in exchange for the purchase of merchandise associated with the content creator.

**SECTION 2.** A. "Content marketed towards children" refers to any online video content primarily designed for, or appealing to, audiences under the age of 13.

B. "Prize opportunities" refer to any form of sweepstakes, contests, raffles, or giveaways where a child may enter based on the purchase of merchandise.

C. "Merchandise" refers to any products, including but not limited to apparel, toys, accessories, or digital goods, that are sold directly by or on behalf of the content creator.

**SECTION 3.** The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) shall oversee the enforcement of this legislation and be empowered to issue fines and penalties for violations.

A. A first instance of illegal marketing shall result in a fine of up to \$50,000.

B. Subsequent violations may result in increased fines up to \$200,000 and potential restrictions on the content creator's ability to monetize content for a period of up to one year.

C. Video platforms hosting content directed at children must implement measures to identify and restrict any content creators engaging in activities that violate this legislation.

**SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2026.

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

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Tascosa High School*



**ARTICLE --**

**SECTION 5:** The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Amarillo High School*