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A Bill to Eliminate the Filibuster

1	BE IT ENACTED B	Y THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:
2	SECTION 1.	The filibuster shall no longer be permissible in the Senate. It is henceforth
3		banned from incorporation into the rules in either chamber of Congress.
4		Additionally, a supermajority shall not be required for cloture. Instead, a
5		simple majority will suffice to end debate and move to a vote.
6	SECTION 2.	This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.
7	SECTION 3.	All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Halt Construction of the White House Ballroom

1	BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:		
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2	SECTION 1.	Congress hereby orders all construction on the White House Ballroom to	
3		be immediately halted.	
4	SECTION 2.	Construction may only recommence if the Executive submits full and	
5		detailed plans to the National Capital Planning Commission (NCPC) and	
6		only then once the NCPC has approved those plans.	
7	SECTION 3.	Prior to any continuation of construction, the NCPC is instructed to work	
8		in conjunction with the Smithsonian Institution to assess the destruction	
9		wrought upon the historic East Wing, to do whatever possible to preserve	
10		the priceless elements and artifacts that remain that may be salvaged	
11		from that wing, and to see how the planned Ballroom might incorporate	
12		those elements and artifacts in a tasteful and meaningful manner. Those	
13		elements and artifacts that cannot be incorporated into the Ballroom	
14		shall be turned over to the Smithsonian Institution to be preserved for	
15		posterity.	
16	SECTION 4.	This legislation shall be overseen by the NCPC.	
17	SECTION 5.	This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.	
18	SECTION 6.	All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.	

A Bill to Repeal Obamacare

1	BE IT ENACTED BY	THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:
2	SECTION 1.	The Affordable Care Act (ACA, popularly known as Obamacare) is hereby
3		repealed. Any legislation built off the ACA is hereby repealed as well.
4		Effectively, federal healthcare policy shall revert to its status prior to
5		March 2010.
6	SECTION 2.	This legislation shall be overseen by the Department of Health and
7		Human Services.
8	SECTION 3.	This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2027.
9	SECTION 4.	All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Abolish Capital Punishment at the Federal Level

1	BE IT ENACTED BY	THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:
2	SECTION 1.	Capital punishment, also known as the death penalty, is hereby abolished
3		as punishment for any crime at the federal level.
4	SECTION 2.	Any individuals currently awaiting execution for federal crimes shall have
5		their sentences immediately commuted to life in prison without
6		possibility of parole.
7	SECTION 3.	This legislation shall be overseen by the Department of Justice.
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.