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A Resolution to Abolish Charter Schools

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **WHEREAS,** Charter school performance varies widely across states and studies show
- 2 mixed academic results; and
- 3 **WHEREAS,** Charter schools receive public funding while operating with more
- 4 autonomy than traditional public schools; and
- 5 **WHEREAS,** In some communities, charter school expansion can divert students and
- 6 funding from district schools; and
- 7 **WHEREAS,** To reduce the financial burden created by charter schools, public schools
- 8 are forced to cut budgets, reduce salaries, eliminate classes, and close; and
- 9 **WHEREAS,** Previous reform efforts have not resolved concerns about accountability,
- 10 equity, and financial impact; now, therefore, be it
- 11 **RESOLVED,** That Congress recommends the Department of Education develop a federal
- 12 framework to phase out charter schools by the 2027-2028 school year,
- 13 while transitioning students into district public schools.

A Bill to Abolish Plea Bargaining

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** Plea bargaining in federal criminal cases shall be prohibited.
- 2 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this Act, “plea bargaining” means any agreement in
- 3 which a defendant pleads guilty in exchange for a reduced charge, reduced
- 4 sentence recommendation, or dismissal of charges.
- 5 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Justice shall issue regulations to implement this act and
- 6 ensure compliance in all federal criminal prosecutions.
- 7 **SECTION 4.** This act shall take effect on January 1, 2028. All laws in conflict with this act
- 8 are hereby repealed.
- 9 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby repealed.

A Bill to Ban Corporate Acquisition of Single-Family Residences

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** All institutional investors are hereby prohibited from purchasing additional
2 single-family homes. Institutional investors currently holding such
3 properties must divest 20% of their portfolio annually to individual buyers
4 or non-profit housing groups.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** "Single-family residence" shall be defined as a detached housing unit
6 designed for one family. "Institutional investors" are defined as for-profit
7 entities owning more than 50 residential properties.
- 8 **SECTION 3.** The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) shall oversee enforcement. For each
9 violation, violators shall be fined 50% of the fair market value of the
10 prohibited acquisition.
- 11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1st, 2028. All laws in conflict with
12 this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Ban Political Action Committees

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** Political Action Committees, including Corporate PACs, Leadership PACs,
2 Super PACs, and Hybrid PACs, shall be prohibited from operating in federal
3 elections. Further, this Congress shall legislate to overrule *Citizens United v.*
4 *FEC* (2010) and eliminate corporate and non-profit expenditures that
5 directly advocate for the election or defeat of candidates.
- 6 **SECTION 2.** The term “Political Action Committee” or “PAC” shall be defined as a
7 tax-exempt organization under IRS Section 527 that receives campaign
8 contributions from its members to provide campaign funding for or against
9 candidates, ballot initiatives, or legislation.
- 10 **SECTION 3.** The Federal Election Commission (FEC) and the Internal Revenue Service
11 (IRS) shall be responsible for the enforcement and implementation of this
12 legislation.
- 13 A. The FEC shall be responsible for investigating violations and, on a
14 case-by-case basis, imposing civil penalties and other measures to
15 ensure compliance with the ban.
- 16 B. The IRS shall be responsible for revoking the tax-exempt status and
17 deregistering all PACs.
- 18 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2027.
- 19 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Ban Pharmaceutical Ads from Broadcasting on TV

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The broadcast or streaming of direct-to-consumer pharmaceutical
2 advertisements within the United States shall be prohibited.
- 3 **SECTION 2.** “Pharmaceutical advertisement” is defined as the promotion of any
4 medicinal drug from any pharmacy or medication brand.
- 5 **SECTION 3.** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Federal Communications
6 Commission (FCC) shall jointly oversee the implementation of this
7 legislation.
 - 8 A. The Food and Drug Administration shall enforce the advertising ban by
9 reviewing pharmaceutical promotions for compliance with this act.
 - 10 B. The Federal Communications Commission shall prohibit television and
11 streaming services from airing or distributing any advertisement barred
12 by this act.
 - 13 C. Those who already paid for and submitted an ad that will be banned
14 through this legislation shall be given a \$2,000 reimbursement grant.
- 15 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage.
- 16 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **SECTION 1.** The United States shall prohibit retail establishments from distributing
2 single-use plastic carryout bags.

3 **SECTION 2.** For purposes of this bill:

4 A. “Retail establishment” shall mean any business open to the public
5 that sells goods or services directly to consumers.

6 B. “Single-use plastic carryout bag” shall mean a bag made primarily
7 of plastic and intended for one-time use to transport purchased
8 goods from a retail establishment.

9 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Commerce, in coordination with the Environmental
10 Protection Agency, shall establish and oversee implementation standards
11 for this legislation. This shall include guidance for retail establishments
12 transitioning to reusable, paper, or other environmentally preferable
13 alternatives.

14 **SECTION 4.** Retail establishments found in violation of this legislation after the
15 implementation date shall receive a written warning for the first offense.
16 Subsequent violations may result in a civil fine of up to \$10,000 per
17 violation, as determined by the Department of Commerce.

18 **SECTION 5.** Funds collected from fines shall be used to support environmental cleanup
19 and waste reduction programs.

20 **SECTION 6.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2028.

21 **SECTION 7.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Ban the Use of Private Military Contractors

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The United States Department of War and all other federal agencies shall
2 be prohibited from entering into or renewing contracts with private
3 military contractors for armed combat operations in foreign countries.
- 4 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this act, a “private military contractor” is any individual
5 or company hired by the federal government to provide armed combat
6 services, offensive military support, or battlefield security in a foreign
7 country for financial compensation.
- 8 **SECTION 3.** The Department of War shall terminate all covered contracts within 180
9 days of enactment and shall submit a report to Congress listing all
10 terminated agreements, personnel affected, and replacement plans for any
11 mission-critical functions.
- 12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2028.
- 13 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby repealed.

A Bill to Ban Stock Trading by Members of Congress

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** Members of Congress shall not buy, sell, or otherwise trade covered
2 financial instruments while serving in office. "Covered financial
3 instruments" shall include individual stocks, securities, commodities,
4 futures, options, and derivative products.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** Within 120 days of enactment, Members of Congress shall place any
6 covered financial instruments into a qualified blind trust or divest them.
7 Assets that cannot be placed in a blind trust shall be divested.
- 8 **SECTION 3.** The House Ethics Committee and the Senate Ethics Committee, with
9 support from the Securities and Exchange Commission, shall enforce this
10 act and may impose civil penalties for violations.
- 11 **SECTION 4.** This act shall take effect 90 days after enactment.
- 12 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Establish a Carbon Tax to Solve the Climate Change Crisis

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** This bill will enact a \$ 75-per-ton carbon tax on all corporations that emit
2 more than 10 metric tons of carbon per year.

3 **SECTION 2.** A carbon tax is a tax levied on carbon emissions. A corporation will be
4 defined as any company or group of people authorized to act as a single
5 entity and recognized as such by law.

6 **SECTION 3.** The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Internal Revenue
7 Service (IRS) will oversee the enforcement of this legislation. The collected
8 tax revenue will be allocated to the Department of Energy to subsidize the
9 cost of developing renewable energy sources and to invest in the national
10 power grid to enhance its compatibility with the renewable sector.

11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2028.

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

A Bill to Demilitarize the Police

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The Department of War's 1033 Program shall be terminated.
- 2 **SECTION 2.** The Department of War shall immediately stop transferring military
3 equipment to state and local law enforcement agencies, including armored
4 vehicles, military firearms and ammunition, explosives, surveillance drones,
5 and other equipment designed for combat rather than civilian policing.
- 6 **SECTION 3.** Within one year of enactment, all state and local law enforcement agencies
7 that received equipment through the 1033 Program shall return that
8 equipment to the Department of War.
- 9 **SECTION 4.** Law enforcement agencies shall be prohibited from using federal funds to
10 purchase military-grade equipment from private defense contractors.
- 11 **SECTION 5.** Federal grants previously used for police militarization shall be redirected
12 to community violence prevention, mental health crisis response,
13 de-escalation training, anti-bias training, and civilian oversight programs.
- 14 **SECTION 6.** The Department of Justice shall publish a compliance report within one
15 year of enactment detailing equipment returned, violations, and the
16 effectiveness of the new public safety programs. Agencies that fail to
17 comply shall become ineligible for federal policing grants until compliance
18 is achieved.
- 19 **SECTION 7.** This act shall take effect immediately and shall be fully implemented within
20 one year of enactment.

A Bill to End Petroleum Subsidization

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** All current subsidies for the petroleum industry issued by the federal
2 government are hereby rescinded, and no further subsidies shall be issued
3 while this act is in effect. Furthermore, states are encouraged to follow suit
4 in rescinding such subsidies.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** Subsidies for the petroleum industry are considered for the purposes of
6 this bill to be all direct subsidies, tax credits, price reductions, and
7 overvalued contracts providing for and/or promoting the production
8 and/or refining of petroleum and petroleum products.
- 9 **SECTION 3.** Contracts issued by the government for petroleum products are not
10 considered subsidies under this bill unless said contracts either pay the
11 corporations substantially more than the market value at the time of
12 signing or pay based on the production of said products rather than the
13 receipt of said products by the government.
- 14 **SECTION 4.** The implementation and enforcement of this legislation shall be overseen
15 in a cooperative effort between the Internal Revenue Service and the
16 Department of Energy.
- 17 **SECTION 5.** This legislation will take effect in the fiscal year of 2027.
- 18 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Amend the Fair Labor Standards Act to Reduce the Work Week to Thirty-Two Hours

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The Fair Labor Standards Act is amended by altering its standard work
2 week of forty hours, as determined in 29 U.S. Code § 207, to instead be
3 thirty-two hours. No part of this legislation shall be taken to alter any other
4 portion of the Fair Labor Standards Act. All other references or provisions
5 in law referring to the standard forty-hour workweek shall be duly altered
6 and considered to refer to a thirty-two-hour work week.
- 7 **SECTION 2.** This legislation shall be implemented by the Department of Labor.
- 8 **SECTION 3.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2027. All laws in conflict with
9 this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
- 10 **SECTION 4.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Establish a Federal Election Holiday

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** Election Day, as established under federal law, shall be designated as a
2 federal holiday.
- 3 **SECTION 2.** For purposes of this bill:
- 4 A. “Employer” shall mean any private or public business, organization,
5 or institution employing workers within the United States.
- 6 B. “Reasonable time to vote” shall mean a sufficient period during
7 regularly scheduled working hours, determined by the employer, for
8 an employee to travel to, vote, and return to work without loss of
9 pay.
- 10 C. “Election Day” shall mean the Tuesday after the first Monday in
11 November of each year in which a federal general election is held.
- 12 **SECTION 3.** Employers shall provide employees reasonable time off to vote on Federal
13 Election Day if the employee’s work schedule would otherwise prevent
14 voting. Employers are encouraged to close operations where feasible to
15 allow employees to participate in the electoral process.
- 16 **SECTION 4.** The Department of Labor shall oversee implementation and enforcement
17 of this legislation. Necessary funds for implementation shall be
18 appropriated from Congress.
- 19 **SECTION 5.** Violations of this legislation shall result in a civil fine of up to \$5,000 per
20 violation, with additional penalties for repeated or willful noncompliance.
- 21 **SECTION 6.** This legislation shall take effect for the 2027 election cycle.
- 22 **SECTION 7.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Introduce a National Identification Card

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The United States shall implement a system of federally issued
2 identification cards to replace all other state-issued identification cards,
3 including but not limited to drivers' licenses and learners' permits.
- 4 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this Act, identification cards shall be defined as physical
5 government-issued documents for the purpose of proving the identities of
6 citizens.
- 7 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall be overseen and enforced by the Department of
8 Homeland Security. Funding for the enforcement of this legislation shall be
9 derived from increased taxes on states, territories, and federal districts,
10 equivalent to their former budgets, to produce identification cards or
11 documents.
- 12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on October 1, 2027.
- 13 **SECTION 5.** All existing laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and
14 void.

A Bill to Hasten a Transition to Nuclear Energy Technologies

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The United States shall hereby designate \$450 billion annually for the next
2 30 years for the purpose of building a total of 6 petawatt-hours of annual
3 electrical generation capacity in nuclear fission reactors. In addition, a
4 one-time fund of \$25 billion will be designated to construct a deep
5 geological repository for transuranic waste capable of storing a minimum of
6 50 years of waste at the maximum waste production rate of fission
7 reactors.
- 8 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this Act:
- 9 A. A “nuclear fission reactor “ shall be defined as an electrical generation
10 facility that utilizes the controlled fission of uranium molecules to
11 produce electricity.
- 12 B. “Deep geological repository” shall be defined as a storage facility for
13 the purpose of securely containing waste underground for a minimum
14 period of 1,000 years.
- 15 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall be overseen and enforced by the Department of
16 Energy.
- 17 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect in fiscal year 2028.
- 18 **SECTION 5.** All existing laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and
19 void.

A Bill to Subsidize the Production of Electric Vehicles

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The federal government shall establish a \$50 billion grant program to
2 support the domestic production of electric vehicles and critical EV
3 components.
- 4 **SECTION 2.** Eligible recipients shall include automobile manufacturers and parts
5 suppliers that produce electric vehicles or approved components within the
6 United States.
- 7 **SECTION 3.** The \$50 billion funding for this legislation shall be appropriated from the
8 Department of War's Fiscal Year 2027 budget to carry out this act. The U.S.
9 Department of Energy shall implement and oversee this legislation.
- 10 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage.
- 11 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Tax the Wealthy

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** The Internal Revenue Code shall be amended to add the following marginal
- 2 income tax brackets for taxable income earned by individuals beginning
- 3 January 1, 2027:
- 4 A. 45 percent on taxable income over \$5,000,000 for single filers and
- 5 over \$7,000,000 for married couples filing jointly, and
- 6 B. 55 percent on taxable income over \$15,000,000 for single filers and
- 7 over \$18,000,000 for married couples filing jointly.
- 8 **SECTION 2.** These rates shall apply only to income within the above ranges and shall
- 9 not apply retroactively to all taxable income.
- 10 **SECTION 3.** The Internal Revenue Service shall administer and enforce this act.
- 11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2027.
- 12 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

A Bill to Establish a Universal Basic Income

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HEREIN ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **SECTION 1.** The Department of the Treasury shall establish a universal basic income
2 program providing a monthly cash payment of \$1,000 to all U.S. citizens
3 aged 18 through 64.

4 **SECTION 2.** The Social Security Administration shall ensure that no U.S. citizen age 65
5 or older receives less than \$1,000 per month in total Social Security
6 benefits.

7 **SECTION 3.** To fund this program, the Internal Revenue Service shall implement an
8 annual tax on net wealth above \$50 million at a rate of 4 percent, and
9 above \$1 billion at a rate of 5 percent. Net wealth shall mean total assets
10 minus liabilities, as determined by IRS regulations.

11 **SECTION 4.** The Department of the Treasury and the Internal Revenue Service shall
12 administer and enforce this Act.

13 **SECTION 5.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2028. The Treasury
14 Department shall issue necessary regulations within 180 days of
15 enactment.

16 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby repealed.