# A BILL TO STOP IMPORTS OF OIL FROM VENEZUELA

- 1 Section 1. The importation of any petroleum product from the republic
- 2 of Venezuela is hereby prohibited.
- 3. Section 2. The Congress shall have the power to enforce this prohibition
- 4 with appropriate legislation.
- 5. Section 3. This bill shall come into effect at the beginning of the first fiscal
- 6 year after its passage.

Respectfully submitted, Catholic Memorial High School

# A Resolution to Protect Organized Labor

Whereas: The Taft-Hartley Act has hurt organized labor, and

Whereas: organized labor is a crucial part of the American society and must be protected

Whereas: It has allowed for increased executive tyranny in the workplace so,

Therefore be it resolved by this student congress here assembled that:

The Taft-Hartley Act be repealed immediately upon passage of this resolution.

Respectively Submitted,

Acton-Boxborough Regional High School

### A Resolution to the Dead Zone in the Gulf of Mexico

- 1. **Whereas,** Chemical Fertilizers created excess nutrients, like nitrogen or phosphate, that
- 2. get carried into the Mississippi, which empties into the Gulf Of Mexico.
- 3. Whereas, these elements promote the growth of algae and plankton, which deplete the
- 4. supply of oxygen into a hypoxic level.
- 5. Whereas, little to no organisms can survive in these waters, including fish.
- 6. Whereas, no fish in the Gulf of Mexico negatively effects commercial fishermen.
- 7. Be it Further Resolved That, All land area located in the drainage basin of the
- 8. Mississippi is no longer allowed to use chemical fertilizer for crops, which will be
- 9. enforced by the EPA

Respectfully submitted,

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#### A Resolution to Make AMERICA

- 1. Whereas, the federal bureaucracy has become overrun with red tape, and
- 2. Whereas, bureaucratic agencies often fail to act in the best interest of American
- 3. citizens, and
- 4. Whereas, a more unified structure would reduce corruption and confusion,
- 5. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THIS STUDENT CONGRESS HERE
- 6. ASSEMBLED that the Armed forces, Medical related policies, Education and
- 7. Environment, **R**ewards to Veterans, **I**nterior and **I**nternational affairs, **C**ash, currency,
- 8. and economy, and Agriculture commission be created, taking over the responsibilities of
- 9. all current federal bureaucratic agencies.

Respectfully submitted, Needham High School

#### A Bill to Promote Art

- 1. Section One: No state shall be allowed to offer tax credits to the for-profit movie
- 2. industry.
- 3. Section Two: Any state which grants tax credits to the for-profit movie industry shall
- 4. be banned from receiving grants from the National Endowment for the Arts to any
- 5. group within state borders.
- 6. Section Three: The National Endowment for the Arts shall be allocated one
- 7. hundred million dollars towards construction of homes for local arts agencies, with
- 8. minimum seating for two hundred people.
- 9. Section Three: This legislation shall be enforced by the applicable agencies.
- 10.Section Four: This legislation shall take effect for the tax year following passage

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### Needham Tournament Super Scenario

"A Serious Man" (or a chamber of Congress people) is needed to address the dire situation breaking out under the "Precious" Hollywood sign. A dangerous group known as **A V**ery **A**ngry **T**eam **A**gainst **R**ewards is protesting the decision to add five more movies to this year's Academy Awards "Best Film" nominations. The *Los Angeles Times* is reporting that the city will continue to be "Blind Side'(ed) by the mob's violence and vandalism in the streets of Los Angeles so long as Congress remains 'Up in the Air' about what they plan to do to combat these attacks. Without action, LA will become a 'Hurt Locker." Barbara Lee of California's 'District 9' says that "What Congress does is 'Up' to them, but anyone with 'An Education' can tell you that my fellow Californians to the south are caught in the 'Inglorious' workings of a group that has the intentions of making a political statement about the state of film. While many of us believe that the additions will turn the United States into a 'Nanny State' where everyone gets an Oscar shaped trophy, their aggression is uncalled for."

## Updates:

- 1) AVATAR has begun to protest outside of the home of Katherine Bigelow, proclaiming "We're gonna let you finish, but James Cameron made one of the best movies of all time, of all time!" and is threatening to wreak havoc on her section of the city.
- 2) It appears Sandra Bullock has been kidnapping children with football related dreams by sneaking up on their Blind Side. Strangely enough, many of them are named Steve. It appears she is no longer Miss Congeniality.