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101. A BILL TO END THE MALICIOUS USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

1 SECTION 1. The use of artificial intelligence to mimic the voice of an individual shall
2 be forbidden unless written consent is given by an individual or their
3 estate.

4 A. Artificial intelligence shall not be used to mimic the voice of an
5 individual who is a legal minor.

6 B. The use of artificial intelligence to defame the character of an
7 individual shall carry the same penalty as defamation would in any
8 other instance.

9 SECTION 2. Artificial intelligence shall be defined as a machine-based system that
10 uses machine and human-based inputs to produce outputs in
11 human-defined parameters that include text, images, and audio.
12 Mimicking, for the purposes of this legislation, shall be defined as
13 copying or imitating speech in a manner that bears little to no difference
14 to actual speech.

15 SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect on July 1, 2024.

16 SECTION 4. The Federal Trade Commission shall be responsible for enforcing this
17 legislation.

18 SECTION 5. All other laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

Respectfully submitted,
Wellington High School

102. A BILL TO ESTABLISH A NATIONAL HOSPITAL SYSTEM

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

- 1 SECTION 1. A national hospital system will be established in order to enhance
2 accessibility and affordability for everyone in the United States.
- 3 SECTION 2. In each state, at least one hospital will be registered with the American
4 Hospital Administration (AHA). Pricing at the hospitals will be the lowest
5 price in the market.
- 6 SECTION 3. The National Hospital Service (NHPS) will be formed by Congress to
7 oversee the administration of this bill. The Secretary of Health and
8 Human Services will regulate the NHPS.
- 9 SECTION 4. Five hospitals will be constructed every five years in different states until
10 all 50 states have a federal hospital. This legislation shall take effect
11 January 1, 2025 and must be completed by December 31, 2075.
- 12 SECTION 5. All other laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

Respectfully submitted,
Okeechobee Schools

103. A BILL TO PROMOTE THE CONSTRUCTION OF RING ROUTES IN PUBLIC TRANSIT SYSTEMS

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

- 1 SECTION 1. Over the course of the next decade, Congress shall apportion an
2 additional \$10 billion to the Department of Transportation for the
3 express purpose of supporting the nation’s urban areas in adding ring
4 routes to their public transit systems.
- 5 SECTION 2. A ring route is defined as a line of urban rail transit that connects
6 non-central neighborhoods of a city without traversing the city center.
- 7 SECTION 3. Funding for this legislation shall be sourced from a 0.5% tax increase on
8 the annual revenue of the fossil fuel industry.
- 9 SECTION 4. The Department of Transportation shall be tasked with implementation
10 of this legislation including setting up a process by which local public
11 transit systems may apply for and receive these funds. The Internal
12 Revenue Service shall oversee the implementation of Section 3.
- 13 SECTION 5. This legislation shall take effect at the start of the next fiscal year. All
14 other laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

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104. A RESOLUTION TO CONDEMN FEDERAL PUBLIC LAND ORDER NO. 7923

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

1 WHEREAS, Many of this nation’s Indigenous tribes rely on resource extraction to
2 support their economies; and
3 WHEREAS, Federal Public Land Order No. 7923 for Public Lands Withdrawal
4 Surrounding Chaco Culture National Historical Park Boundary (FPLO
5 7923) robs the affected tribes of their right to decide what amount of
6 resource extraction, if any, is appropriate and necessary in their
7 territories; and
8 WHEREAS, The Bureau of Land Management (BLM), in carrying out this order, is
9 adding to centuries of paternalism and condescension against this
10 nation’s Indigenous Peoples; and
11 WHEREAS, It is particularly ironic and insulting for an agency of the United States
12 federal government to make environmental decisions on behalf of
13 Indigenous Peoples; and
14 WHEREAS, This order has consequently met much criticism and controversy from
15 Indigenous Peoples of the Southwest; now, therefore be it
16 RESOLVED, by the Congress here assembled that FLPO 7923 is condemned, not for
17 its efforts to protect cultural heritage, but for its failure to afford
18 Indigenous Peoples critical autonomy over their tribal lands; and be it
19 FURTHER that Congress implores the BLM to rescind this order immediately; and
20 RESOLVED, be it
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22 FURTHER that Congress calls on all federal agencies to work harder to avoid
23 RESOLVED, exercising their powers relative to Indigenous Peoples in paternalistic
24 ways; and be it
25 FURTHER that Congress also condemns and calls for the rescission of New Mexico
26 RESOLVED, Executive Order No. 2023-002 Extending the Moratorium on New Oil and
27 Gas and Mineral Leasing in Greater Chaco Area for similar reasons.

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**105. A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION TO CLARIFY
PRESIDENTIAL POWERS RELATIVE TO TREATIES**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

1 RESOLVED, That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the
2 Constitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all intents and
3 purposes as part of the Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of
4 three-fourths of the several states within seven years from the date of its
5 submission by the Congress:

6 ARTICLE —

7 SECTION 1. Although, per Article II, Section II, of the Constitution, the President shall
8 still require the consent of two-thirds of the Senate to make or enter a
9 treaty, no such Congressional consent shall be required should the
10 President wish to withdraw from a treaty.

11 SECTION 2. The President is, nevertheless, encouraged to seek and heed the advice
12 of the Senate when considering withdrawal from a treaty.

13 SECTION 3. The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate
14 legislation.

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106. AN ACT TO AWARD A POSTHUMOUS CONGRESSIONAL GOLD MEDAL TO HENRY KISSINGER

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

- 1 SECTION 1. The Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro
2 Tempore of the Senate shall make appropriate arrangements for the
3 posthumous award, on behalf of Congress, of a gold medal of
4 appropriate design to Henry Kissinger, in recognition of his exceptionally
5 consequential service to the United States as Secretary of State and
6 National Security Advisor for two separate administrations, as Chair of
7 the 9/11 Commission, and in many other capacities.
- 8 SECTION 2. As soon as may be arranged, this award shall be presented to Henry
9 Kissinger’s widow, Nancy Kissinger, at a ceremony planned for this
10 purpose.
- 11 SECTION 3. For the purpose of the award referred to in Section 1, the Secretary of
12 the Treasury (referred to in this Act as the “Secretary”) shall strike a gold
13 medal with suitable emblems, devices, and inscriptions to be determined
14 by the Secretary.
- 15 SECTION 4. There is authorized to be charged against the United States Mint Public
16 Enterprise Fund such amounts as may be necessary to pay for the costs
17 of the medals struck under this Act. The Secretary may strike and sell
18 duplicates in bronze of the gold medal described in Section 2 under such
19 regulations as the Secretary may prescribe, at a price sufficient to cover
20 the cost thereof, including labor, materials, dyes, use of machinery, and
21 overhead expenses, and the cost of the gold medal. The amounts
22 received from the sale of duplicate medals shall be deposited in the
23 United States Mint Public Enterprise Fund.

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