

## A Bill to Implement Stricter Environmental Regulations on Carbon Emissions

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1           **SECTION 1.** This bill proposes the implementation of stricter  
2           environmental regulations targeting carbon emissions to mitigate climate  
3           change and reduce the impact of greenhouse gasses on the environment.

4           **SECTION 2.** Carbon emissions refer to the release of carbon dioxide  
5           (CO<sub>2</sub>) and other greenhouse gasses into the atmosphere as a result of  
6           human activities, primarily the burning of fossil fuels such as coal, oil, and  
7           natural gas.

8           **SECTION 3.** The EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) would be  
9           responsible for implementing and enforcing regulations related to carbon  
10          emissions. This would involve monitoring emissions from various sources,  
11          such as power plants, factories, and vehicles, to ensure compliance with  
12          emission standards set forth in the legislation.

13          **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on December 8th, 2024. All  
14          laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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## A Bill to Reform the Criminal Justice System to Address Recidivism

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1           **SECTION 1.** This bill proposes significant reforms to the criminal justice  
2           system aimed at reducing recidivism rates among individuals with prior  
3           convictions. It includes provisions for expanding access to rehabilitation  
4           programs, such as education, vocational training, and substance abuse  
5           treatment, both during incarceration and after release.

6           **SECTION 2.** Recidivism is when a person who has been convicted of a  
7           crime commits another crime after being punished or released from prison.  
8           It's a measure of the likelihood of someone returning to criminal behavior.

9           **SECTION 3.** The Department of Justice (DOJ) will be incharge of  
10          monitoring the implementation of the bill's provisions to ensure  
11          compliance and effectiveness. This may involve collecting data, conducting  
12          evaluations, and reporting on outcomes related to recidivism rates and the  
13          impact of rehabilitation programs.

14          **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on February 8, 2034. All laws in  
15          conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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## A Bill to Regulate Social Media Platforms to Combat Propaganda

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1                   **SECTION 1:** The bill mandates transparency measures, such as disclosure  
2                   of algorithms and data practices, to enhance accountability and enable  
3                   users to make informed decisions about their online interactions.

4                   **SECTION 2.** "Propaganda" refers to misleading or false information  
5                   disseminated through social media platforms with the intention of  
6                   influencing public opinion, promoting particular ideologies, or advancing  
7                   specific agendas.

8                   **SECTION 3.** The Federal Communications Commission (FCC): The FCC has  
9                   authority over telecommunications and could be involved in regulating  
10                  aspects of social media platforms that involve communication networks or  
11                  infrastructure.

12                  **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on July 8th, 2024. All laws in  
13                  conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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## A Bill to Expand Affirmative Action in Federal Contracting to Enhance Workplace Diversity

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1           **SECTION 1.** This bill proposes to amend existing federal contracting  
2 regulations to strengthen affirmative action requirements for federal  
3 contractors and subcontractors.

4           **SECTION 2.** Affirmative action means to promote diversity, and create  
5 equal opportunities for individuals who have been historically marginalized  
6 or underrepresented due to factors such as race, gender, ethnicity,  
7 disability, or socioeconomic status.

8           **SECTION 3.** U.S. Department of Labor's Office of Federal Contract  
9 Compliance Programs (OFCCP) or the U.S. General Services Administration  
10 (GSA) will be incharge in order to enforce this bill in the workforce

11           A. These agencies will be incharge of Developing and implementing  
12 guidelines for affirmative action requirements in federal contracting.

13           B. Collecting and analyzing data to evaluate the effectiveness of  
14 affirmative action initiatives in promoting workplace diversity and equal  
15 opportunity.

16           **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on February 8, 2027. All laws  
17 in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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## A Resolution to add a legal protection of service dogs in religious spaces to the Americans with Disabilities Act

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**WHEREAS**, The Americans with Disabilities Act was created as a law to protect disabled Americans from ability-driven discrimination; and

**WHEREAS**, Religious organizations are legally allowed to deny entry to people based off of ability, thus resulting in individuals practicing their faith in religious spaces without possible life-saving accommodations; and

**WHEREAS**, The ADA states that organizations can only deny service dog entry in most spaces on the grounds of them “fundamentally altering” the nature of the provided services and/or being “out of control”; and

**WHEREAS**, The ADA can be more effective in its mission by addressing this form of discrimination; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Congress here assembled adds a legal protection against the discrimination of service dogs and their users in religious spaces under the American with Disabilities Act; and, be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That religious organizations should henceforth not be exempt from the legal protection when committing discrimination under the ideology of the separation of church and state.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by the Overland High School Accessibility Committee.*

## A Bill to Restrict Fast Fashion Imports from Other Countries

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1                   **SECTION 1.** This bill will reduce the frequency of “fast fashion” imports in  
2                   order to reduce demand for such products, thus preventing further  
3                   environmental damage.

4                   **SECTION 2.** Fast fashion is defined as “inexpensive clothing produced  
5                   rapidly by mass-market retailers in response to the latest trends”. “Fast  
6                   fashion” often takes unethical means to mass produce their items.

7                   **SECTION 3.** The U.S. Customs and Border Protection will be overseeing  
8                   the implementation of this bill.

9                   **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on March 3, 2024. All laws in  
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*Introduced for Congressional Debate by the Overland High School Customs and Border Protection.*

## A Bill to remove speed limits on the Interstate Highway System

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1           **SECTION 1.** Drivers with an active and validated driver's license will no  
2 longer have to abide by speed limits while driving on the Interstate  
3 Highway System.

4           **SECTION 2.** Speed limits set the legal maximum speed at which vehicles  
5 may travel on a given stretch of road.

6           **SECTION 3.** The U.S. Department of Transportation's Federal Highway  
7 Administration will oversee enforcement of this bill.

8           A. To ensure the safety of all drivers and passengers, a driver will adhere  
9 to the Left-Lane Law which states that a driver cannot be in the  
10 left-lane unless they are passing another vehicle in the right lane or  
11 traffic is congested to the point where the driver cannot enter the right  
12 lane. This Left-Lane Law will be enforced by local law enforcement.

13          B. Advisory speed signs will be posted for a given stretch of road, but the  
14 speed listed will not be enforced.

15          **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on July 1, 2025. All laws in  
16 conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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## A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Establish the United States as a Constitutional Monarchy

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**RESOLVED,** By two-thirds of the Congress here assembled, that the following article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states within seven years from the date of its submission by the Congress:

### **ARTICLE --**

**SECTION 1:** All United States states and territories shall initially vote for somebody to start the royal line, and whoever has the majority popular vote shall be labeled the current King of the United States of America. Henceforth, the president shall be replaced with the King position, and term limits shall be abolished. The next in line to inherit the throne shall be the offspring of the King, and presuming the King has no offspring, it shall be the nearest blood-related living relative of the King. All duties and responsibilities of the president shall be inherited by the current King at the time.

**SECTION 2:** The 14th Amendment of the United States of America shall hereby be repealed.

**SECTION 3:** Congress shall have the power to enforce this article by appropriate pieces of legislation.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Eaglecrest High School.*



## A Bill to prohibit toxic chemicals in the manufacturing of consumable products

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1           **SECTION 1.** Consumable Products such as silverware, cups, plates and  
2           other items intended to be touched by your mouth should be prohibited  
3           from being sold to people if lead is used in the manufacturing process.

4           **SECTION 2.** Lead in its various forms poses several dangers to human  
5           health and the environment due to its toxicity.

6           **SECTION 3.** The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)  
7           will enforce this bill.

8           A. Silverware items that are intended to come into contact with your  
9           mouth should be prohibited if lead is used in the manufacturing  
10          process in order to protect users from chemicals that may harm their  
11          health. There have been various health conditions linked to the  
12          chemical known as "lead" such as cardiovascular disease, bone and  
13          joint problems, anemia, and more.

14          B. The U.S Department of Health should see to it that the manufacturing  
15          of such products should not be sold in retailer shops.

16          **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on February 6, 2025. All laws  
17          in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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## A Bill to Mitigate Product Waste by Requiring Stores to Donate all Excess Viable Products

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1           **SECTION 1.** In instances where many retail stores would destroy  
2           and/or throw away unsold merchandise, all products still safe to use for  
3           their intended purpose are to be donated to local homeless shelters.

4           **SECTION 2.** All products not intended for destruction or disposal are  
5           not required to be donated. Specifically, the products must be  
6           “determin[ed] to...a particular act or to act in a particular manner for a  
7           specific reason”.

8           **SECTION 3.** The Consumer Product Safety Commission will oversee  
9           the implementation of this bill.

10          A. All “safe” products can be classified under the regulations and  
11          standards set by the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

12          B. Compliance will be monitored and regulated within the commission.  
13          Those in violation will be fined \$1,000 per pound of mis-regulated  
14          merchandise.

15          **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on April 4th, 2024. All laws  
16          in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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## A Bill to Extend Public WiFi Coverage to Parks

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1                   **SECTION 1.**    This bill will implement free public WiFi coverage to parks  
2                   throughout the United States.

3                   **SECTION 2.**    A park is defined as a large public green area in a town or  
4                   city used for recreation.

5                   **SECTION 3.**    The National Recreation and Park Association will oversee  
6                   the implementation of this bill.

7                   A. The WiFi that is provided will run at the speed of 2.4 GHz.

8                   B. The WiFi that is provided must be accessible by all wireless devices with  
9                   Bluetooth capability.

10                  **SECTION 4.**    This legislation will take effect on January 1st, 2025, and all  
11                  parks in these United States will provide free public WiFi by January 1st,  
12                  2029. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and  
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*Introduced for Congressional Debate by the Overland High School Recreation and Park Association.*

## A Bill to Implement a Four-Day School Week in Public Schools

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1                   **SECTION 1.**    This bill will require all public education institutions in these  
2                   United States to implement a four-day school week.

3                   **SECTION 2.**    A public school is a school that is supported by public funds.  
4                   Four-day school weeks consist of four continuous days separated by  
5                   three-day weekends.

6                   **SECTION 3.**    The U.S. Department of Education will oversee the  
7                   implementation of this bill. All public education institutions grades K-12 will  
8                   be required to follow this implementation.

9                   **SECTION 4.**    This legislation will take effect on July 1st, 2028. All laws in  
10                  conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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