A Bill to Ensure No Taxation Without Representation

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

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SECTION 1. The process of granting admission to Washington, D.C., into the Union 2 shall commence. The principal federal monuments, the White House, the 3 Capitol Building, the United States Supreme Court Building, and the 4 Federal executive, legislative, and judicial office buildings shall remain an 5 independent district per clause 17 of section 8 of Article I of the 6 Constitution of the United States. The Council of the District of Columbia 7 and the Executive Office of the Mayor shall 1) conduct an accurate land 8 survey of the territory to determine the precise boundaries of the new 9 state, 2) draft a state constitution and submit it to voters for approval, 3) 10 conduct elections necessary to fill seats in the U.S. House of 11 Representatives and Senate, 3) submit a new or modified name for the 12 state and submit it to voters for approval, 4) transfer administrative 13 offices, personnel, and resources to the newly established state, and 5) 14 fulfill duties and responsibilities established by the United States House 15 Committee on Oversight and Accountability 16 SECTION 2. "Washington, D.C." means the 68 mi² area on the Potomac River that 17 serves as the capital city of the United States. 18 SECTION 3. United States House Committee on Oversight and Accountability will be 19 responsible for the oversight and enforcement of this law. The Council of 20 the District of Columbia and the Executive Office of the Mayor shall 21 coordinate the transition to statehood. 22 SECTION 4. This legislation will take effect upon ratification. All laws in conflict with 23 this legislation are hereby declared null and void. 24

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A Bill to Increase Online Safety

1	BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:	
2	SECTION 1.	All social media platforms are hereby required to provide settings
3		restricting access to minors' personal data and privacy tools for parents
4		and guardians to supervise minors' use of a platform.
5	SECTION 2.	A "minor" means a person who is 17 years old or younger.
6		A "social media platform" means an internet technology that enables
7		users to create and share content and participate in social networking.
8		Examples include, but are not limited to, Facebook, YouTube, WhatsApp,
9		and Instagram.
10		"Personal data and privacy tool" means computer programs that include,
11		but are not limited to, privacy checkups, private browsing modes, custom
12		audience settings, data download tools, deletion tools, encryption, virtua
13		private networks (VPS), and two-factor authentication.
14	SECTION 3.	The U.S. Department of Justice and the Federal Communication
15		Commission shall be responsible for the oversight and enforcement of
16		this law.
17	SECTION 4.	The requirements of this legislation must be completed by August 1,
18		2025. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and
19		void.
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A Bill to Protect Women and Girls in Sports

1	BE IT ENACTE	D BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2	SECTION 1.	All recipients of federal funding or tax-exempted status who operate or
3		sponsor athletic programs or activities are hereby prohibited from
4		allowing a person whose biological sex is male to participate in an athleti
5		program or activity that is designated for biological women or girls.
6		Individuals born with a genetically or biochemically verifiable disorder of
7		sex development, including, but not limited to the following: 46, XX and
8		XY disorders of sex development, sex chromosome disorder of sex
9		development, XX or XY sex reversal, and ovotesticular disorder are
.0		exempted from this legislation.
1	SECTION 2.	"Federal funding" means any loans, grants, and direct and indirect
.2		transfer of funds from Congressional action, executive order, or
13		discretionary or programmatic spending by a federal agency.
L 4		"Tax-exempted status" means a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation or
15		charitable organization.
16		"Sex" means the classification of a person as either female or male based
17		on the organization of the body of such person for a specific reproductive
18		role, as indicated by the person's sex chromosomes, naturally occurring
19		sex hormones, and internal and external genitalia present at birth.
20	SECTION 3.	The U.S. Department of Education shall be responsible for the oversight
21		and enforcement of this law in all educational institutions. The U.S.
22		Department of Justice shall be responsible for oversight and enforcement
23		of this law in all amateur, semi-professional, and professional athletic
24		associations.
25	SECTION 4.	This legislation will take effect immediately upon ratification. All laws in
26		conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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A Bill to Secure the Southern Border

1	BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:	
2	SECTION 1.	The Department of Homeland Security shall resume constructing a wall
3		along the border of the United States and Mexico.
4	SECTION 2.	The "Mexico-United States border" means a 1,954-mile international
5		border that extends from the Pacific Ocean to the Gulf of Mexico.
6		"Border wall" is a physical barrier that includes reinforced fencing and
7		levee walls.
8	SECTION 3.	The U.S. Department of Homeland Security will be responsible for the
9 10 11 12		oversight and enforcement of this law.1. Congress shall authorize \$3 billion per year to the Department of Homeland Security for the next ten fiscal years to fulfill the requirements of this legislation.
13	SECTION 4.	This legislation will take effect immediately upon ratification. All laws in
14		conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
	Introduced for	Congressional Dehate by

A Bill to Guarantee Fee Fairness and Transparency

1	BE IT ENACTE	D BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2	SECTION 1.	All ticketing services shall display the total price of the offered good or
3		service in each advertisement and when the price is shown to the
4		consumer before, during, and after a transaction.
5	SECTION 2.	"Total price" means all mandatory fees incurred by the consumer,
6		including, but not limited to, transaction fees, service fees, order
7		processing fees, delivery charges, facility charges, and resale fees.
8		An "advertisement" means any physical or online display of event
9		information that solicits consumers to purchase a product or service.
10		A "ticketing service" means a ticket sales, distribution, and resale
11		company. Examples include, but are not limited to, Ticketmaster,
12		SeatGeek, StubHub, and Vivid Seats.
13	SECTION 3.	The U.S. Department of Justice will be responsible for the oversight and
14		enforcement of this law.
15	SECTION 4.	Ticketing services must fulfill the requirements of this act by January 1,
16		2026, or be subject to fines determined by the Department of Justice. All
17		laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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A Bill to Advance Nuclear Energy

1	BE IT ENACTE	D BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2	SECTION 1.	The U.S. Department of Energy shall immediately resume licensing and
3		deploying nuclear energy technologies.
4	SECTION 2.	"Licensing" means expediting regulatory approval for constructing
5		nuclear power plants.
6		"Deploying" means entering into agreements with state and local
7		officials, energy companies, and energy co-ops to house facilities that
8		support the generation of electricity from nuclear energy.
9		"Nuclear energy technologies" means 1) facilities that produce electricity
10		through nuclear fission of enriched uranium or plutonium, 2) facilities
11		that enrich uranium or plutonium for use in a nuclear power plant, and 3)
		facilities that process, recycle, or store spent nuclear fuel.
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A Bill to Explore the Revival of Extinct Species

1	BE II ENACIE	D BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2	SECTION 1.	The National Science Foundation (NSF) shall support resurrection biology
3		research. NSF shall support cutting-edge efforts to create new organisms
4		that replicate or resemble extinct species. These techniques shall be used
5		to learn new ways to preserve currently endangered species, facilitate
6		advancements in human medicine, and inform the history of animal
7		biology and ecology. Representatives of the National Science Foundation
8		and selected scientists affiliated with the project shall testify annually
9		before the United States House Committee on Science, Space, and
10		Technology between June 9 – 11.
1	SECTION 2.	"Resurrection biology" means the science of creating new organisms that
12		resemble, as much as DNA availability permits, extinct species using
L3		techniques such as cloning, genome editing, and selective breeding.
L 4	SECTION 3.	The National Science Foundation will be responsible for the oversight and
15		enforcement of this law.
16		1. Congress shall authorize an appropriation of \$100 million per year
L 7		through 2035 for the purposes of this legislation.
.8	SECTION 4.	This legislation will take effect upon ratification. All laws in conflict with
L9		this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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A Bill to End Inhumane Cobalt Mining Practices

1	BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:	
2	SECTION 1.	U.Sbased corporations shall be prohibited from purchasing cobalt mined
3		from the Democratic Republic of Congo, Indonesia, or any other nation
4		suspected of allowing artisanal and small-scale mines and/or mining
5		companies to employ child labor to extract cobalt for use in battery
6		technology.
7	SECTION 2.	"Cobalt" means a chemical element with the symbol Co and atomic
8		number 27 commonly used in lithium-ion batteries and as an alloy.
9		"Child labor" means the practice of compelling youth who have not
10		attained legal adulthood to work in low-skilled, often dangerous,
11		enterprises.
12		"Mining" means a coordinated activity of extracting naturally occurring
13		materials from the earth.
14	SECTION 3.	The U.S. Department of Commerce and the Federal Trade Commission
15		will be responsible for the oversight and enforcement of this law.
16	SECTION 4.	This legislation will take effect upon ratification. All laws in conflict with
17		this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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