

A Resolution to Amend the Constitution Regarding Limitations on the Office of President

1. Whereas, the United States Presidents over the past hundred years have been
2. older men over the age of fifty with three exceptions, and
3. Whereas, the country is twenty trillion dollars in debt and we have seven
4. million five hundred twenty-eight thousand unemployed citizens and only
5. sixty-three percent participation in the labor force according to the bureau of
6. labor statistics, and
7. Whereas, the country needs fresh ideas from younger minds from different
8. areas of the world to provide better leadership, therefore
9. Be it resolved that we amend Article II, Section One, Paragraph Five of the US
10. Constitution to change the qualifications for President of the United States, to
11. as follows:
 - a. The president must have been born outside of the US and
 - b. The president, though he/she must have lived in the US for at least one year, cannot have lived in the US for more than five years, and
 - c. Presidents must be between the ages of twenty five and fifty, and
 - d. Candidates shall be given ten additional electoral votes for each year of age closer to twenty five from thirty five, up to a maximum of one-hundred electoral votes, and
 - e. For each year of age above forty closer to fifty, three electoral votes shall be removed, up to a maximum of thirty and
12. Whereas, other inherent flaws make it also necessary to amend Article II,
13. Section Four, so that the president, vice-president, and all other civil officers of
14. the United States, instead of being impeached and removed from office for the
15. conviction of treason, bribery, or other high crimes and misdemeanors, shall
16. instead be required to have been convicted of treason, bribery, or other high
17. crime or misdemeanor.

Respectfully Submitted-
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An Amendment to Impeach President Trump

WHEREAS, Recklessly calling Taiwan's president in violation of longstanding diplomatic principles with China that could have been disastrous; and

WHEREAS, Declaring in an interview on MSNBC that he is not bothered by and actively welcomes an arms race; and

WHEREAS, Endangerment of the constitutional rights of the American people gives more reason for President Trump's impeachment; and

WHEREAS, The ban on Muslim people shows a clear threat to the allies of the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, The Trump Administration shows little interest in the betterment of the American people; and

WHEREAS, Trump said that he will hand his business over to his three adult children, Ivanka, Donald Jr. and Eric Trump. But he has also appointed them to positions in his executive committee, this means there is a conflict of interest because President Trump will be neglecting the Emolument Clause; and

WHEREAS, Ivanka has participated in several meetings between Mr. Trump and foreign heads of state, including those from Turkey, Argentina, and Japan, showing that President Trump's children will not be conducting in the terms of the constitution

WHEREAS, Article I, Section 9, of the Constitution. It's clause number 8. It states, in pertinent part: "... no person holding any Office of Profit or Trust under [the United States], shall, without the Consent of the Congress, accept of any present, Emolument, Office or Title of any kind whatever, from any King, Prince or foreign State"; be it

RESOLVED, By the Congress here assembled that the United States will impeach President Donald Trump and he may then be convicted by the United States Senate and Vice President Mike Pence will take the presidency.

*Introduced by Natalie Davidson
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RESOLUTION TO REGULATE CHARTER SCHOOLS IN THE UNITED STATES

- Whereas: Many charter schools in the United States are financially unsound; and
- Whereas: Some charter schools have misspent funds, four times more than any other public agency; and
- Whereas: Many charter school administrators have pleaded guilty to theft or fraud; and
- Whereas: Some charter schools have failed to record attendance and recorded significantly more students than actually attended; and
- Whereas: Education management organizations that run charter schools are permitted to run a profit, even if the school is low performing; and
- Whereas Many State agencies allow non-profit groups to authorize and audit charter schools even if there is a conflict of interest.
- Therefore, be it resolved by this Student Congress here assembled that: Charter schools in the United States receive increased oversight and regulation.

#5 A BILL TO RESTORE TRUST IN OUR FEDERAL CANDIDATES

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 Article I: All nominees for federal elected office will be required to release there
3 three most recent years of federal tax returns.

4 Article II: “Federal elected office” is defined as President of the United States, Vice-
5 President of the United States, the Senate and the House of
6 Representatives. “Nominees” are defined as the candidate representing his
7 or her part during the general election.

8 Article III: This legislation shall take effect immediately upon ratification.

9 Article IV: Candidates shall submit their tax returns to the Federal Election
10 Commission (FEC).

11 A. The FEC shall publish their tax returns on a publicly accessible
12 website.

13 B. The FEC is allowed to impose a \$15,000.00 fee on nominees who do
14 not submit their tax returns by one month prior to the General Election
15 Day.

16 C. The FEC is permitted to redact the nominee’s Social Security Number
17 when publishing the tax returns.

18 Article V: All other laws in conflict with this new policy shall hereby declared null
19 and void.

**A BILL TO MANDATE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ELECTRIC PUBLIC BUSES (E-BUSES) TO
REDUCE OUR IMPACT ON GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE AND HELP THE ECONOMY**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** We shall mandate the use of Electric Buses for all public transportation (
3 city buses, trolley buses, trams, and metro transit) agencies, as a means to
4 better the environment as well as the economy.

5 **SECTION 2.** An E-Bus entails as a bus that is powered with a lithium ion battery.

6 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Transportation in conjunction with the Department of
7 Energy shall oversee the implementing and preservation of the E-Buses.

8 **SECTION 4.** In order to allow time for this transition, there will be no penalty for not
9 using E-Buses until January 1st 2020.

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

Respectfully submitted,

*Rep. Erin Cook
E.L. Meyers*

A Bill to Protect People from Psychological Traps in Games in Pennsylvania

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Any digitally or mechanically controlled random chance generator
3 distributed or used in Pennsylvania that has a visual that implies
4 likelihood of the chance of any given option being chosen must have the
5 actual odds of that option being chosen match up with the proportions of
6 the visual in comparison to the rest of the options.

7 **SECTION 2.** This shall only apply to random chance generators where the user pays to
8 use it, either optionally or mandatorily.

9 **SECTION 3.** This law shall be enforced by the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board.

10 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will go into effect on July 1, 2017.

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

Respectfully submitted,

*Daniel Kowalski
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A Resolution to Implement mentoring programs

WHEREAS, teens are able to get experience in the workforce; and

WHEREAS, Get a better idea of what kind of options come after high school; and

WHEREAS, more teens will become interested into pursuing higher education

WHEREAS, This will stop the downward trend that causes a gap in academic and technological achievement; and

WHEREAS, The USFG needs to push the programs to continue to compete to be number one ; and

WHEREAS, Waiting will only allow the issue to worsen; be it

RESOLVED, By the Congress here assembled that the United States should implement and fund public school programs that allow teens to get experience in the workforce and prepare them for what comes after high school.

*Introduced by Elsa Romero
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1 **A Bill to Begin Use of Online Voting Websites in Major Elections**

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. Online voting in major elections will be put into use using the similar systems to those of other government websites and using similar rules to absentee ballots.

SECTION 2. Online Voting will be defined as voting through the use of private computer networks.

SECTION 3. The Election Assistance Commission will oversee the enforcement of this legislation.

A. This will include monitoring the site for acts of fraud, as well as updating the site.

SECTION 4. This bill will be put into effect by the 2020 election.

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

4 *Introduced for Congressional Debate by Lennese Prince, E.L. Meyers High School.*

#9A BILL TO BAN NEONICOTINOID PESTICIDES

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

Article I: The use of neonicotinoid pesticides is hereby banned.

Article II: “Neonicotinoid pesticides” shall be defined as all pesticides and insecticides which are chemically related to nicotine, including, but not limited to imidacloprid, acetamiprid, and clothianidin.

Article III: The legislation will go into effect in FY 2019.

Article IV: The Department of Agriculture shall oversee the implementation of this bill.

A. Farmers found using such pesticides shall be fined \$5,000.00 and lose their federal agricultural subsidies in the next fiscal year.

Article V: All other laws in conflict with this new policy shall hereby be declared null and void.

1 A Resolution against the Sale of Arms to Saudi Arabia

2 Whereas: The State Department announced the potential sale of Military arms to Saudi Arabia

3 Whereas: and the sale of arms may harm innocent civilians and may fuel a regional arms race

4 and;

5 Whereas: The sale of arms may also contribute to the killing of innocent Yemen citizens, as has

6 occurred in the past and may be further perpetuated by an influx of weapons into the region.

7 Therefore: Be it resolved by the Congress assembled today that this legislative body vehemently

8 disagrees with the proposed sale of weapons to the Saudi Arabian military by the United States

9 State Department.

10 Respectfully Submitted for Congressional Debate,

11 Cameron Sauers of Notre Dame