

A Bill to Mandate the Usage and Enforcement of Dashboard Cameras

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1. **Section 1:** Dash board cameras shall be required to be put onto all vehicles
2. that are driven and used on roads in order to promote safety and true
3. liability in all traffic incidents.
4. **Section 2:** A new committee called the Committee of Traffic Camera
5. Enforcement will be created under the jurisdiction of the Department of
6. Transportation that will oversee the spending and enactment of this bill.
7. The committee will promote investment in the dashboard camera industry
8. and assist constituents of the federal government whom cannot afford such
9. technology.
10. **Section 3:** Funding for the implementation of this Bill would be set at
11. \$500,000,000 annually, with funding being drawn from Welfare Programs,
12. the Department of Defense, the EPA, and the Department of Human and
13. Health services.
14. **Section 4:** This bill shall be enacted immediately, with 90 days allocated to
15. the creation of the committee, funding shall begin the fiscal year beginning
16. January 1st, 2018.
17. **Section 5:** All laws and legislation in conflict with this legislation are hereby
18. declared null and void

Respectfully submitted,

Deer Lakes High School

A BILL TO REQUIRE A BREATHALYZER IN ALL CARS

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

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States government enforces that there must be a breathalyzer in
cars to 3 prevent drunk driving.

4 **SECTION 2.** There will be specific breathalyzers that will be permitted, and if the driver's
5 alcohol level is above .08, the car will not be operable.

6 **SECTION 3.** The provisions of this bill shall take effect on January 1, 2018.

7 **SECTION 4.** Car companies will be responsible for designing new car models with
8 breathalyzers.

9 **SECTION 5.** The breathalyzers will be included as part of the annual vehicle inspection
10 program, run by the state.. If caught tampering with the breathalyzer there will be a
\$500 fine. If 11 found without a breathalyzer there will be a fine of \$600 for your first offense,
and a second

12 offense your license will be confiscated for a week.

13 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully submitted,
Carlynton High School*

A Bill to Regulate Marijuana Like Alcohol

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 SECTION 1. To decriminalize marijuana at the Federal level, to leave to the States a
2 power to regulate marijuana that is similar to the power they have to
3 regulate alcohol, and for other purposes.
- 4 SECTION 2. (a) Eliminates marijuana as: (1) a controlled substance for purposes of the
5 Controlled Substances Import and Export Act or the National Forest System
6 Drug Control Act of 1986, (2) a dangerous drug for purposes of federal
7 criminal code provisions authorizing interception of communications, and
8 (3) a targeted drug for purposes of provisions of the national youth anti-drug
9 media campaign under the Office of National Drug Control Policy
10 Reauthorization Act of 1998.
- 11 SECTION 2. (b) Subjects marijuana to the provisions that apply to: (1) intoxicating
12 liquors under the Original Packages Act, the Webb-Kenyon Act, and the
13 Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000; and (2)
14 distilled spirits under the Federal Alcohol Administration Act.
- 15 SECTION 3. Directs the Attorney General to issue a final order that removes marijuana
16 in any form from all schedules of controlled substances under the
17 Controlled Substances Act.
- 18 A. Grants the Food and Drug Administration the same authorities with
19 respect to marijuana as it has for alcohol. Transfers functions of the
20 Administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration relating to
21 marijuana enforcement to the Director of the Bureau of Alcohol,
22 Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (ATF).
- 23 B. Renames: (1) ATF as the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Marijuana,
24 Firearms and Explosives; and (2) the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and
25 Trade Bureau as the Alcohol, Tobacco, and Marijuana Tax and Trade
26 Bureau.
- 27 SECTION 4. This legislation shall take implementation immediately after passage.
- 28 SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectively Submitted,
Alex Lampe, USCHS*

A BILL CONCERNING DRUG TESTING IN MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOLS

BE IT ENACTED BY THIS STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1:** Random drug testing shall be mandatory for middle and high schools
2 across the state of Pennsylvania.
- 3 **SECTION 2:** Funding for drug tests will come from school taxes already being paid
4 by property owners. If necessary, these taxes will be raised.
- 5 **SECTION 3:** The state government will keep track of which schools are not
6 enforcing the new policy.
- 7 **SECTION 4:** If this policy is not enforced in the school it will lose a
8 portion of its funding from the state government
- 9 **CLOSING:** This law will be enforced starting in the fall of 2017 at the beginning
10 of the next upcoming school year.

Respectfully submitted,

Cardinal Wuerl North Catholic HS

A Resolution Regarding Child Soldiers in Africa

1. Whereas, young boys are being targeted by terrorist organizations from Boko Haram to
2. the Janjaweed.
3. Whereas, many of these young boys are illiterate and do not have many opportunities for
4. earn money or support a family because they lack any formal schooling.
5. Whereas, militant groups prey on the faith these boys have such as Boko Haram's plan to
6. enlist young, illiterate, Muslim boys from across Africa.
7. Whereas, with education, these young men will have other opportunities than besides
8. becoming a militant.
9. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, The congress here assembled allot 8 billion dollars in
10. humanitarian aid to fund for teachers, schools and other necessary materials for
11. a professional education.

Respectfully Submitted,
Preston Nouri
Fairview High School

A Resolution to Create the Ultimate Incinerator Six Billion

Whereas: we are running out of room to dispose of our garbage.

Whereas: the toxicity of our garbage is killing our marine, land, and air life.

Whereas: we would like to maintain a pristine landscape and high quality living conditions.

Whereas: the sun can be used for additional purposes and is estimated to be six billion years old.

Therefore be it resolved by this student congress here assembled: we stockpile our garbage into rockets, blast them into the sun, and create the ultimate incinerator.

Be it further resolved: we put these actions into practice beginning January 1, 2018.

Respectfully Submitted,
West Allegheny High School

A Bill to Increase Transportation Funding to Improve American Infrastructure

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** An additional one hundred billion dollars (\$100,000,000,000) shall be
2 allocated to improve America's transportation infrastructure.
- 3 **SECTION 2.** "Transportation infrastructure" includes, but is not limited to all federal
4 and state-controlled roads, bridges, railways, airports, and subway
5 systems.
- 6 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Transportation shall receive this money and be in
7 charge of this bill's implementation.
- 8 **SECTION 4.** This law shall go into effect during the first budget adjustment after its
9 passage and remain in effect indefinitely.
- 10 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

St. Joseph's Preparatory School

**A BILL TO IMPLEMENT A SEVERANCE TAX ON NATURAL GAS EXTRACTED
FROM THE MARCELLUS SHALE FORMATION**

1 BE IT ENACTED by the Student Congress here assembled:

2 Section 1: A severance tax will be imposed upon each and every natural gas producer
3 who uses water resources from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to
4 extract natural gas from the Marcellus Shale Formation.

5 Section 2: The tax shall not be less than nor exceed one dollar (\$1.00) per one
6 thousand (1,000) cubic feet of natural gas.

7 Section 3: Said tax will be paid into a dedicated fund for the preservation, cleaning
8 and improvement of the streams, rivers, and waterways of the
9 Commonwealth.

10 Section 4: This tax program and its benefits will be under the oversight of the
11 Department of Environmental Protection.

12 Section 5: This bill shall have the effect of law within 18 months of passage.

Respectfully submitted,

Bethel Park High School

A Bill to Incentivize Childhood Vaccinations

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1. **SECTION 1.** Public school enrollment for children shall be contingent upon
2. completion of immunizations.
3. **SECTION 2.** Public school shall be defined as any state-funded primary or secondary
4. educational institution. Children shall be defined as minors ages 0 to 18
5. years. Immunizations shall be defined as receiving the following vaccinations as
6. recommended by the Center for Disease Control: Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis,
7. Rotavirus, Hepatitis B, Polio, Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Varicella, Hepatitis A,
8. Pneumonia, Haemophilus Influenzae, Human Papillomavirus (HPV), Influenza, and
9. Meningitis.
10. **SECTION 3.** The Department of Health and the Department of Education will be
11. responsible for overseeing and implementing this Bill.
12. A. Parents or guardians of children must submit documentation of the vaccinations.
13. B. Children who are medically contraindicated to receive vaccinations are exempt from
14. this legislation. A medical excuse signed by a board-certified physician must be
15. presented and reviewed by a school medical professional before the child is declared to be
16. exempt. The medical excuse must be renewed yearly.
17. C. Unless medically contraindicated, vaccinations will occur during the time frame or age
18. range specified by the Center for Disease Control.
19. D. Parents or guardians who choose not to immunize their child(ren) will be fully
20. financially responsible for securing alternative education for their child(ren).
21. E. Parents or guardians who choose not to immunize their child(ren) will not be eligible
22. for education expense credits, funds from the Educational Improvement Tax Credit or the
23. Opportunity Scholarship Tax Credit, or childcare tax credits.
24. **SECTION 4.** This Bill will be implemented on January 1st, 2018.
25. **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted,
Fox Chapel Area High School*