

## **A Bill for Global Emancipation of Peoples under Tyranny**

*Be it enacted by this FFL Student Congress here assembled that:*

- 1    **Section 1:**     Funding shall be given to democratic groups in nations under tyrannical rule
- 2    **Section 2:**     The United States of America will work to fund and supply populist democratic reform
- 3                    groups in countries the State Department decides effective democratic change is
- 4                    possible.
- 5    **Section 3:**     500 million dollars will be allocated for use in this new policy.
- 6    **Section 4:**     This legislation shall go into effect immediately upon passage. The State Department
- 7                    shall be authorized for the allocation of funding.
- 8    **Section 5:**     All laws or portions of laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and
- 9                    void.

Respectfully Submitted,

Warren Wilson

Fort Walton Beach High School

## **A Bill to Eliminate Public Firearms**

1. Be It Enacted By The Student Congress Here Assembled That:
2. **Section 1.** Citizens are no longer able to carry firearms of any kind, under
3.                   penalty of a minimum jail sentence of 6 months.
4. **Section 2.** A firearm shall be defined as a weapon, especially a pistol or rifle,
5.                   capable of firing a projectile and using an explosive force as a
6.                   propellant.
7. **Section 3.** The department of justice will be responsible for the implementation
8.                   and enforcement of this bill by going to registered gun owners and
9.                   salespeople and exchanging firearms for federal bonds.
10. **Section 4.** Certain groups, such as police officers, will be permitted to carry
11.                  firearms by way of a special, federally issued permit.
12. **Section 5.** This bill will go into effect on July 4, 2010.
13. **Section 6.** All laws and legislations in contradiction with this legislation are
14.                  hereby declared null and void.
15. *Respectfully submitted,*
16. *Brandon Morris*
17. *Celebration High School*

A Bill to Implement the Right for Ex-convicts to Vote

1. Be it enacted by the student congress that:
2. Section I: The right for Ex-convicts to vote be reinstated.
3. Section II: Seeing as these disenfranchised constituents are already
4. re-entering society as citizens of the United States, so
5. should their fundamental right to vote.
6. Section III: A. By passing this legislation, we resolve to increase
7. the amount voters taking part in local, state and
8. national election polls.
9. B. As a result, this will have a major influence over the
10. close run-ins of one political affiliation over another.
11. Section IV: This bill shall go into effect starting as of the next  
Presidential election in two years.
12. Section V: For local elections, the Superintendent of voting registrations will  
Oversee these votes. Voting on the National level, the electoral  
college will be in charge of carrying out and implementing the  
said votes.
13. Section VI: All laws or prohibitions in conflict with this Bill shall hereby be
14. declared null and void.

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Rebecca Ledesma**

**Braddock Sr. High**

### **A Resolution to Reallocate Troops in Japan**

1. **Whereas:** The current ruling party of Japan promised its voters that it would
2. make an attempt to move the United States armed forces base from Okinawa; and
3. **Whereas:** It would be beneficial to help Japan, seeing as they are one of our
4. best allies; and
5. **Whereas:** This would help foster a better relationship with the new ruling
6. party of Japan; and
7. **Whereas:** The actual location of the troops in Japan is not as pivotal as the
8. presence of the troops itself; now, therefore, be it
9. **Resolved:** That the student congress here assembled move the U.S. armed
10. forces stationed in Japan from Okinawa to the mainland.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sarah Lubiner

Pine View School

## A Bill to Invest in the Infrastructure of Afghanistan

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

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States will hereby take a major role in constructing  
3 infrastructure in Afghanistan regarding Hospitals and Schools.

4 **SECTION 2.** 2,000 of the 30,000 troops currently being sent to Afghanistan will be used  
5 for the protection of the said projects and private construction contractors  
6 in the United States will be used for the construction and development for  
7 the projects themselves.

8 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Defense and State Department will oversee the  
9 implementation of this legislation.

10 A. Ten billion dollars will be allocated to the construction of Afghanistan  
11 schools and hospitals.

12 B. Each private construction contractor will need to apply for funding to  
13 which, if deemed necessary by the Department of State, they will  
14 receive the appropriate amount.

15 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will go into effect immediately upon passage.

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

*Respectfully Introduced by Western High School*

# A Bill to Create a Federal Moratorium on Capital Punishment

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

2 **SECTION 1.** All forms of capital punishment within the 50 United States will be  
3 stricken from the law.

4 **SECTION 2.** This legislation shall be enforced by the Office of the Attorney General.

5 A. States failing to comply will receive no federal funding until  
6 compliance is reached.

7 **SECTION 3.** This bill will take effect immediately upon passage, suspending any  
8 pending capital punishment trials.

9 **SECTION 4.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Introduced by William Vazquez  
American Heritage-Boca Delray*

## **A bill to implement the Cap and Trade System**

Be it enacted by this FFL Student Congress here assembled that:

1           **Section I:** The United States shall implement the Cap and Trade system to steadily  
2 reduce carbon dioxide and greenhouse emissions in a cost effective manner.

3           **Section II:** A cap-and-trade system is a market-based approach to controlling pollution  
4 that allows corporations or national governments to trade emissions allowances under an overall  
5 cap, or limit, on those emissions.

6           **Section III:** This bill shall be implemented 60 days after its passage.

7           **Section IV:** The Department of Environmental Protection shall be responsible for  
8 executing the terms of this system

9           **Section V:** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void

Respectfully submitted

Kyle McNevin

**A Resolution to Encourage A New Form of a Two-State  
Solution in the Middle East**

1. Whereas, the conflict with Israel and the Palestinian people is not being solved
2. with any of the solutions being proposed by any of the leaders within the two
3. countries, and
4. Whereas, Israel has no intentions, nor should they have any intentions of
5. giving up Jerusalem to the Palestinian people, and
6. Whereas, the war between Israel and Palestinian people are killing innocent
7. civilians and needs to come to an end, and
8. Whereas, Egypt and Saudi Arabia are two possible solutions to form a separate
9. Palestinian state in,
10. THEREFORE be it resolved by this FFL Student Congress here assembled that
11. the President of the United States should recommend to the Palestinian leaders along
12. with the United Nations to form a separate state outside of the tiny State of Israel,
13. and inside one of the large Arab nations in the Middle East such as Egypt and
14. Saudi Arabia.

Respectfully Submitted,

Matthew Gruda  
Michael Krop High School  
Art Deco Region V

# A Bill to Provide Iran with Nuclear Facilities

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

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States will hereby allocate 100 billion dollars towards building ten  
3 nuclear facilities in Iran.

4 **SECTION 2.** Iran shall abide by the following benchmarks set by this legislation:

5 A. The nuclear facilities are to be used for energy purposes only.

6 B. Iran shall allow the IDEA to oversee all activities within its nuclear program.

7 C. Iran shall agree to allocate 10% of all income gained by these ten nuclear  
8 facilities back to the United States plus 5% interest over ten years, of the total  
9 cost.

10 D. Iran will allow United States contractors to oversee the building and security  
11 of these nuclear facilities.

12 E. Said security contractors will be present during the building and for five  
13 years following to insure the utmost of safety to the newly built facilities.

14 **SECTION 3.** In order to obtain the correct funds for this legislation we will create a Carbon  
15 Tax within the United States of which 15% of the tax will be put aside for the  
16 creation of these nuclear plants.

17 **SECTION 4.** The Department of Energy, The Department of Commerce, The Treasury and the  
18 Department of State are all going to oversee the provisions of this legislation.

19 **SECTION 5.** This bill will be put into effect immediately upon passage.

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

*Introduced by  
Nova High School*

## A Resolution to Reaffirm Israel's Right to Self Defense

1 **WHEREAS**, Israel, a longstanding and reliable ally of the United States and the only  
2 democracy in the Middle East, currently faces unjust criticism merely for  
3 protecting its people from attack; and

4 **WHEREAS**, As a sovereign nation, Israel is entitled to defend itself and its civilian  
5 population from unprovoked attack; and

6 **WHEREAS**, It is in the national security interest of the United States for the world to  
7 recognize the right of sovereign nations to respond to violent attacks on  
8 their populations; and

9 **WHEREAS**, Without sufficient global support, especially from the United States,  
10 Israel's existence is at stake; now, therefore, be it

11 **RESOLVED**, That the Student Congress here assembled recognizes Israel's right to  
12 continue to defend its citizens from terrorist organizations and enemy  
13 states and encourages other allies of the United States to stand by Israel as  
14 well.

*Introduced by the Alexander W. Dreyfoos School of the Arts*

## **A Bill to create the Jobs and Wages Tax Credit**

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

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States government shall institute the Jobs and Wages Tax  
3 Credit.

4 **SECTION 2.** The Jobs and Wages Tax Credit shall be defined as a \$5,000 tax credit to  
5 be applied against a firm's payroll taxes for each (net) new employee they  
6 hire, and also pay the full employer-side increase in Social Security taxes  
7 for net new additions to payroll.

8 **SECTION 3.** The Department of the Treasury and the Department of Commerce shall  
9 oversee the enforcement of this legislation.

10 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect on the April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010.

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

*Respectfully Submitted by  
Benjamin Sardinias  
Belen Jesuit Preparatory School*

A Resolution to Add Venezuela to  
The United States State Sponsors of Terrorism List

1 **WHEREAS,** The Venezuelan Government has continuously funded and assisted  
2 terrorist organizations around the world

3 **WHEREAS,** This funding has gone past Latin America and into other parts of the world

4 **WHEREAS,** This funding of terrorism not only threatens the United States Security, but  
5 the security of Democracy around the world

6 **WHEREAS,** Adding Venezuela to the State Sponsors of Terrorism List would call for a  
7 multilateral response to the actions being take by the Venezuelan  
8 Government

9 **RESOLVED,** That the Student Congress here assembled add Venezuela to the State  
10 Sponsors of Terrorism List.

*Introduced by  
Eric Moussa  
Belen Jesuit Prep*

## A Bill to Increase Funding to the Navy

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

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States Navy is in need of more funding to facilitate any form of success in  
3 its goals.

4 **SECTION 2.** The goals of the United States Navy will hereby be focused primarily on  
5 fighting piracy, and gathering intelligence that will aid in protecting the  
6 American people.

7 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Defense will oversee the Use of these funds;

8 A. Funding for research and development will be increased by \$15  
9 billion.

10 B. Funding for the US marine mammal program will be increased by \$5  
11 billion.

12 C. Funding for combative naval technologies will be increased by \$10  
13 billion.

14 D. Funding for new aircraft carriers, submarines, and warships will be  
15 increased by \$5 billion.

16 **SECTION 4.** Section Two of this legislation will go into effect upon passage and the  
17 funding provisions in Section Three will go into effect at the start of the  
18 third quarter of the 2010 fiscal year on April 1<sup>st</sup> 2010.

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

*Respectfully Introduced by Western High School*

## A Resolution to Transfer All Immigration Court Cases to the Department of Justice

1 **WHEREAS,** The current system for dealing with immigration based cases is flawed  
2 and;

3 **WHEREAS,** The status quo is unconstitutional, slow and overloaded with cases; and

4 **WHEREAS,** The Constitution protects anyone within the United States, consequently  
5 all immigrants have the right to a quick and speedy trial; now, therefore,  
6 be it

7 **RESOLVED,** That the FFL Student Congress here assembled recommend the transfer of  
8 all immigration court cases to the jurisdiction of the Department of Justice.

*Introduced by Ryan Adelsperger  
Sarasota High School, Region III*

## **A Bill to Charge Inmates of all U.S. Federal Prisons for their Prison Stay**

1   **Article I:**     Inmates will pay \$30 per night, charged automatically to their bank account, if  
2                   they reside in a federal prison other than a Federal Medical Center. Inmates can  
3                   pay this fee through labor in government projects. In 5 years, maximum security  
4                   manufacture or agricultural prisons will be built for high risk inmates to work in.

5   **Article II:**    Wages for government projects may only be used to pay for a prison stay.  
6                   Minimum wage laws apply. All federal prisons include all prisons under the  
7                   jurisdiction of the Federal Bureau of Prisons. Federal Medical Centers are prisons  
8                   under the FBP which house inmates with psychiatric or physical problems.  
9                   Manufacture or agricultural prisons will be maximum security prisons where  
10                  prisoners can manufacture or farm to pay for their nightly stay. High risk inmates  
11                  are inmates who have a high risk of escape or inmates who pose a large threat to  
12                  security.

13 **Article III:**   The provisions of this bill shall take effect immediately for all inmates other than  
14                  high risk inmates and those in Federal Medical Centers. Within five years from  
15                  passage, the Federal Bureau of Prisons shall construct enough manufacture or  
16                  agricultural prisons to allow high risk inmates to work for the nightly charge. In  
17                  five years, high risk inmates will also pay a nightly fee of \$30.

18 **Article IV:**    The Federal Bureau of Prisons shall be responsible for enforcement.

19 **Article V:**     All laws or portions of laws in conflict with this bill shall be null and void.

Respectfully submitted,  
Eric Tong  
St. Petersburg High School

## **A Bill to Ratify the Colombian Free Trade Agreement**

1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2. Section 1. The debate for ratification of the Colombian Free Trade Agreement will be
3. brought from the table to the floor of debate before the Congress.
4. Section 2. The Colombian Free Trade Agreement will be ratified by the Congress.
5. Section 3. Upon passage of this legislation, it will be enacted immediately.
6. Section 4. All laws or portions of laws in conflict with the provisions of this
7. legislation shall hereby be declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Ray Escobar  
St. Thomas Aquinas High School/Hurricane Region

**A Resolution to Invest in Wind Energy as an Alternative Energy Source**

1. Whereas: Natural gas, clean coal and nuclear technologies are taking long to develop,
2. Whereas: Gas and coal, clean or unclean, are nonrenewable resources and
3. Whereas: Wind Energy is already developed and only needs investment to make
4. it more widely available and affordable
5. BE IT RESOLVED THAT: The United States Department of Energy invest in wind
6. energy as an alternative energy source.

Respectfully Submitted,

Alicia Barroso

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