

A Bill to End Conflict in Yemen

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here
2 assembled that:

3 Article I: The United States shall utilize a multi-pronged approach to solving the
4 Yemeni civil war.

5 A. All drone strikes in Yemen shall cease.

6 B. 50 million dollars shall be allocated to humanitarian aid in Yemen.

7 C. 1,000 troops shall be sent to Yemen to deliver aid.

8 Article II: A. Humanitarian aid shall include but not be limited to medical
9 supplies, food, and water.

10 B. Military aid shall include but not be limited to weapons, vehicles,
11 training, and protective gear.

12 Article III: This legislation shall be implemented upon its passage.

13 Article IV: The Department of Defense, the Department of State, and the United
14 States Agency for International Development shall work in conjunction to
15 implement and enforce this legislation.

16 Article V: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Boca Raton Community High School

A Bill to Establish a System of Publicly Funded Pre-Schools

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 ARTICLE 1. This bill will establish a public pre-school system as an extension of the
3 current public education system.

4 ARTICLE 2. Pre-school will be defined as an early childhood program for children
5 preparing to enter the education system.

6 ARTICLE 3. This bill will go into effect at the beginning of the next fiscal year.

7 ARTICLE 4. The United States Department of Education will oversee the enforcement
8 of the bill along with the specific enforcement mechanism.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Cardinal Newman High School

The Russian Collaboration Act of 2018

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here
2 assembled that:

3 Article I: The United States shall lift economic sanctions on the Russian Federation
4 provided that they prove a significant decrease in human rights violations
5 occurring within their borders.

6 Article II: “Economic sanctions” shall be defined as a withdrawal of financial and
7 trade partnerships levied against governments to punish them for violating
8 international norms. United States’ economic sanctions specifically target
9 the Russian Federation’s energy sector.

10 Article III: This bill shall go into effect immediately upon passage.

11 Article IV: The U.S Department of State shall oversee the process of lifting the
12 sanctions. They may consider lifting the sanctions if the following two
13 conditions are met by the year 2022:

14 A) Representatives of the Russian Federation have delivered to the
15 U.S Department of State or the President a plan for improvement
16 with human rights.

17 B) A report by the Human Rights Watch and/or Amnesty
18 International report that Russia has seen a significant decrease in
19 human rights violations.

20 Article V: All laws in conflict with this legislation are declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Dreyfoos School of the Arts

**A Bill to Require All Gas Stations with Separate Cash and Credit Prices to
Clearly Display Both**

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here
2 assembled that:

3 Article I: Any gas station with separate prices for cash and credit purchases clearly
4 display both prices.

5 Article II: Cash pricing shall include electronic purchases made with a debit card or
6 account.

7 Article III: This bill will go into effect January 1, 2019.

8 Article IV: Enforcement of this bill will be the responsibility of the Federal Trade
9 Commission

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

Respectfully submitted,

Jupiter Christian School

A Bill To Combat The HIV/AIDS Epidemic In Sub-Saharan Africa

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here
2 assembled that:

3 Article I: The United States shall grant one billion dollars towards HIV/AIDS
4 prevention and education in Sub-Saharan Africa. \$200,000,000 of the
5 grant shall be directly invested into HIV/AIDS education.

6 Article II: HIV/AIDS prevention shall be defined as the purchasing and distribution
7 of contraceptives. HIV/AIDS education shall be defined as courses which
8 teach how to use contraceptives, the importance of contraceptives, explain
9 what HIV/AIDS is, and how it spreads.

10 Article III: This legislation shall go into effect at the start of the next fiscal year.

11 Article IV: USAID shall be responsible for the implementation of this legislation.

12 Article V: All other laws in conflict with this legislation shall hereby be declared null
13 and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Martin County High School

The Religious Freedom in The People’s Republic of China Act

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here assembled
2 that:

3 Article I: The United States of America shall address the People’s Republic of China
4 actions that violate the religious freedom of Buddhist, Uyghur’s, and participants
5 of Fulan Gong.

6 Article II: Address shall be defined as the deployment of ambassadors to the Tibetan
7 Government in Exile, and the World Uyghur Congress. Seizure of assets of all
8 Chinese state owned companies in the United States of America. The 610 Office
9 shall also be labeled a terrorist organization, and any persons affiliated with the
10 610 Office will be barred entry into the United States of America.

11 Article III: This Legislation shall be enforced 3 months after passage.

12 Article IV: The State Department shall enforce this legislation internationally and U.S.
13 Customs and Boarder Control shall enforce this legislation nationally

14 A) This legislation shall be revoked when Gedhun Choekyi Nyima or
15 another successor picked by the 14th Dali Lama is recognized by the
16 People’s Republic of China, when the People’s Liberation Army is
17 removed from Xinjiang and Tibet, and the forced harvesting of organs of
18 followers of Fulan Gong ceases.

19 Article V: All other laws that are in conflict with this policy shall hereby be declared
20 null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Park Vista Community High School

A Bill to Mandate the Release of Video Footage Involving Law Enforcement Officers

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 ARTICLE 1. In all cases where a law enforcement officer is involved in an incident
3 involving the discharge of firearms which results in the injury or death of
4 a suspect, all unedited video footage of the incident must be turned over to
5 the Department of Justice within 24 hours.

6 ARTICLE 2. A. Video footage shall be defined as dashboard cameras, body
7 cameras, Helicopter cameras, drone videos, embedded media
8 sources, or any other means of recording the incident which are
9 controlled and held by the law enforcement agency.

10 B. A law enforcement officer shall be defined as a government
11 employee who is responsible for the prevention, investigation,
12 apprehension, or detention of individuals suspected or convicted of
13 offenses.

14 ARTICLE 3. This legislation shall be implemented immediately after passage.

14 ARTICLE 4. The Department of Justice will oversee enforcement of this legislation and
15 will examine video footage turned over to determine if the civil rights of
16 the victim were violated during the incident.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Royal Palm Beach High School

A Bill to Reduce the Use of Plastic Packaging

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here
2 assembled that:

3 Article I: In an effort to reduce the use of plastic packaging, a 5% tax will be placed
4 on any corporation and consumer that supplies or obtains excessive plastic
5 packaging.

6 Article II: Corporation shall be defined as any company that is legally recognized
7 and creates products for public us. Consumer shall be defined as any
8 person that purchases goods. Plastic shall be defined as synthetic
9 materials made from a wide range of organic polymers such as
10 polyethylene, PVC, nylon. Excessive plastic packaging for consumer use
11 shall be defined as any product that uses plastic packaging that is not
12 necessary for safety or health reasons.

13 Article III: This will be implemented on January 1st of 2019.

14 Article IV: The Environmental Protection Agency will oversee the implementation of
15 this legislation

16 A) Any money collected from the taxes included in this legislation
17 will be redistributed in the next fiscal year.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Seminole Ridge Community High School

A Bill to End the Cape Town Water Crisis

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here
2 assembled that:

3 Article I: If passed, this legislation will help fund Cape Town in their efforts to
4 avoid being the first industrialized city to run out of clean water for
5 consumption. The United States will spend \$3 billion to fund water
6 conservation efforts in Cape Town.

7 Article II: Water conservation is defined as all methods utilized to preserve, control
8 and develop water resources, both above and below ground. These
9 methods will include, but not be limited to, advanced technologies in
10 water collection currently used by Nongovernmental Organizations
11 (NGO), both in the U. S., as well as those operating abroad. NGO will be
12 defined as any organization not operating under state control.

13 Article III: This legislation will be funded at the start of Fiscal Year 2019.

14 Article IV: The United States Department of State will be responsible for the
15 overseeing and the funding of this bill.

16 Article V: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Spanish River High School

A Bill to Alleviate the Power of Private Prisons

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED

2 THAT:

3 Article 1. Juveniles will be banned from being sent to private prisons.

4 Federal funding for private prisons shall also be reduced by 50%,
5 and the funds will be reallocated to create more federal public
6 prisons. Current juveniles in private prisons shall be relocated to a
7 federal public prison.

8 Article 2. Juveniles shall be defined as those who are age 18 and younger.

9 This legislation shall pertain to those who have been charged or
10 convicted of an offense.

11 Article 3. This legislation shall be put into effect on October 1st, 2018.

12 Article 4. The Department of Justice will enforce the prevention of juveniles
13 from being sent to private prisons. The Department of Treasury
14 will be in control of regulating the reduction in funding, along with
15 its reallocation.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Suncoast High School

The Clean Water Act of 2018

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

2 Article 1. A. \$400 billion will be invested to improving the nation’s drinking
3 water infrastructure.

4 B. Chromium 6 will be capped at 0.06 parts per billion.

5 Article 2. Drinking water infrastructure includes the physical components that
6 comprise a water utility’s source of supply, treatment, storage,
7 transmission and distribution systems.

8 Article 3. The funding will be delivered within 3 months of the passage of this bill.

9 Article 4. The money will go to the Environmental Protection Agency to fund
10 construction projects regarding drinking water and wastewater systems, as
11 well as, enforcing the regulations for Chromium 6.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Wellington High School

A Bill to Increase the Refugee Quota

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here
2 assembled that:

3 Article I: The refugee quota shall be increased to 100,000 refugees, who are of
4 special Humanitarian concern to the United States.

5 Article II: A. Special humanitarian concern to the United States is defined as
6 people who were persecuted or fear persecution due to race,
7 religion, nationality or membership in a particular social group, is
8 not firmly resettled in another country.

9 B. A refugee doesn't include anyone who ordered, incited, assisted or
10 otherwise participated in the persecution of any person on account
11 of race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social
12 group, or political opinion.

13 C. Refugee quota is defined as the number of refugees permitted to
14 enter a country in one year.

15 Article III: This bill shall be implemented at the start of fiscal year 2019.

16 Article IV: The U.S. Department of State shall oversee the implementation of this
17 legislation.

18 Article V: All laws in conflict with this legislation shall hereby be declared null and
19 void.

Respectfully submitted,

Wellington Landings Middle School

A Bill to Support ASEAN to Deescalate Tensions in the South China Sea

1 Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here
2 assembled that:

3 Article I: The United States shall increase support to the ASEAN by ten percent
4 in order to promote counter-terrorism goals and increase the global
5 economy.

6 Article II: A. ASEAN is defined as the Association of Southeast Asian Nations
7 B. Economic support is defined as assistance through grants and
8 encouraging trade.

9 C. Strategic economic initiatives will include business, energy
10 innovation and global policy.

11 D. Countries specifically targeted for aid will be Malaysia, Vietnam,
12 Philippines, Taiwan, Laos, and Brunei.

13 Article III: This bill will go into effect at the beginning of FY 2019

14 Article IV: The Department of State will oversee the implementation of this bill.

13 A. Grant Aid will be considered through the United States Agency for
14 International Development (USAID).

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

Respectfully submitted,

The Weiss School