

## **A Bill to Ban Medical Patents**

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

3 Article I: All medical patents shall hereby be nullified, and the U.S. Patent and  
4 Trademark Office shall be restricted from issuing any and all medical  
5 patents in the future. The National Institutes of Health (NIH) shall be  
6 allocated an additional 60 billion dollars per year to finance the research  
7 and development done by the pharmaceutical industry.

8 Article II: Medical patents shall be defined as patents on any medication, medical  
9 device, or medical process that prevent other competitors from producing  
10 similar products.

11 Article III: This legislation will take effect on July 1, 2025.

12 Article IV: The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, the Department of Commerce,  
13 and the Department of Health and Human Services shall oversee the  
14 enforcement of this legislation.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Dreyfoos School of the Arts

# The P.I.N.(Pharmaceutical Industrial Negotiations) Act of 2025

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

3 **Article I.** The Secretary of Health and Human Services, in conjunction with the  
4 Secretary of Veteran Affairs, shall now have the authority to act as  
5 representatives of their respective agencies, and in that regard, shall be  
6 able to negotiate out of pocket prices for medications with entities  
7 involved in the manufacturing of pharmaceuticals and antibiotics.

8 **Article II.** This piece of legislation will override §(6)(b) of Section 222 of the  
9 Medicare Prescription Drug Improvement and Modernization Act.

10 **Article III.** The Department of Health and Human Services and the Department of  
11 Veterans Affairs shall oversee the implementation of this legislation. Each  
12 respective agency shall be responsible for providing this Congress with  
13 biannual reports on its progress respective to their goal in lowering out of  
14 pocket prices for drugs.

15 **Article IV.** This legislation will go into effect on January 1, 2025.

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

Respectfully submitted,

American Heritage Schools, Palm Beach Campus

## **A Bill to Enhance National Security**

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

3. Article I: The United States shall allocate an additional \$50 billion annually to  
4. Defense contractors for the purpose of advancing military technology,  
5. Enhancing Cybersecurity, and modernizing defense systems.

6. Article II:

7. • “Defense contractors” are defined as private companies that provide goods  
8. and services, including technology, weapons, and support systems, to the  
9. U.S. Department of Defense.

10. • “Advancing military technology” refers to research and development of  
11. New Weaponry, artificial intelligence, and autonomous systems.

12. • “Modernizing defense systems” includes upgrading current military  
13. equipment and infrastructure.

14. Article III: This legislation will take effect on October 1, 2025, to align with the start  
15. of the fiscal year.

16. Article IV: The Department of Defense shall oversee the allocation and utilization of  
17. The additional funding, with mandatory annual audits conducted by the  
18. Government Accountability Office (GAO) to ensure proper expenditure  
19. and compliance.

20. A) Misuse of funds by contractors will result in penalties, including fines  
21. and potential disqualification from future contracts.

22. B) Contractors must submit detailed progress reports quarterly to the

23. Department of Defense.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Boca Raton Community High School

## **A Bill to Dismantle the Stock Exchange**

1     *Be it enacted by this Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here*

2     *assembled that:*

3     Article I:     Publicly owned companies will buy-back all shares of company stock

4                     and the U.S Stock Exchange will cease to exist.

5     Article II:     Stock Exchange shall include both the NASDAQ and NYSE

6     Article III:    This bill will be will take effect immediately with a 5-year

7                     implementation/buy-back time frame.

8     Article IV:     The enforcement of this bill will fall to the US department of Commerce.

9     Article V:     All other laws that are in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null

10                    and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Cardinal Newman High School

## **A Bill to Subsidize P.F.F (Pesticides Free Farming)**

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

3 **Article I.** in order to reduce use of Pesticides in food crops, we will  
4 increase subsidies farms to increase GMO crops over 7-10  
5 years,

6 **Article II** Subsidy- A sum of money granted by government to assist  
7 the industry.

8 GMO- A plant, animal, or microbe in which one or more  
9 changes.

10 Pesticides- A substance used for destroying insects or other  
11 organisms harmful to plants.

12 Food crop- The crops that are cultivated through agriculture  
13 for the purpose of supplying.

14 **Article III** The FDA will oversee the disbursement percentages that's  
15 funded.

16 **Article IV** Increase current subsidy maximum from \$125,000 to  
17 \$250,000 (per year) to aid in replacement of standard crops  
18 with GMO crops.

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

Respectfully Submitted,  
Clark Advanced Learning Center

## The Fortress Act

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

3 Article I: Any person(s) dwelling within a residence in which they have a right to be  
4 has no duty to retreat and may use or threaten:

5 (a). Non deadly force against an intruder who is conducting actions or  
6 behaving in a way that reasonably constitutes the use of such force  
7 to ensure the protection of yourself, your property, or another  
8 person(s) or to ensure their immediate vacation of the property.

9 (b). Lethal force against an intruder who is conducting actions which  
10 you or another person within reasonable fear for their lives or  
11 significant fear for their property in a manner which non lethal  
12 intervention would pose significant danger to yourself or others or  
13 would be ineffective to stop harm to your property.

14 Article II:

15 The term "Intruder" shall be defined as any individual unlawfully entering  
16 a property, refusing to leave a property after requested, or entering a  
17 property against the wishes of the owner.

18 The term "armed" shall be defined as an individual possessing weapons or  
19 objects capable of causing significant bodily harm.

20 The term non lethal force shall be defined as force not intended to kill the  
21 recipient of said force and has a low chance of leading to immediate death  
22 of the recipient.

23 Lethal force is defined as force intended or highly capable to cause great  
24 bodily harm or death to the recipient of the force.

25 A person is assumed to be under reasonable fear for their lives if:

26 (a). Said person is actively being issued credible threats of  
27 bodily harm or death by the intruder(s).

28 (b). The intruder(s) on said person's property are visibly armed,  
29 can be reasonably assumed to be armed, or claims to be  
30 armed.

31 (c). Said person is at significant physical disadvantage to the  
32 intruder(s) and is facing aggression from said intruder(s).

33 Article III: The Bill will take effect in FY 2026

34 Article IV: The Department of Justice will undertake this new federal law and all the  
35 changes it creates.

36 Any person(s) illegally trespassing on property accept all the liability of  
37 this practice and any injuries sustained are fully their responsibility and  
38 the land owner holds no liability. This includes but is not limited to  
39 injuries sustained from the environment, man made structures such as  
40 ladders and staircases, guard animals, electric fences, and broken or  
41 defective objects/structures found on said property. Should it be found,  
42 however, that the owner of said property purposely created unsafe  
43 conditions or traps for the purpose of harming or capturing intruders they

44 shall be liable for damages.

45 Article V: All other laws that are in conflict with this new policy shall hereby be 46  
declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted,  
William T Dwyer High School



## **A Bill to Legalize Private Sale of Human Organs**

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

3 Article I: Sale of human organs by their owner to consumers will now be legal

4 Article II: Human Organs is defined as, “a group of tissues in a living organism that  
5 have been adapted to perform a specific function.”

6 Article III: Any 25 year old human may elect to sell their organs to a willing  
7 purchaser as long as it meets the following requirements:

- 1.) The organ cannot be one whose absence causes direct death
- 2.) All sales must be overseen and approved by a new executive agency  
with screenings for any physical, mental, or genetic conditions that  
may alter the quality or organs or create a lack of complete consent
- 3.) Each US State will receive categorial grants of 5 million dollars per  
year to establish satellite outposts in their state to process requests

8 The Congress will appropriate 150 million dollars for the creation of  
9 “The US Department of Organ Sales.”

10 The penalty for unregistered sale of organs will be classified as a human  
11 trafficking crime, with a mandatory minimum prison sentence of 20 years

11 Article IV: The US Department of Organ Sales will oversee the enforcement of this  
legislation. This legislation will go into effect January 20<sup>th</sup> 2025

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

Respectfully submitted,

John I Leonard High School



# A Bill to Rehabilitate the Public Criminal Defense System

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

3 Article I Public defenders shall no longer be allowed to work contemporaneously on  
4 more than 30 felony cases, or no more than 65 misdemeanor cases.

5 Article II In the event that a public defender is taking a hybrid of felony and  
6 misdemeanor cases contemporaneously, the public defender shall be limited  
7 to 45 cases in total, while taking on less than 20 felony cases.

8 Article III The Department of Justice (DOJ) shall oversee the implementation and  
9 enforcement of this bill.

10 The DOJ shall create a committee that will oversee the allocation of funds  
11 to states to aid with the hiring of more public defenders, and retention of  
12 public defenders.

13 2 billion dollars shall be allotted to this committee for the sake of hiring  
14 more public defenders.

15 1 billion dollars shall be allocated to this committee for the sake of retaining  
16 public defenders, through increased wages.

17 Article IV This legislation will take effect on FY27. All laws in conflict with this  
18 legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted,

Olympic Heights High School.



# A Bill to Tax Sugary Drinks to Protect Public Health

1 Be it enacted by the Palm Beach Catholic Forensic League Student Congress here  
assembled that”

3 Article I Sugary Drinks shall be taxed at a variable rate dependent on the sugar  
4 density within a beverage to prevent obesity and protect public health.

5 Article II Sugary drinks shall be defined as any beverage with added sugar or other  
6 sweeteners (high fructose corn syrup, sucrose, fruit juice concentrates; any  
7 caloric sweetener such as, sugar, honey, or any other substance designed to  
8 add sweetness to a beverage thereof.)

9 Article 3 The FDA will oversee the Implementation and the IRS will oversee the  
10 taxation of this policy.

11 Tier 1: Drinks with fewer than 8g of sugars per 12 fluid ounces will not be  
12 taxed.

13 Tier 2: Drinks with 8g to fewer than 30g of sugars per 12 fluid ounces will  
14 be taxed at a rate of \$0.04 per ounce.

15 Tier 3: Drinks with more than 30g of sugars per 12 fluid ounces will be  
16 taxed at a rate of \$0.08 per ounce.

17 Article 4 This legislation will take effect on FY2025. All laws in conflict with this  
18 legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted,

Park Vista Community High School.

**A Bill to Ban Federal Government Leasing of Public Lands and Parks to Private Commercial Enterprises**

1 Be it enacted by this palm Beach Ctaholic Forensic League Student Congress here  
2 assembled that”:

3 ARTICLE I. The United States government shall ban the leasing of public lands and  
4 parks to private commercial enterprises.

5 ARTICLE II. Let the following definitions be used as interpretations:

6 Public lands are defined as land owned and/or managed by federal, state,  
7 or local governments.

8 Private commercial enterprises are defined as businesses, corporations, or  
9 private entities involved in profit-driven activities.

10 ARTICLE III. The Department of the Interior shall oversee enforcement.

11 The Department shall assume responsibility for developing regulations to  
12 categorize public lands and to monitor compliance. This can also include  
13 partnerships with other federal, state, and local agencies, as well as non-  
14 governmental organizations  
15 and community groups, to enhance oversight, including the National Park  
16 Service (NPS).

17 ARTICLE IV. This legislation will take effect immediately after passing.

18 ARTICLE V. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,  
The Pine School

## **A Bill to Reinstate the U.S Gold Standard**

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

3 Article I: The United States will gradually revert to the monetary system of the  
4 the gold standard in order to stabilize the economy, secure long-term  
5 spending, and replace the fiat monetary system that is currently present.

6 Article II: The Gold Standard shall be defined as a monetary system where a  
7 countries' currency or paper money has a value directly linked to gold.  
8 Fiat money shall be defined as a government-issued  
9 currency that is not backed by a commodity such as gold.

10 Article III: This legislation will go into effect on June 1, 2025

11 Article IV: The Department of Treasury and Bureau of Land Management shall be  
12 tasked with enforcing this bill:

13 A) The Department of the Treasury shall establish a committee that  
14 will conduct frequent economic assessments after the legislation  
15 goes into effect, develop detailed legislative proposal and  
16 frameworks to ensure economic stability, and submit proposals to  
17 Congress for approval.

18 B) The Bureau of Land Management shall identify and allocate  
19 federal lands suitable for gold mining while ensuring compliance  
20 with existing land use laws, respect for private property, and  
21 adhering to environmental regulations. It shall also establish  
22 transparent processes for leasing mining rights to private companies.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Suncoast High School

**A Bill to Ban Animal Testing of Cosmetics**

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 Article 1. Testing on all animals including, but not limited to, mice, rats, frogs, dogs,  
3 cats, rabbits, hamsters, guinea pigs, monkeys, fish, and birds, for purposes  
4 of the manufacturing of cosmetics shall hereby be banned.

5 Article 2. “Animal testing” is procedures performed on living animals for purposes  
6 of research, testing the effectiveness of safety and consumer products such  
7 as cosmetics. “Cosmetics” shall be classified under the Federal Food,  
8 Drug, and Cosmetic Act’s definition as “articles intended to be rubbed,  
9 poured, sprinkled, or sprayed on, introduced into, or otherwise applied to  
10 the human body...for cleansing, beautifying, promoting attractiveness, or  
11 altering the appearance.”

12 Article 3. This legislation shall take effect on July 1, 2025.

13 Article 4. This bill will be enforced by the United States Department of Agriculture  
14 (USDA).

15 A. Any manufacturer found to be in violation of this legislation shall  
16 be subject to penalty at the discretion of the USDA.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Wellington Community High School



# A Bill to Abolish US Federal Agencies that Violate Human Rights

1 Be it enacted by the Palm Beach County forensics League Student Congress here  
2 assembled that:

3. Article I. This bill will abolish the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and  
4 Explosives (ATF); the Department of Intelligence and Analysis (DHI);  
5 United States Coast Guard Intelligence (CG-2); the Bureau of Prisons  
6 (BOP); the Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force (OCDETF);  
7 and the El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC). These agencies will be cut due  
8 to their notable public attention regarding faulty intelligence and  
9 incursions on the constitutional rights of Americans.

10. Article II. Abolish in this context means withholding all funding and firing all staff  
11 members.

12 Article III This bill will be enforced by the Government Accountability Office  
13 (GAO) and the upcoming Department of Government Efficiency (DOGE).  
14 Any other agency that the Department of Government Efficiency  
15 determines has violated human rights will also be subject to this  
16 legislation.

17. Article IV. This legislation will take effect in FY2026. All laws in conflict with this  
18 legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

West Boca Raton Community High School.