

House 3

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A Bill to Eliminate the Charging of Application Fees at Institutions of Higher Learning

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

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States Department of Education will mandate the elimination
3 of any higher education institutions in the United States charging prospective students
4 application fees

5 **SECTION 2.** Whereas; these fees are charged to all students who wish to apply for
6 admission to the college or university they are applying to and the payment of the fee
7 generates a large amount of money for the school and that the acceptance of the student is
8 not tied in any way to the charging of the fee.

9 **SECTION 3.** No funding will be needed to enact this legislation.

10 **SECTION 4.** This law shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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

Introduced by,

Rep. John Barron

Weiser High School

A Bill to Raise the Minimum Age of Tobacco Products

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Tobacco products legal age to use and purchase will be raised from 18
3 years old to 21 years old.

4 **SECTION 2.** Tobacco products: are products made from the tobacco plant such as snuff,
5 cigarettes, cigars etc.

6 **SECTION 3. A.** The DEA will oversee this bill

7 **B.** If a person was in violation of this law then the first offense would be
8 500\$ and increasing 1000\$ each additional offense. If a store was in
9 violation of this law, then they would be fined 5000\$ and if they repeat
10 then they would shut down the store.

11 **SECTION 4.** This law will take effect within six months of passage.

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

*Introduced by Rep Lange
Rocky Mountain High School*

A Bill To Have Medical Trained Personnel At High School Sporting

Events

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

Section 1: Certified medical personnel (EMT/Paramedic) should be present at all high school sporting events. EMT's as in Emergency Medical Technicians.

Section 2: Every year millions of teens play a sport and they get injured at about the same rate as pro athletes. Due to increasing numbers of broken bones and concussions during high school sporting events, a quick response is mandatory to protect the athlete from further injury. It is very important to not pressure or force the athlete into working through the pain. This can make the injury more substantial and can do serious damage. It is also important that the injury is assessed by a physician to be cleared for play. The Las Angeles Times says that 28 percent of all severe injuries need surgery.

Section 3: The athletic director of the school district will have a contract with the medical service providers to insure medical services are on scene at all given events. Financial compensation will be determined by mutual agreement between both parties.

Section 4: This bill will be put into action after the passage of this bill.

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

Respectfully submitted

Andrew Hoskins

Mtn. Home HS

A Bill to Mandate a Governmental Reform Committee

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT: a mandatory committee shall be ordained and established to discuss any and all necessary Governmental Reform.

SECTION 1. The Governmental Reform committee shall be comprised of one delegate elected in a direct election by the people of the state they represent who may not currently hold any other Governmental position.

SECTION 2. The committee shall convene once every four years, one month to the day of the swearing in of the President; whom shall also act as presiding official of the committee during the time of its session.

SECTION 3. The states's delegates shall meet to discuss issues of Governmental Reform such as their states may send them to present; and those of the calendar to be ordained in Section 4.

SECTION 4. A Calendar shall be comprised by the members of the House with a due date set a month before the committee convene; the day the president is sworn in. The House shall fill this calendar with events and issues should their review find necessary to be entered. The minimum entry for this calendar shall be initially set at a hundred and fifty separate topics.

SECTION 5. The delegates of the committee, as a last order before they adjourn shall select from their number five speakers to come before the Senate to present the potential solutions, of which five for each issue discussed must be ordained. At this time the delegates shall return and the Senate shall select and vet solutions for every and all issue, and division funding.

SECTION 4. This law will take effect within six months of passage.

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

Introduced by: Representative Gunderson;
Renaissance High School.

A Bill to Establish Abstinent-Plus Programs in High Schools

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States should establish abstinent-plus programs in high
3 schools.

4 **SECTION 2.** Abstinent-plus programs allow a comprehensive understanding of sex
5 education. It promotes abstinence to those of the youth, but it also informs
6 individuals about options one has, protection, contraceptives, and
7 information on diseases. A program like this is necessary in today's
8 society with the increased rates of sexual activity amongst the youth.

9 **SECTION 3. A.** The Department of Education will oversee this project.

10 **B.** Funds will be supplied for abstinent-plus classes in high schools by the
11 class registration fee.

12 **SECTION 4.** This law will take effect within six months of passage.

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

*Introduced by Representative Doyle
-Mountain Home High School*

A BILL TO BAN ALL ZOOS THAT ARE NOT USED AS RESCUE FACILITIES

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

2 **SECTION 1:** Zoos will be used solely for rescue facility purpose; animals will only be taken in if
3 they need medical treatment with as little human contact as possible, to decrease
4 human injuries and animal instincts, then released back into their natural habitat and
5 not used for the amusement of people or breeding.

6 **SECTION 2:** Zoos are defined as a facility in which animals are confined within enclosures,
7 displayed to the public, and in which they may be bred. Rescue facilities take in animals
8 that need medical treatment and provide housing and nutrition while nursing them back
9 to health.

10 **SECTION 3:** Enforcement for this bill will come from the city's animal control unit that will
11 regulate what animals are allowed into rescue facilities after the current animals in the
12 zoos have died. Any rescue facility not following the proper procedure will be fined an
13 amount determined by the severity of the offense.

14 Funding for this bill will come from the Community Development block Grant and
15 conservation fund revenue from a 50 cent fee included in admission prices and a \$5 fee
16 included in membership prices.

17 **SECTION 4:** Implementation of this bill will be immediately after passing and as the current
18 animals in the Zoos have died.

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

Introduced by rep. Brittney kirk
Vallivue High School

A Resolution to Create a Random Drug Testing Policy for School Districts in Idaho

1 WHEREAS, the State of Idaho currently has 44 school districts, and
2 WHEREAS, each school district may or may not have a policy related to random drug testing
3 in their jurisdiction, and
4 WHEREAS, random drug testing has proven to produce positive results for both the student
5 and the school districts in relation to reducing drug usage, and
6 WHEREAS, the establishment of such policies have passed legal challenges as being
7 constitutional, and
7 WHEREAS, the purpose of establishing policies is meant to create a statewide standard policy
 so that conformity is unanimity across all counties is achieved, be it
9 RESOLVED, that the Student Congress here assembled shall endorse the establishment of a
10 committee of educators, parents, students and other interested individuals from the community
11 to create a standard Idaho school district policy regarding the random drug testing of school age
12 students, and
13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Student Congress here assembled endorses the
14 establishment of a standard school district policy for all Idaho schools in an effort to promote
15 reduced drug usage in schools.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rep. Mason Herrick

Weiser High School

A Bill to Lower the Drinking Age

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED:

Section 1: The drinking age should be lowered to sixteen with parental consent.

Section 2: As of now, the drinking age in the United States is twenty-one but many other countries have no drinking age, including: Cuba, Jamaica, and Morocco; while other countries have various lower ages where consumption is allowed.

Section 3: Persons found to be drinking without parental consent will face charges and be sentenced to prison or community service.

Section 4: The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) shall be responsible for enforcing the provisions of this bill.

Section 5: This bill shall take effect December 31, 2013.

Section 6: All laws in conflict with the provisions of this bill shall be declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

*Representative Hunter Carson
Skyview High School*

A Bill to Make Sex Education Mandatory

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** Sex education is defined as a broad term used to describe education about
3 human sexual anatomy, sexual reproduction, sexual intercourse,
4 reproductive health, emotional relations.

5 **SECTION 2.** Health will be a required class. Instead of abstinence based, the course will
6 be based on the proper ways to partake in intercourse.

7 **SECTION 3. A.** The Department of Education will be in charge of enforcing
8 **B.** This bill will require no funding.

9 **SECTION 4.** This law will take effect within six months of passage.

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

Introduced by. Shelby Lee Rocky Mountain.

A Bill to Return Voting Rights to Ex-Convicts

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED

THAT:

1. **SECTION 1:** The United States Government will allow all ex-convicts, who have
2. successfully completed their appointed sentence, to have full voting rights of other U.S.
3. citizens.

4. **SECTION 2:** Ex-convicts include those who have successfully completed their
sentence, and persons on parole or probation.

8. **SECTION 3:** As of August 1, 2012 no one who is on probation, parole, or has past
5. convictions will be denied the right to participate in local, state, or national elections.

6. Local law enforcement will be responsible for any complaints or reports of being
7. denied the ability to participate.

9. **SECTION 4:** Anyone who has active denied the right to vote to others will be fined
10. \$1,000 for every person restrained from voting.

11. **SECTION 5:** All laws in conflict with this bill will become null and void.

Respectfully Submitted By Representative Crighton Mountain Home High School

A Bill to Lower the Legal Driving Age to 13 and a Half Years of Age Years of Age

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** This bill will allow young adults (of the age 13 and a half) the privilege to
3 begin the drivers training course. Upon completion of the drivers training
4 course they may begin the required six months and sixty hours of driving
5 time as is the required time now. This will make it easier for young adults
6 (age of 14) to be able to drive to work seeing as the legal age to start
7 working is 14.

8 **SECTION 2.** A driver is defined somebody who operates a motor vehicle, or who is
9 capable of operating one

10 **SECTION 3.** The department of transportation and motor vehicles will oversee the this
11 bill and its implementation.

12 **SECTION 4.** This law will take effect within six months of passage.

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

Introduced by. Braeden Larsen

Rocky Mountain High School

A BILL TO ALLOCATE 2 MILLION DOLLARS TO STEM CELL RESEARCH FROM FEDERAL FUNDS

1. **SECTION 1:** Seeing as how there is much controversy over the original method of
2. acquiring stem cells, new ways of acquiring stem cells have been found. Therefore,
3. there is no moral or religious reason to refuse funding to stem cell research.
4. **SECTION 2:** Stem cell research can be crucial to curing diseases such as Parkinson's
5. disease, repairing or replacing damaged limbs, and also the possibility for the cure for
6. cancer which stem cell research may present,
7. **SECTION 3:** The United States Federal Reserve shall allocate 2 million dollars to fund a
8. government run stem cell research lab. This program shall fall under the jurisdiction of
9. the Surgeon General, whom shall oversee this project and shall direct and staff the
10. work force for this program. Pending success of said lab, results shall be published and
11. more funding shall be allocated in equivalency to the success of said research.
12. **SECTION 4:** As soon as research is completed and approved by a council of scientific and
13. medical experts appointed by the joined decision of the current president and the
14. surgeon general, an amount of money as determined by the surgeon general shall be
15. allocated to the funding, maintenance, and creation of stem cell health centers.
16. **SECTION 5:** The only constraint for this program is that it may not use the original
17. method of acquiring these cells from a fertilized egg, but shall instead have to work with
18. umbilical cord stem cells and with the Somatic Cell Nuclear Transfer method.
19. **SECTION 6:** This program shall take funding from the United States Federal Reserve.
20. **SECTION 7:** This program will be instated one year upon passing of this bill.
21. **SECTION 8:** All laws in conflict with this bill are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted by

Representative Nute

from MHHS

A Bill to lower gambling age to 18

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** United States lower gambling age to 1.

3 **SECTION 2.** Gambling is the process of betting money and possibly winning more
4 money, losing money or breaking even. Gambling includes slot machines
5 sporting events, card games, horseracing.

6 **SECTION 3. A. the gaming commission will oversee provisions of this bill.**

7 **B. the only Gambling law changing is age, cheating and underage**
8 **gambling is still illegal.**

9 **SECTION 4.** This law will take effect immediately upon passage.

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

Introduced by. Rocky Mountain High