



Kasper Cup Tournament

Nov. 15th 2025

Congressional Docket



Table of Contents

1. A Bill to Ban Improper Plastic Disposal in the US - Millard South
2. A Resolution to Provide Literacy Programs in Homeless Shelters - Hastings
3. A Bill to End Non-Criminal Detention - Norfolk
4. A Bill to Institute Nationwide Paid Parental Leave - Elkhorn South
5. A Resolution to Make Minimum Wage a Living Wage - Hastings
6. A Resolution to Inoculate Tuberculosis - Lincoln East
7. A Bill to Abolish the Death Penalty - Millard South
8. A Bill to Implement Parenting Classes to Help the Future Generations - Marian
9. A Bill to Ban Social Media for Children Under 13 - Millard West
10. A Bill to Ban the Use of Artificial Intelligence in US Military Technology - Lincoln High

1. A Bill to Ban Improper Plastic Disposal in the US

1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2. **SECTION 1.** All plastic waste facilities that improperly dispose of their plastic waste
3. will be taken down and renovated to accommodate the necessary disposal methods for
4. the plastics they dispose of.
5. **SECTION 2.**
6. Plastic waste facilities: A facility, like a recycling facility, that disposes of or does anything
7. to break down or change the plastic so that parts of it get lost in the process.
8. Plastics: A synthetic material made from organic polymers that take a long time to break
9. down naturally and contain substances that are harmful to the nearby environment.
10. Improperly disposed of plastic waste: Plastic facilities that break down their plastic
11. incorrectly result in the smaller plastic bits getting into the environment and dealing
12. more damage than it would have otherwise, such as Microplastics.
13. **SECTION 3.** This bill will be enforced by the EPA and OSHA.
14. A. Both organizations will do checks on plastic facilities to make sure that they
15. are properly disposing of their waste
16. B. Facilities that refuse to make changes will face a fine determined by the: 1.
17. Type of plastics they are realizing into the environment, 2. The amount of land and sea
18. they are releasing the improperly disposed waste into and 3. Company revenue to
19. ensure that they have to pay a decent amount of money per year to motivate them to
20. renovate their facilities.
21. C. Facilities that can't pay for the changes will receive financial help to make these
22. changes.
23. **SECTION 4.** This bill will be in effect on January 1, 2027.
24. **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced by Millard South High School

2. A Resolution to Provide Literacy Programs in Homeless Shelters

1. **WHEREAS,** Homeless individuals in the United States have below average reading
2. and writing skills and do not have adequate resources (or have none at
3. all) to learn; and
4. **WHEREAS,** Limited literacy skills can prevent the homeless from reading things like
5. traffic signs, warning signs, and other safety notices, which may place
6. them at higher risk of harm; and
7. **WHEREAS,** Inability to read or understand legal documents, medical instructions, and
8. job postings can leave homeless people vulnerable to exploitation and
9. prevent them from accessing opportunities for stability or growth;
10. Therefore, be it;
11. **RESOLVED,** By this Congress that it should support homeless shelters to establish
12. literacy programs.

Introduced by Hastings Senior High School

3. A BILL TO END NON-CRIMINAL DETENTION

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE

1 ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 SECTION 1. All federal, state, and local government agencies
3 are prohibited from detaining individuals unless the individual is
4 being held with pending criminal charges.

5 SECTION 2. Any agency that receives funding from any tax
6 revenue is responsible for complying with this legislation.

7 SECTION 3. The US Department of Justice will be responsible
8 for responding to any alleged, illegal detentions.

9 A. Federal agencies found in non-compliance with this law will
10 have 30 calendar days to release detained individuals. After 30
11 days, agencies will lose 50% of federal funding. After 45 days,
12 agencies will lose 75% of federal funding. After 60 days,
13 agencies will lose 100% of federal funding.

14 B. State and local government agencies will lose federal
15 funding, including any and all grants, after 30 days. After 60
16 days, state and local agencies will lose the ability to levy taxes.

17 SECTION 4. This bill will go into effect upon passage.

18 SECTION 5. All laws that are in conflict with this policy shall
hereby be declared null and void.

Submitted by Norfolk High School

4. A Bill to Institute Nationwide Paid Parental Leave

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **SECTION 1.** Beginning on January 1st, 2027, there will be guaranteed,
2 nationwide parental paid leave for all employees when becoming parents,
3 specifically after birth.

4 **SECTION 2.** The definition of paid leave is split into 2 parts: if the worker
5 is paid in salary, pay will continue as normal with no reduction from
6 previous pay; or, if they were a worker paid by hour or commission, then
7 they will be paid their average weekly pay over the last six months in
8 weekly installments.

9 **SECTION 3.** The mother, for the first 3 months after birth, will be given
10 paid leave, and the father will have paid leave for 2 weeks after giving birth.

11 **SECTION 4.** For businesses with fewer than 100 employees, any paid
12 parental leave can be claimed in a tax credit for half of what they paid the
13 employee that was on leave.

14 **SECTION 5.** If an employee adopts or inherits the responsibility of a
15 child, they shall receive the same benefits of the father defined in section
16 3.

17 **SECTION 6.** This legislation will take effect on January 1st, 2027. All laws
18 in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

SUBMITTED BY ELKHORN SOUTH

5. A Resolution to Make Minimum Wage a Living Wage

1. **WHEREAS**, A full time minimum wage job no longer provides income sufficient to
2. escape poverty; and
3. **WHEREAS**, The federal minimum wage has remained stagnant at \$7.25 since 2009,
4. failing to keep pace with inflation and the rising cost of living; and
5. **WHEREAS**, Millions of workers, particularly in minority groups, earn the federal
6. minimum wage. The federal minimum wage is currently considered a
7. poverty wage, meaning it is not sufficient to cover basic living needs like
8. food, housing, and transportation; therefore, be it
9. **RESOLVED**, By this Congress that the federal minimum wage shall be raised to \$17
10. per hour, and indexed to inflation thereafter, to ensure that minimum wage
11. work provides a livable income.

Submitted by Hastings Senior High School

6. A Resolution to Inoculate Tuberculosis

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **WHEREAS,** Tuberculosis, despite having an effective cure for over 80 years, is still killing citizens
- 2 of the United States and citizens of other nations abroad; and
- 3 **WHEREAS,** 1.25 million people died from tuberculosis (TB) in 2023, mainly in countries
- 4 recognized by the United Nations as Least Developed Countries; and
- 5 **WHEREAS,** There has been an influx of deadly Multidrug-Resistant Tuberculosis every year since
- 6 the synthesis of Antimycobacterials; now, therefore, be it
- 7 **RESOLVED,** That the Congress here assembled pledges to put forth 0.5% of the United States’
- 8 GDP annually for programs to eradicate Tuberculosis, and asks all member countries
- 9 of the United Nations to take the same pledge.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Lincoln East.

7. A Bill to Abolish the Death Penalty

1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2. **SECTION 1.** The death penalty will now be considered cruel and unusual
3. punishment and will be banned to use in state sanctioned prisons.
4. **SECTION 2.** The death penalty will be defined as the state-sanctioned killing of
5. a person as punishment for a crime
6. **SECTION 3.** The DOJ will oversee the implementation and enforcement of this
7. bill.
8. **SECTION 4.** This bill will be implemented at the start of the next fiscal year.
9. **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null
10. and void.

Introduced by Millard South High School

8. A Bill to Implement Parenting Classes to Help the Future Generations

1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2. **SECTION 1.** Every guardian will be required to take a parenting class before taking on
3. legal responsibility of their first child
4. The parenting class will follow a curriculum provided by the United States Department
5. of Education and will require each guardian to participate in parenting classes two times
6. a week adding up to 15 hours of classroom instruction. These classes will be paid for by
7. taxes.
8. The classes will be held by all community colleges in person and virtually.
9. **SECTION 2.** Guardian will be defined as any individual who is legally responsible for
10. any child who is going to be adopted, born, fostered, etc.
11. **SECTION 3.** If the guardian:
12. A. Does not finish the class by the birth or attainment of the child
13. B. Does not have an eligible relative to care for the child
14. The child will be taken into a care facility until the course is completed by the guardian.
15. The United States Department of Justice will enforce this legislation, The Administration
16. for Children and Families will take the child of any guardians who have not completed
17. the course, federally instated facilities will care for all confiscated children.
18. The care facilities will be paid for by
19. A. Child support provided by the guardians of confiscated children.
20. B. Taxes.
21. **SECTION 4.** This bill will go into effect in the 2030 fiscal year.
22. **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced by Marian High School

9. A Bill to Ban Social Media for Children Under 13

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. Children under the age of 13 shall be prohibited from creating, accessing, or using social media platforms in any capacity within the United States.

A. All social media platforms operating in the United States shall be required to implement robust age verification systems, including but not limited to government-issued identification, to prevent access by individuals under the age of 13.

SECTION 2. For the purposes of this legislation, “*social media*” is defined as: “*Websites and applications that enable users to create and share content or to participate in social networking.*”

SECTION 3. Enforcement of this legislation shall be overseen by the Federal Trade Commission (FTC).

- A.** Any domestic social media platform violating this legislation will be fined up to \$50,000 per instance of unlawful access by a minor under 13.
- B.** Any foreign social media platform that fails to comply with this legislation shall be subject to access restrictions, including but not limited to removal from U.S.-based app stores and blockage by U.S. internet service providers.

SECTION 4. This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2027.

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

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Millard West High School

10. A Bill to Ban the Use of Artificial Intelligence in US Military Technology

1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2. **SECTION 1.** The integration of Artificial Intelligence technology is hereby banned and any previous integration must be reversed.
3. **SECTION 2.** Artificial Intelligence technology is defined as any computer technology that has computational properties that mimic human thought, including generative, problem solving, or decision making capabilities.
4. **SECTION 3.** The Department of Defense will oversee the implementation of this legislation.
5. A. A new monitoring committee shall be created. This committee will ensure all current and future research and development comply with this and all other regulations.
6. B. Failure to comply with regulation will result in immediate loss of funding for any development project.
7. **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage. Existing AI integration will have a one year grace period to be phased out.
8. **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced by Lincoln High School