

Fostering American Industrial Revival (F.A.I.R.) ACT

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **SECTION 1.** The United States shall impose tariffs to protect domestic industries,
2 reduce reliance on foreign imports, and address trade imbalances.

3 A. A 10% tariff shall be imposed on all imported goods.

4 B. A 20% tariff shall be imposed on imports originating from nations with
5 annual trade surpluses exceeding \$100 billion.

6 C. A 60% tariff shall be imposed on imports from non-compliant nations
7 engaging in unfair trade practices.

8 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this legislation, the following terms are defined:

9 A. "Tariff" means any tax imposed on imported or exported goods.

10 B. "Trade Surplus" means the amount by which a country's exports
11 exceeds its imports over a defined period.

12 C. "Non-compliant nation" means a country identified by the U.S. Trade
13 Representative as engaging in practices including but not limited to
14 intellectual property theft, forced technology transfer, or currency
15 manipulation.

16 D. "Offshoring corporation" means any corporation based in the United
17 States relocating 50% or more of their production outside of the
18 United States.

19 **SECTION 3.** The U.S. Trade Representative will be responsible for tariff designations and
20 updates on non-compliant nations. The Department of Homeland Security will be
21 responsible for tariff collection at all U.S. ports of entry.

22 A. Corporations who are deemed to be offshoring shall face a 200% tariff
23 on goods manufactured abroad as a penalty unless they qualify for
24 exemptions under bilateral agreements.

25 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2025. All laws in conflict with
26 this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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