

Creek Classic Congress Docket
Saturday, November 1, 2025
Round 1, Item 1

A Bill to Ban Tipping and Replace it with Fair Wages

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** The practice of tipping in restaurants, bars, and other service
3 establishments shall be prohibited. A service charge shall be included directly in
4 menu prices and paid to employers through wages.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** Service charge is defined as a mandatory fee included in the bill
6 that goes directly to the employer and is added to worker hourly wages.
- 7 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Labor (DOL) shall enforce this legislation.
8 Employers must pay service workers a minimum of \$20 per hour to
9 account for the elimination of tipping. Noncompliance will result in
10 fines of up to \$25,000 per violation.
- 11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect two years after passage to allow
12 businesses time to adjust wage structures and pricing.
- 13 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Santa Maria High School (Texas)

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Round 1, Item 2

A Bill to Implement a Four-Day School Week

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS Congress HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** All public K-12 schools in the United States shall transition to a four-
- 3 day school week. Total instructional time shall remain at least equal to
- 4 current annual requirements mandated by state education laws.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** In the context of this legislation, a "four-day school week" shall
- 6 mean four instructional days per week, with each day consisting of no fewer
- 7 than 7.5 hours of instruction.
- 8 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Education shall oversee implementation.
- 9 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect on August 1st, 2027.
- 10 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Lyndon B. Johnson High School (Texas)

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Round 1, Item 3

A Bill to Eliminate Tuition for Public Community Colleges

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** The federal government shall eliminate tuition costs for students
3 attending accredited public community colleges in the United States by providing
4 federal funding to cover tuition expenses.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** “Public community college” shall mean any two-year
6 degree-granting institution operated and funded in part by state or local
7 governments. “Tuition” shall mean the direct instructional cost charged to
8 students for enrollment in credit-bearing courses. “Eligible student” shall mean
9 any U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident enrolled in an accredited public
10 community college.
- 11 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Education shall distribute funds to states to
12 reimburse public community colleges for tuition costs. \$40 billion annually shall
13 be allocated from the federal budget for this purpose.
- 14 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect on January 31, 2026.
- 15 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by United High School (Texas)

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Round 2, Item 1

A Bill to Limit the Usage of Artificial Intelligence to Improve Environmental Conditions

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** Artificial intelligence data centers must demonstrate energy
3 independence by having a minimal or zero impact on local electrical grids.
- 4 **SECTION 2.** Data Centers is defined as a specialized facility that centralizes an
5 organization's shared information technology operations and equipment for
6 storing, processing and dismantling data and applications.
- 7 **SECTION 3.** The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission will determine grid
8 impact and issue licenses for proposed data centers.
- 9 **SECTION 4.** This bill will take effect on July 1st, 2026.
- 10 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by John. B. Alexander High School (Texas)

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Round 2, Item 2

A Bill to Establish Universal Free Breakfast & Lunch in Public and Charter Schools

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** All public and charter schools in the United States shall provide free
3 breakfast and lunch to all students.
- 4 **SECTION 2.** Free will be defined as not costing or charging anything. Charter
5 school will be defined as a tuition-free school of choice that is publicly funded but
6 independently run.
- 7 **SECTION 3.** The Food and Nutrition Service of the United States Department of
8 Agriculture and the Department of Education will oversee implementation.
- 9 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect on January 31st, 2026.
- 10 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Santa Rosa High School (Texas)

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Round 2, Item 3

A Bill to Implement Income-Based Fines for Traffic Tickets

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** All traffic fines in the United States shall be assessed on a sliding
3 scale based on the violator's income, ensuring equitable financial accountability
4 across all income levels.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** A person's income will be based on their household annual income
6 verified through IRS-reported income and state tax records. Fines will be
7 calculated as a percentage of the violator's monthly income.
- 8 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Transportation, in coordination with state
9 Departments of Motor Vehicles, shall oversee implementation. The fine
10 percentage shall vary by violation severity, ranging from 0.5% for minor
11 infractions (e.g., parking violations) up to 10% for severe infractions (e.g.,
12 reckless driving, excessive speeding).
- 13 **SECTION 4.** This bill will be implemented upon passage.
- 14 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Mission Collegiate High School (Texas)

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Round 3, Item 1

A Bill to Strengthen the First Amendment Right to Protest

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**

2 **SECTION 1.** A clear and consistent federal standard shall be established for the
3 protection of the First Amendment right to freedom of assembly, and to prohibit
4 the use of excessive force against public protests by law enforcement agencies.

5 **SECTION 2.** “Excessive force” shall be defined as any law enforcement action
6 which results or may result in injury or death, including chemical irritants and
7 less-than-lethal projectiles. “Public protests” shall be defined as any peaceful
8 demonstration or assembly in a public space consisting of three or more
9 individuals.

10 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Justice’s Civil Rights Division shall be
11 responsible for overseeing implementation and enforcement of this legislation All
12 federal funding for law enforcement agencies shall be contingent upon the
13 agency’s full compliance.

14 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect on January 31, 2026.

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

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Lyndon B. Johnson High School (Texas)

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Round 3, Item 2

A Bill to Ban All Pharmaceutical Patents

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**

2 **SECTION 1.** With the aim of increasing innovation and competition within the
3 pharmaceutical industry, all patents, both future and existing, on pharmaceutical
4 products are hereby prohibited.

5 **SECTION 2.** “Pharmaceutical products” will refer but not limited to over-the-
6 counter medications, prescription drugs, and vaccines.

7 **SECTION 3.** The United States Patent and Trademark office in conjunction with
8 the Food and Drug Administration will oversee implementation. The FDA will be 9
9 allocated \$100 million from the Department of Defense to preserve drug safety
10 and access.

11 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will go into effect on January 1st, 2026.

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

Introduced for Congressional Debate by WB Ray High School (Texas)

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Round 3, Item 3

A Bill to Impose an Excise Tax on the Sale of Ultra-Processed Foods

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**

2 **SECTION 1.** An excise tax will be placed on all ultra-processed foods to promote
3 people to eat healthier foods and consumables.

4 **SECTION 2.** Healthier food and consumables are defined as minimally
5 processed, nutrient-rich foods and drinks that support health, free from excessive
6 sugars, salts, unhealthy fats, and artificial additives. Ultra processed foods shall
7 be defined as commercially manufactured products composed primarily of
8 refined ingredients and additives formulated for taste, convenience, and shelf
9 stability,

10 **SECTION 3.** The Food and Drug Administration will oversee the enforcement of
11 this bill. An excise tax of \$0.02 per ounce on sugar-sweetened beverages will be
12 imposed with revenue allocated to federal nutrition programs and health
13 promotion initiatives.

14 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will go into effect on September 1, 2026.

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

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Valley View High School (Texas)

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Saturday, November 1, 2025
Finals, Item 1

A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Establish Age Limits for the President of the United States

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**

2 **RESOLVED**, By two-thirds of the Congress here assembled, that the following
3 article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United
4 States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the
5 Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the
6 several states within seven years from the date of its submission by the
7 Congress:

8 **ARTICLE**

9 **SECTION 1:** No person who has attained the age of seventy-five years shall be
10 elected to the office of President of the United States of America. No person shall
11 hold the office of President nor act as President after attaining the age of eighty
12 years.

13 **SECTION 2.** The Congress shall have the power to enforce this article by
14 appropriate legislation.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Laredo United South HS (Texas)

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Finals, Item 2

A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Elect Supreme Court Justices

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
2 **RESOLVED**, By two-thirds of the Congress here assembled, that the following
3 article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United
4 States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the
5 Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the
6 several states within seven years from the date of its submission by the
7 Congress:

8 **ARTICLE**

9 **SECTION 1.** The Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States shall be
10 directly elected by the qualified voters of the United States. No person shall be
11 eligible to be elected as a Justice of the Supreme Court unless they
12 have served a tenure of at least 10 years as a judge on one of the lower
13 federal courts. Justices of the Supreme Court shall continue to hold their offices
14 during Good Behavior.

15 **SECTION 2.** The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by
16 appropriate legislation.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Lyndon B. Johnson HS (Texas)

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Finals, Item 3

A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Eliminate Executive Orders

1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THIS CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**

2 **RESOLVED**, By two-thirds of the Congress here assembled, that the following
3 article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United
4 States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the
5 Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the
6 several states within seven years from the date of its submission by the
7 Congress:

8 **ARTICLE**

9 **SECTION 1.** The President of the United States of America shall no longer have
10 the authority to enact Executive Orders.

11 **SECTION 2.** The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by amending
12 Article II, Section 2 of the United States Constitution to forbid the issuance of
13 Executive Orders.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by McMullen County High School (Texas)