

CCHS January After School Congress Docket
Tuesday, January 13, 2026
Round 1, Item 1

**A Bill to Establish Independent Redistricting Commission
to Abolish Gerrymandering**

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** The United States hereby establishes an Independent Redistricting
3 Commission in each of the 50 states to redraw congressional districts
4 every 10 years following the U.S. Census demographic shift.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** Definitions:
- 6 A. The Independent Restricting Commission will have its members
7 selected to reflect the state's geographical, racial, gender, and political
8 diversity. The commission will require 8 members, with 2 chosen from the
9 two major political parties respectively, and four independents. Any map
10 will have to pass with eight members in favor of the map to pass.
- 11 B. Each state will create its own independent redistricting
12 commission. State legislatures shall only reject the district map if they are
13 found to violate the state Constitution or the Constitution of the United
14 States.
- 15 **SECTION 3.** The Federal Election Commission will work alongside states to
16 implement this bill. The Federal Election Commission will intervene if it is
17 observed that there exist any discrepancies in any of the terms listed above.
- 18 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2027. All laws in
19 conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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Round 1, Item 2

A Bill to Increase Aid to Haiti

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** \$2 billion will be allocated to Haiti to improve the people's access to
- 3 necessities and to stabilize the economy.
- 4 A. \$720 million will be allocated to foreign aid through the United Nations
- 5 Children's Fund (UNICEF) to implement the Humanitarian Response Plan for
- 6 Haiti.
- 7 B. \$1.28 billion will be allocated to foreign direct investment through
- 8 United States businesses.
- 9 **SECTION 2.** Foreign aid shall be defined as money and commodities that the
- 10 United States provides to other countries. Foreign direct investment shall be
- 11 defined as investment involving a long-term relationship and reflecting a
- 12 lasting interest.
- 13 **SECTION 3.** The Department of State will oversee the implementation of this
- 14 legislation.
- 15 A. The Department of State will conduct semiannual investigations to
- 16 ensure that the funding is properly used and will revoke aid if not
- 17 properly used.
- 18 B. Funding will be taken from the Department of Defense's
- 19 discretionary budget.
- 20 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2027
- 21 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

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Round 1, Item 3

A Bill to Achieve Strategic Independence

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** The United States shall levy an additional 15% import tax on
3 strategically important goods imported from other countries.
- 4 **SECTION 2.** \$100 billion shall be made available to the Department of State to
5 distribute in grants and subsidies to companies involved in the domestic
6 production of strategically important goods.
- 7 **SECTION 3.** Strategically important goods shall be defined as the following: A.
8 Semi-conductors; B. Transistors; C. Rare-earth elements; D. Lithium-ion
9 batteries E. Pharmaceuticals; F. Personal protective equipment (PPE).
- 10 **SECTION 4.** The United States Department of State will oversee the
11 implementation of this bill.
- 12 **SECTION 5.** This bill shall take effect at the start of FY 2027.
- 13 **SECTION 6.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

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Round 2, Item 1

A Bill to Eliminate the Supreme Court's Shadow Docket

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** The Supreme Court of the United States is hereby prohibited from
- 3 making motions and issuing orders on the so-called "shadow docket." All motions
- 4 and orders must henceforth be made with the utmost transparency and respect
- 5 for procedure.
- 6 **SECTION 2.** The shadow docket refers to those motions and orders that are
- 7 made outside of ordinary procedure, specifically without having reached final
- 8 judgment, decision on appeal, and/or oral arguments.
- 9 **SECTION 3.** This legislation shall take effect immediately upon passage.
- 10 **SECTION 4.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

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Round 2, Item 2

A Bill to Expand the North American Free Trade Agreement

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **SECTION 1.** The United States shall establish an Expanded North American
- 3 Free Trade Agreement (ENAF TA), eliminating all tariffs, quotas, and similar trade
- 4 barriers among key North American countries, explicitly excluding Cuba.
- 5 **SECTION 2.** “Trade barriers” shall include tariffs, quotas, embargoes, regulatory
- 6 restrictions, and any non-tariff measures intended to restrict imports or
- 7 exports. The “Key North American Countries” included in ENAF TA shall be
- 8 Canada, United States, Mexico, Guatemala, Belize, Honduras, El Salvador,
- 9 Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Panama, Dominican Republic, Haiti, and Jamaica.
- 10 **SECTION 3.** The Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) and
- 11 the Department of Commerce shall oversee enforcement and negotiate terms
- 12 with participating countries. ENAF TA shall replace and supersede previous trade
- 13 agreements immediately upon its enforcement.
- 14 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage.
- 15 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

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A Bill to Lower Prescription Drug Costs

- 1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**
- 2 **Section 1:** The United States will enact a markup cap for all prescription drugs.
- 3 A. The United States will cap markup prices by companies at 7% for
- 4 prescription drugs.
- 5 B. Companies that refuse to follow the legislation will have a federal tax on
- 6 profits double than the percentage of markup costs.
- 7 **Section 2:** The following definitions apply:
- 8 A. Prescription drugs will be defined as any drug that is obtained with a
- 9 prescription.
- 10 B. Markup caps will be defined as a method to prevent companies from
- 11 marking up manufactured products to gain more profit.
- 12 **Section 3:** The Food and Drug Administration along with the Internal Revenue
- 13 Service will be responsible for the implementation of this bill.
- 14 **Section 4:** This legislation will take effect at the start of FY 2027.
- 15 **Section 5:** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby null and void.

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