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Docket A: Virginia Bill 2005
A Bill to Establish a Balanced School Calendar for Virginia Schools

Be it enacted,

Line 01: SECTION 1. All Virginia schools follow a state-established balanced school
Line 02:
Line 03: calendar.
Line 04:
Line 05:
Line 06: SECTION 2. A balanced school calendar is a system of spreading multiple respites
Line 07:
Line 08: from school throughout the year. This eliminates the long intermission of school
Line 09:
Line 10: known as 'summer vacation'. This type of calendar would be used in all of Virginia's
Line 11:
Line 12: public schools.
Line 13:
Line 14:
Line 15: SECTION 3. The Department of Education would enforce the employment of a
Line 16:
Line 17: balanced school calendar. Counties that comply and utilize a balanced school
Line 18:
Line 19: calendar would receive matching funds for specific school improvements or
Line 20:
Line 21: technological advances. The counties that refuse to comply will receive nothing.
Line 22:
Line 23:
Line 24: SECTION 4. This bill will go into immediate effect. There will be a 10-year period
Line 25:
Line 26: where counties who wish to adopt a balanced school calendar will be able to adjust
Line 27:
Line 28: to the new calendar. In this period, counties that submit requests for matching
Line 29:
Line 30: funds will have their claims investigated thoroughly. If the county's claim
Line 31:
Line 32: withstands, the county will receive the matching funds.
Line 33:
Line 34:
Line 35: SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and
Line 36:
Line 37: void.

Respectfully Submitted By:
Representative Grace Kostrzubski
Charles J. Colgan Sr. High School
on 2/16/2020 21:44:52
Docket A: Economic Bill 7777
A Bill To Save American Farmers

Be it enacted,

Article I: The United States Federal government shall impose a moratorium on merges and acquisitions between corporations with net sales or total assets of over $160,000,000 within the food and agriculture sectors.

Article II: A committee on Agricultural and Food trade will be created to review and reconsider any merges or acquisitions conducted by corporations with net sales or total assets of over $160,000,000 and corporations of at least a tenth of its size.

Article III: This plan shall be implemented immediately upon its passage and lasts for a minimum of eighteen months.

Article IV: The Federal Trade Commission and Department of Justice shall oversee this committee and the moratorium and have the right to end it after the eighteen month period.

Article V: All laws and policies in conflict with new law are hereby deemed null and void.

Respectfully Submitted By:
Senator Megan Lawson
Charles J Colgan Senior High School
on 2/19/2020 19:43:02
Docket A: Domestic Bill 1414
A Bill to Regulate the Use of Pesticides

Be it enacted,

Line02: Article I: The United States Federal Government shall institute a bill to ban
Line03: all Pesticide use to protect the public welfare. All companies shall have to pass a
Line04: strict residue test in order to produce and sell products.
Line05:
Line 06:Article 11: Any company that fails to pass shall pay reparations to the FDA and be
Line 07:subject to two additional tests. If the company fails the additional test they will
Line 08:be subject to removal from market.
Line 09:
LINE 10: ARTICLE 111: This bill shall be effective immediately upon its passage and
Line 11:last a minimum of two years.
Line 12:
Line 13:Article IV: The Food and Drug Administration shall oversee this program and
Line 14:have the right to end it at any time.
Line15:
Line 16:Article V: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and
Line 17:void.

Respectfully Submitted By:
Senator Isabella Lenzini
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on 2/21/2020 15:00:29
Docket A: Economic Bill 1103

A Bill to require FDA approval for all cosmetic products

Be it enacted,

Article 1: The United States will require FDA approval to ensure that all cosmetics and their ingredients are safe for consumers are using them.

Article 11: The ingredients in cosmetics must be tested to ensure that there are no long term health risks. This law will require that all companies will notify the FDA of any ingredients suspected to cause cancer, birth defects or any reproductive harm.

Article 111: All ingredients in cosmetics must be clearly labeled with no exceptions. This includes those previously hidden guises as trade secrets.

Article 1V: Any company that fails to comply will incur a substantial penalty no less than 1 million and no greater than 1 billion U.S. dollars.

Respectfully Submitted By:
Senator Angel Tanoh
Colonial Forge High School
on 2/21/2020 15:14:07
Docket A: International Resolution 1111
US/Foreign Military Training Agreements

Be it resolved,

Line01:
Line02: Article I: With United States being the world leader for military training, support
Line03: will be given to nations requiring assistance from the United States.
Line04:
Line05: Article II: Example, Greek and Turkish relations have always been turbulent
Line06: especially when it comes to the Aegean Islands Turkey has claimed rights to the
Line07: island in response US Naval and Air Forces working in tandem with Greek
Line08: Forces to train and prepare in the event of Turkey establishing dominance over
Line09: The Aegean Islands.
Line10:
Line11: Article III: This assistance will be beneficial to the United States since it will
Line12: build alliances for the future, enhance interoperability and capabilities for
Line13: joint operation, allowing countries to use their national funds to receive
Line14: training. And or other DOD education and training at a reduced costs.
Line15: Funding will come from The United States Fleet Marine Forces (FMF),
Line16: may providing a partner nation either a grant (non-repayable) or direct loan.
Line17:
Line18: Article IV: This resolution will fall under the present Foreign Military Sales (FMS)
Line19: program, security assistance authorized by the Arms Export Control Act (AECA),
Line21: policy. Under Section 3, of the AECA the U.S. may sell defense articles and
Line22: services to foreign countries and international organizations when the President
Line23: finds that to do so will strengthen the U.S. and promote world peace
Line24: Under FMS, the U.S. Government and a foreign government enter into a
Line25: government-to-government: agreement called a Letter of Offer and Acceptance
Line26: (LOA).

Respectfully Submitted By:
Representative Bridget Lucas
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on 2/21/2020 15:19:35
Docket A: Domestic Bill 1941
A Bill for the re-evaluation of drug approvals and approval times.

Be it enacted,

001 Article 1. The U.S. Federal Government will re-evaluate the FDA’s drug approval process and create a new set of approval standards and regulations, to reduce the probability of harmful and low quality drugs from being approved and released to then harm American citizens.

005 A. In order to re-evaluate the drug approval standards and regulations, the FDA will be supervised by, Re-evaluation of Regulations Committee, a committee under the Department of Health and Human Services to ensure that new approval standards will insure that proper analysis and testing is done before the approval of new drugs.

009 B. A second new committee, FDA Standards Committee, will be created under the Department of Health and Human Services, to conduct audits and evaluations on the FDA periodically to ensure the continuation of proper and high quality standards and drug testing.

013 Article 2. The current approval process will continued to be used until the new approval process has been finalized and is ready to be put in place. Once the new approval process and regulations have been finalized, the FDA Standards Committee will take over from the Re-evaluation of Regulations Committee in the oversight of the FDA’s standards, and the Re-evaluation of Regulations Committee will be dissolved.

018 Article 5. This law will go into effect immediately upon passage.

019 Article 6. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully Submitted By:
Senator Luke Selnau
Charles J. Colgan Jr. Highschool
on 2/21/2020 19:37:55
Docket A: Domestic Resolution 0837
Resolution to pass the Recovering America’s wildlife act

Be it resolved,

Line 01. WHEREAS: ⅓ of U.S. wildlife species are already imperiled or at risk;
Line 02.
Line 03. WHEREAS: Current funding is only covering 5% of what is needed to in-
sure these species survival;
Line 07.
Line 08. WHEREAS: The Recovering America’s Wildlife will help implement the
Line 09. the plans of The State Wildlife Grants Program
Line 10.
Line 11. WHEREAS: Implementing the Recovering America’s Wildlife act is cost
effective and will have an economic boost
Line 12.
Line 13.
Line 14. THEREFORE, Be It Resolved By this congress today that we should
Line 15. Pass the Recovering America’s Wildlife act

Respectfully Submitted By:
Senator Regan Duceman
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on 2/21/2020 19:58:54
Docket A: Virginia Resolution 0836
Resolution to Expand School Years Through the Entire Year

Be it resolved,

Line 01. WHEREAS: The school years being divided in the summers are harmful towards
Line 02. Students, so the schooling should be year round, because
Line 03. WHEREAS: The benefits of having year long schooling outweigh the cons, and
Line 04. WHEREAS: Year long schooling allows for more days off, and
Line 05. WHEREAS: This method is better for the teachers, and
Line 06. THEREFORE, Be It Resolved By this congress today that we should
Line 07. Make schooling year long.

Respectfully Submitted By:
Senator Logan Rothschild
Massaponax High School
on 2/21/2020 20:01:04
Docket A: Economic Resolution 0839

Resolution to Suspend Corporate Consolidations

Be it resolved,

Line 01. WHEREAS: Corporate consolidation creates government sanctioned
Line 02. Monopolies that work against the public interest by stifling
Line 03. Innovation and artificially inflating prices due to lack of market
Line 04. Competition, and
Line 05. WHEREAS: It hinders access into the market for new companies by created
Line 06. Monopolistic barriers to entry, and
Line 07. WHEREAS: Such business conglomerates create an economic force that puts
Line 08. At risk the nation’s economic health by creating business that are
Line 09. Too big to fail, demanding that government bailouts of any failures
Line 10. Of consolidated companies, and
Line 11. THEREFORE, Be It Resolved By this congress today that we should suspend all

Respectfully Submitted By:
Senator Afua Boachie
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on 2/21/2020 20:06:41
Docket A: International Resolution 838
Resolution to Ban All Immigration and Trade from Bolivia

Be it resolved,

Line 01. WHEREAS, The main export from Bolivia is an illegal plant named cocoa, and
Line 02.
Line 03. WHEREAS, Immigrants from Bolivia to America are 10% more likely to ..
Line 04.
Line 05. WHEREAS, To commit crimes than other immigrant populations, and
Line 06. WHEREAS, The President of Bolivia, Jeanine Anez, has taken bribes from gang
Line 07. Affiliates, creating a corrupt government, and
Line 08.
Line 09. WHEREAS, We should always work to stop any corrupt president in accordance
Line 10. With Monroe Doctrine to secure peace in the Americas, and
Line 11. THEREFORE, The United States should ban all immigration and trade from Bolivia.

Respectfully Submitted By:
Senator Clayton Hardin
Massaponax High School
on 2/21/2020 20:21:30
Docket A: International Bill 6199

Bill

Be it enacted,

Docket: Docket A
Legislation: Bill
Area: International
Number: 6199
Leg_Title: A Bill To Secure Maximum Safety to Soldiers on Base

Line00: Be it enacted
Line01:
Line02: Article I: The United States Federal government shall
Line03: require all foreign military personnel and/or foreign
Line04: military students to go through an extensive screening
Line05: procedure before and after American base training
Line06: consisting of recent purchase history of firearms along
Line07: with updated history of off duty travel.
Line08:
Line09: Article II: A full review of U.S. military
Line10: programs that train foreign service members on American
Line11: soil shall also be implemented.
Line13:
Line14: Article III: These plans shall be implemented
Line15: immediately upon its passage and last for a minimum
Line16: of twelve months.
Line17:
Line18: Article IV: The United States Department of Defense
Line19: shall oversee this program and have the right to end it
Line20: within the twelve month period of implementation.
Line21:
Line22: Article V: All laws and policies in conflict with new
Line23: law are hereby deemed null and void.
Line24:

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