



**2023-2024**

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Items 1-5 Will be used in the AM/morning session for debate

Items 6-10 Will be used in the PM/afternoon session for debate

Chambers may set the agenda of their docket. Legislation does not belong to the chamber until it has first been introduced by the author or sponsor. School authorship is designated.



## **BIRTH-CC ACT of 2023**

### **Basic Income Relief for Temporary Hardship caused by Childcare**

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

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States Government will provide a basic income for a first-time parent  
3 who leaves the workforce to care for their child for up to 1 year.

4 **SECTION 2.** The basic income will be set at \$2,500 dollars a month.

5 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Health and Human Services, working alongside the Internal  
6 Revenue Service, will manage enforcement of this bill.

7 A. A new tax called the BIRTH-CC tax will be created, generated from a  
8 payroll tax set at 3% to help offset the cost of the bill.

9 B. Parents will prove eligibility through a combination of a birth certificate,  
10 social security number, and continued proof of unemployment.

11 **SECTION 4.** This bill will go into effect starting January 1, 2025.

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

*Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by Sunnyvale High School.*

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work of the students of our school and its subject matter is approved by school  
administration.*



## **A Bill to Prohibit the Alteration, Banning, or Destruction of Any Literature in the U.S.**

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

2 **SECTION 1.** It is hereby prohibited to alter, ban, or destroy literature in the United States

3 **SECTION 2.** Literature is defined as any written piece of media, such as books, both physical  
4 and digital.

5 **SECTION 3.** Libraries, stores, and schools that violate this law will be required to:

6 A. Return all literature in its original form.

7 B. Pay a fine of \$5,000 per book, comic, or piece of media.

8 C. Serve jail time up to 30 days for repeated violations.

9 **SECTION 3.** This law will be overseen by the U.S. Department of Commerce

10 **SECTION 4.** This bill will go into effect September 1, 2024.

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

*Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by Kaufman High School.*

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## **A Bill to Give Working Opportunities to Fight the Mental Health Crisis for Veterans**

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

2 **SECTION 1.** This policy will give policing agency jobs in school districts to veterans.

3 **SECTION 2.** Policing agency is a part of an organization that deals with security and  
4 protection of the organization. In 2022, 30% of veterans were diagnosed with  
5 depression. Police, as of March 2023, are understaffed due to the widespread  
6 need for police services.

7 **SECTION 3.** The U.S. Department of Education and individual state's Military Department will  
8 work to provide jobs in order to lessen the mental health crisis for veterans.

9 A. Each school will require veterans with licenses to take the place of security in  
10 schools.

11 B. Every veteran will be required to go through a small certification, similar to  
12 police working on school grounds.

13 **SECTION 4.** This bill will be enacted in its passing.

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

*Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by the Region Clerk.*

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## A Bill to Abolish the Willow Project

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

2 **SECTION 1.** This bill will bar the Willow Project from being implemented in Alaska so that the  
3 United States may move in the direction of adhering to the Paris Climate  
4 Agreement.

5 **SECTION 2.** The Willow Project, approved on March 13th, 2023, is an oil drilling project  
6 occurring in Alaska, run by ConocoPhillips (an Independent E&P Company).  
7 Moreover, the Paris Climate Agreement is the compliance made by countries  
8 internationally to circumscribe greenhouse gas emissions under the 1.5oC  
9 threshold.

10 **SECTION 3.** The Environmental Protection Agency and the Department of Energy shall  
11 oversee the implementation of this bill.

12 A. The EPA shall preside over the discontinuation of the drilling as well as the  
13 transportation of any materials away from the site.

14 B. The EPA shall issue fines related to the continuation of the Willow Project of  
15 up to 250,000 dollars a day.

16 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall go into effect on January 1, 2025.

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

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# A Resolution to Tax Mega Churches



## **A Bill to Enact Stricter Mental Health Regulations of the Purchase of Firearms**

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

2 **SECTION 1.** All purchasers of firearms must now submit to a mental evaluation at the time of  
3 purchase. This process will identify if the purchaser has any disqualifying  
4 conditions.

5 **SECTION 2.** Disqualifying conditions include but are not limited to: homicidal thoughts,  
6 suicidal thoughts, PTSD, self-neglect, BPD, history of domestic violence.

7 **SECTION 3.** The ATF will oversee enforcement from the top, and day to day operations will  
8 be overseen by local law enforcement (i.e. game wardens, police officers, FBI  
9 agents, sheriffs, constables, etc.).

10 A. Appointed psychiatrists will be funded by the gun manufacturers.

11 B. A potential buyer is to be placed on the prohibited persons list if they are  
12 disqualified.

13 **SECTION 4.** This bill will go into effect starting September 1, 2024.

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

*Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by Kaufman High School*

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## A Bill to Ban the Immigration Marriage Fraud Amendments

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

2 **SECTION 1.** To prevent citizenship denaturalization and visa ineligibility resulting from the  
3 purported fraudulent marriage between immigrants, the Immigration Marriage  
4 Fraud Amendments (i.e., IMFA) shall be banned.

5 **SECTION 2.** IMFA engendered procedural changes aimed at curtailing fraudulent  
6 immigration marriages. Denaturalization is the process of stripping citizens of  
7 their conditional citizenship status. Thus, this ban shall nullify all sections of the  
8 1986 sham immigration marriage statute.

9 **SECTION 3.** The Department of State and the Immigration and Customs Enforcement  
10 Agencies shall oversee the implementation of this bill.

11 A. ICE agencies shall be responsible for ceasing ongoing investigations related  
12 to suspected marriage fraud, and shall not conduct any further  
13 investigations under the auspice of IMFA.

14 B. The Department of State shall work with relevant agencies, such as the  
15 United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (i.e., the USCIS), to  
16 develop new procedures for screening visa applications to prevent fraud  
17 and abuse.

18 **SECTION 4.** This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2025.

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

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## A Bill to Regulate the Use of AI-Generated Deepfakes

BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

**SECTION 1.** The United States federal government shall ban the use of personalized artificial intelligence (AI) generated deepfakes.

**SECTION 2.** Artificial Intelligence, or AI, is the theory and development of computer systems able to perform tasks that normally require human intelligence. Deepfakes shall be defined as a photo or video of a person in which their face or body has been digitally altered so that they appear to be someone else. A portable device is a small form factor of a computing device that is designed to be held and used in the hands like laptops, tablets, watches, and smartphones.

**SECTION 3.** The Department of Health and Human Services shall establish the Artificial Intelligence Oversight Agency (AIOA) to investigate and monitor all personal use of artificial intelligence via AIOA offices.

A. The penalty for creating deepfakes for revenge pornography would be a \$10,000 fine and a maximum sentence of 5 years in federal prison.

B. The penalty for creating deepfakes for defamation would be a \$5,000 fine and a maximum of 100 hours of community service.

C. The penalty for creating deepfakes for politically targeted advertising would be \$15,000, a maximum of 5 years of federal prison, and a maximum of 100 hours of community service.

D. Any violations of subsections A-C would retract the right of AI use for violators permanently.

**SECTION 4.** This bill shall be implemented on January 1, 2025.

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

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## **A Resolution to Stop All Federal Student Loans Except in Six Areas**

- 1   **WHEREAS,**   Federal Student loans have exceeded 1.7 trillion dollars; and  
2   **WHEREAS,**   41.7% of all students' debts are in default; and  
3   **WHEREAS,**   Over 68% of all students receive non-employable degrees; and  
4   **WHEREAS,**   The STEM, health services, and educational fields are falling behind in qualified  
5                   employment; and  
6   **WHEREAS,**   The cost of seeking degrees ranges anywhere from \$300,000 to \$400,000; we  
7                   offer the following proposal:  
8                   A.   Only federally insured loans in STEM, health services, and educational fields.  
9                   B.   No loan payment shall begin until 5 years of completion of college.  
10                  C.   Anyone who remains in the educational field shall not have to pay any back.  
11                  D.   Anyone remaining in health education will only have to pay half back.  
12                   now, therefore, be it  
13   **RESOLVED,**   That this resolution shall go into effect upon approval.

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## **A Bill to Enact the Construction of 66 New Nuclear Power Plants in the United States to Eliminate its Reliance on any Coal-based Energy**

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

2 **SECTION 1.** One to two nuclear power plants will be constructed per state in areas where  
3 there used to be coal plants or areas with low number of jobs available.

4 **SECTION 2.** Each nuclear power plant produces approximately 12 terawatt hours a year on  
5 average and produces next to no carbon emissions; a stark difference from coal  
6 which is the highest carbon emitting energy recourse.

7 **SECTION 3.** The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, or FERC, will oversee the production  
8 and enactment of the bill.

9 **SECTION 4.** This bill will begin implementation in the fiscal year 2026 and construction will  
10 be completed by 2030.

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

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