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## **Docket A: Economic Bill 1386**

### *A Bill to Promote Sustainability and Efficiency in Data Centers*

Be it enacted,

Line00: Be it enacted

Line01: Article I:

Line02: The United States Federal Government shall mandate that all newly

Line03: constructed data centers adopt energy-efficient infrastructure by integrating

Line04: renewable energy sources such as solar, wind, and geothermal power. Existing data

Line05: centers must transition to using a minimum of 50% renewable energy within the next

Line06: five years.

Line07:

Line08: Article II:

Line09: Tax incentives will be provided to companies that implement these

Line10: changes early. Organization failing to comply within the stipulated timeframe will

Line11: face financial penalties determined by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Line12:

Line13: Article III:

Line14: This bill shall be implemented starting on January 1, 2026, and will be

Line15: reviewed annually to assess its effectiveness.

Line16:

Line17: Article IV: The Department of Energy and the Environmental Protection Agency

Line18: shall oversee the implementation and enforcement of this bill, ensuring compliance

Line19: through regular inspections and audits.

Line20:

Line21: All laws and policies in conflict with this new law are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Harini Kumar

Stone Bridge High School

on Mon Mar 10 2025 19:19:29 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: Domestic Bill 1389**

### *A Bill to Criminalize Opioid Prescriptions for Non-Terminal Patients*

Be it enacted,

Line 01: Section 1. The prescription of opioids for any condition other than terminal illnesses

Line 02: will be classified as a federal crime, punishable by fines and imprisonment.

Line 03:

Line 04: Section 2. Terminally ill patients are defined as individuals diagnosed with a

Line 05: condition that is incurable and expected to result in death within six months, as

Line 06: determined by a licensed medical professional.

Line 07:

Line 08: Section 3. The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) and the Department of

Line 09: Justice will oversee and enforce this bill.

Line 10:

Line 11: Section 4. This bill will take effect on July 1st, 2025.

Line 12:

Line 13: Section 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Jonathan Spitler

Harrisonburg High School

on Tue Mar 11 2025 14:31:24 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: International Resolution 3081**

### *A Resolution for the Reacquisition of the Panama Canal to the United States of America*

Be it resolved,

Line00: Be it resolved

Line01:

Line02:whereas, we must put effort into reclaiming the panama canal;

Line03:

Line04:WHEREAS, its extremely important to the world internationally, and;

Line05:

Line06:WHEREAS, if reclaimed, would be a major economic generator for the United States,

Line07:and

Line08:

Line09:WHEREAS, the Canal was mainly built and funded by the United States,

Line10:

Line11:THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, our congress calls upon the department of state and

Line12:

Line13:president to work on the reacquisition of the Panama canal from Panama

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Brady Smith

Stone Bridge Highschool

on Tue Mar 11 2025 22:36:28 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: Domestic Resolution 1487**

### *A Resolution to Address the Opioid Crisis in the United States*

Be it resolved,

Line 01: WHEREAS,      The opioid crisis has caused a significant number of overdoses, addictions,  
Line 02: and deaths; and

Line 03: WHEREAS,      Opioids have also led to serious economic consequences on our healthcare  
Line 04: costs, lost productivity, and criminal justice expenses; and

Line 05: WHEREAS,      The pharmaceutical industry's role in opioid distribution has necessitated  
Line 06: increased accountability and regulatory oversight to prevent future public  
Line 07: health crises; and

Line 08: WHEREAS,      Prevention, treatment, and recovery programs are essential to reducing  
Line 09: opioid misuse and supporting affected individuals and communities,  
Line 10: therefore benefiting our economy; now, therefore, be it

Line 11: RESOLVED,      That the Congress here assembled urges federal and state agencies to  
Line 12: increase funding for opioid addiction programs, including  
Line 13: medication-assisted treatment and mental health support; and, be it

Line 14: FURTHER RESOLVED,      That this body supports further regulation and oversight of opioid  
Line 15: prescription practices to prevent overprescription and misuse.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Samira Umurzokova

Midlothian High School

on Thu Mar 13 2025 10:08:36 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: Domestic Bill 1444**

### *A Bill to Regulate Distribution of Opioids*

Be it enacted,

Line00: Be it enacted

Line01:

Line02: Article I: To prevent the over-distribution of opioids by requiring  
Line03: stricter limits on bulk shipments to pharmacies and enhancing oversight of  
Line04: pharmaceutical distributors.

Line05: Pharmaceutical distributors shall not supply any pharmacy with more  
Line06: than a 30-day average supply of opioids based on their dispensing history  
Line07: over the past 12 months.

Line08: Article II: If a pharmacy requests an increased supply, it must provide  
Line09: written justification, including patient demand and prescribing trends, to  
Line10: the distributor and the DEA.

Line11: Any shipment exceeding this limit must be reviewed and approved by the Drug  
Line12: Enforcement Administration (DEA) before distribution.

Line13:

Line14: Article III: This plan shall be implemented immediately upon  
Line15: its passage and last for eight months to allow for  
Line16: adjustment to new distribution policies.

Line17: Article IV: The Department of Justice and DEA shall both  
Line18: oversee this program.

Line19:

Line20: Article V: All laws and policies in conflict with new law  
Line21: are hereby deemed null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Jacqueline Kim

Lightridge High School

on Thu Mar 13 2025 13:01:01 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## Docket A: Virginia Bill 1342

### *The Data Center Energy and Security Act*

Be it enacted,

Line00: Be it enacted

Line01:

Line02: Article I: This bill mandates a 30% reduction in carbon emissions

Line03: from data centers and requires stronger cybersecurity measures

Line04: for those handling government or financial data.

Line05: Non-compliant centers will face fines and operational restrictions.

Line06:

Line07: Article II: Data centers must adopt liquid cooling systems,

Line08: server virtualization, and renewable energy sources to meet

Line09: emission reduction goals. Facilities handling sensitive data

Line10: must implement end-to-end encryption, zero-trust architecture,

Line11: and comply with NIST cybersecurity standards to prevent breaches.

Line12:

Line13: Article III: This plan shall be implemented immediately upon

Line14: its passage and last for a minimum of eight months.

Line15:

Line16: Article IV: The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC)

Line17: and the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)

Line18: shall oversee compliance. Either agency has the right to end or

Line19: amend the program after the eight-month period.

Line20:

Line21: Article V: All laws and policies in conflict with this new law

Line22: are hereby deemed null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Ethan Cherayil

Lightridge

on Thu Mar 13 2025 21:19:32 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)



## **Docket A: Domestic Bill 1601**

### *Opioid Regulation*

Be it enacted,

Line 1- The federal government will implement stricter regulations on opioid prescriptions in the United States, including limits on prescribing practices and enhanced monitoring to prevent misuse.

Line 2- Opioid regulation involves implementing policies and monitoring systems to control opioid prescriptions and distribution. This includes limiting prescriptions, promoting alternative pain management, and ensuring access to addiction treatment in areas vulnerable to misuse and overdose.

Line 3- This policy will be enacted on October 16, 2026.

Line 4- The Food and Drug Administration will oversee this bill.

Line 5- All other laws that are in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Dayan Okhovvatgilani

Lightridge Highschool

on Thu Mar 13 2025 22:16:16 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: Virginia Bill 1000**

### *A Bill to Implement the Juvenile Justice Rehabilitation and Investment Act*

Be it enacted,

SECTION 1. Financial assistance of \$750,000,000 will be to the services this act provides. The goal is to create a system where juveniles in the justice system have access to the rehabilitation and counseling services they need to address their root causes of delinquency, improve mental well-being, and provide these juveniles with the tools they need to reintegrate themselves into their communities.

SECTION 2. The Juvenile Justice Rehabilitation and Investment Act is defined as an initiative aimed at improving the juvenile justice system by providing resources for rehabilitation, counseling, and educational programs for youth involved in the justice system. The act seeks to shift the focus from punitive measures to rehabilitative, restorative, and supportive services, ensuring that juveniles have access to the necessary resources to address underlying issues such as mental health, substance abuse, and educational challenges.

SECTION 3. The Virginia Department of Juvenile Justice will oversee this legislation, as they have the authority to allocate and administer the funds necessary for this act. The Virginia Department of Social Services can also supervise the implementation of this act, for they manage grants for youth-related services, including mental health and counseling programs.

SECTION 4. This bill shall go into effect June 1, 2025.

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

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Atula Kudithipudi

Midlothian High School

on Thu Mar 13 2025 23:32:00 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## Docket A: Domestic Bill 1414

### *Bill to Regulate Misuse of Opioids*

Be it enacted,

#### Bill to Regulate Misuse of Opioids

Line 1 Once the enactment of this bill shall occur, this bill shall highlight inclusivity upon the misuse of opioids, the United States already spent a ginormous amount of money on opioids but haven't solved the issue yet,

Line 2 What this bill will do is have volunteers of the community or governmental staff to go out and proceed interactions with people that struggle with opioids, these stands will be in all 50 states in the United States.

Line 3 The influence of these stands are entirely to promote the well being of the people with opioids and help them out.

Line 4 If the person that struggles with opioids asks for financial help we may offer that to them as long as they stay off of opioids, like an agreement between the U.S and their citizens.

Line 5 The cost of fulfilling with this help is going to be costly but worth it, to hire the volunteers, setting up the stands, putting up posters telling people to please stop harming themselves with opioids, and a free therapeutic programs is gonna cost 100 billion dollars, Line 6 Of course that's our budget we may not need to use an entire amount of 100 billion dollars it's just worst case scenario

Line 7 Be it enacted this bill will provide an alternate route to opioids and will significantly reduce opioid overdoses in America.

Line 8 All other bills in disagreement to this bill is considered null and void

Representative Anthony Stewart

James River High School

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Anthony J Stewart

James River High School

on Fri Mar 14 2025 11:22:24 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## Docket A: International Bill 2200

### *South Sudan Election Security Act*

Be it enacted,

Line 01: Jack Powers

Line 02: Harrisonburg High School

Line 03: A bill to establish necessary security assurance for the 2026 South Sudan

Line 04: Presidential Election.

Line 05: International

Line 06: BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

Line 07: Section 1. Security assurances such as ceasefire agreements will be created and

Line 08: ensured to maintain safe and secure elections to protect democratic processes

Line 09: in South Sudan. A task force will be created to explore the most effective ways to

Line 10: ensure security, and the task force will work with the Department of State to

Line 11: implement necessary security measures by the December 2026 Presidential

Line 12: Election.

Line 13: Section 2. Security assurances shall include but not limit to, providing equipment to

Line 14: South Sudanese law enforcement personnel tasked with securing voting sites,

Line 15: provide Intelligence Operations and Briefings led by U.S. intelligence community

Line 16: agencies to thwart and monitor any threats presented to the election or voting

Line 17: locations. U.S. governmental agencies will only send essential personnel to oversee

Line 18: the implementation of this bill, and will utilize organizations like the UN for extra

Line 19: assistance.

Line 20: Section 3. The Department of State and Central Intelligence Agency will oversee

Line 21: the implementation of this bill, and a South Sudan Election task force

Line 22: will be created within the Department of State to help facilitate the powers reserved

Line 23: in this bill and work with South Sudan government officials and law enforcement Line 24:

agencies. 4 Million USD will be allocated to this project and any further funding

Line 25: will be required to be approved by the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee.

Line 26: Section 4. The powers reserved in this bill shall immediately go into effect April 21,

Line 27: 2025 following the 90 day foreign assistance freeze established by

Line 28: Executive Order 14169 .

Line 29: Section 5. All laws in conflict with this are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Senator Jack Powers

Harrisonburg High School

on Fri Mar 14 2025 14:37:05 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: Virginia Bill 2120**

### *A Bill to Promote Juvenile Rehabilitation Programs*

Be it enacted,

Line 01: Section 1.       The Virginia Juvenile Justice Courts are required to expand programs

Line 02: that provide rehabilitative treatment programs to juveniles in their custody.

Line 03: Section 2.       Juvenile rehabilitative programs can be defined as actions that provide

Line 04: resources, assistance, and guidance to address the reason juveniles committed

Line 05: their offenses. Programs use behavioral therapy, education, vocational training,

Line 06: family support, and life coaching to decrease recidivism.

Line 07: Section 3.       The VA Attorney General's office will enforce this bill.

Line 08: Section 4.       This legislation will take effect on August 1, 2025.

Line 09: Section 5.       All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null & void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Daniel McLean

Clover Hill High School

on Fri Mar 14 2025 15:35:43 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: Domestic Bill 2006**

### *A Bill to Strengthen Federal Funding for FEMA*

Be it enacted,

Line 01: Section 1.      The federal government shall allocate an additional \$10 billion

Line 02: annually to the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to enhance natural

Line 03: disaster relief efforts, ensuring rapid economic recovery in affected regions.

Line 04: Section 2.      Natural disaster relief refers to immediate response, recovery, and

Line 05: rebuilding efforts following hurricanes, wildfires, earthquakes, floods, and other

Line 06: federally recognized natural disasters.

Line 07: Section 3.      The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) shall oversee

Line 08: the distribution of these funds through grants to state and local governments,

Line 09: prioritizing high-risk and disaster-prone areas.

Line 10: A. FEMA shall establish an emergency response efficiency review to ensure funds

Line 11: are used effectively and transparently.

Line 12: B. The Government Accountability Office (GAO) will conduct annual audits to

Line 13: prevent misuse of funds and ensure accountability.

Line 14: Section 4.      This bill shall take effect on October 1st, 2025.

Line 15: Section 5.      All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null & void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Shayni Gogineni

Clover Hill High School

on Fri Mar 14 2025 15:41:05 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: International Bill 1989**

### *A Bill Authorizing the Use of Military Force in Panama*

Be it enacted,

Line 01: SECTION 1. The U.S. Congress authorizes the use of military force to restore order

Line 02: to Panama. U.S. law enforcement will investigate corruption in the Panamanian

Line 03: government and try to eliminate deep rooted drug and human trafficking industries

Line 04: from the source.

Line 05: SECTION 2. Corruption is defined as graft, where funds intended for public use are

Line 06: intentionally misdirected in order to maximize the benefits to private interests, and

Line 07: as when individuals gain impunity or legal immunity.

Line 08: SECTION 3. The Department of Defense and State Department will be in charge of

Line 09: enforcing this bill.

Line 10: SECTION 4. This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage and the

Line 11: authorization will expire on January 1, 2026.

Line 12: SECTION 5: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null & void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Lydia Joh

Clover Hill High School

on Fri Mar 14 2025 15:50:04 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: Domestic Bill 3326**

### *The Kendall Baker Act*

Be it enacted,

Line01: Article 1: The Department of Health and Human Services shall authorize grants

Line02: to individual school districts for the purpose of (i) establishing instructional

Line03: programs related to the importance of opioid overdose prevention and the

Line04: subsequent administration of reversal medication thereof and (ii) ensuring the

Line05: presence of opioid overdose reversal drugs or devices within secondary schools.

Line06: Article 2: A. The authorized monetary value of such grants as stated in Article 1

Line07: shall not exceed forty thousand dollars. B. In reference to opioid overdoses,

Line08: “reversal drugs” shall refer to medications used for the purpose of rapidly

Line09: reversing opioid related overdoses (ex. Naloxone). C. “Secondary school” shall

Line10: refer to any nonprofit institutional day or residential school that provides

Line11: secondary education.

Line12: Article 3: The Department of Health and Human Services shall be charged with

Line13: enforcing the provisions of this bill. For the purposes of this legislation,

Line14: individual grants awarded to school districts may not exceed the amount

Line15: appropriated in Article 2 (A). A total amount of four million dollars shall be

Line16: available to carry out the provisions of this bill.

Line17: Article 4: The provisions of this bill shall take effect on March 14, 2026.

Line18: Article 5: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and

Line 19: void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Mary Grace Allison

James River High School

on Fri Mar 14 2025 15:51:30 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)



## **Docket A: Economic Bill 2010**

### *A Bill to Reinstate the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau*

Be it enacted,

Line 01: Article I: A. The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau shall be reopened

Line 02: immediately and all funding shall be resumed

Line 03: B. All workers who were illegally fired from the CFPB shall be hereby reinstated

Line 04: as Federal Employees.

Line 05: The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) is an independent bureau within

Line 06: the Federal Reserve System that empowers consumers with the information they

Line 07: need to make financial decisions in their best interests. The CFPB was created

Line 08: under the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act.

Line 09: Article III: The provisions of this bill shall take effect immediately upon passage.

Line 10: Article IV: The Office of Budget Management shall be responsible for enforcing the

Line 11: provisions of this bill. If the CFPB is not fully reinstated, Congress shall

Line 12: consider this an impeachable offense for the Director for the Office of Budget

Line 13: Management.

Line 14: Article V: All laws or portions of laws in conflict with this bill shall be null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Everett Beach

Clover Hill High School

on Fri Mar 14 2025 15:58:12 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket A: Virginia Bill 2983**

### *A Bill to Regulate Data Centers to Promote Sustainable Operations and Efficiency*

Be it enacted,

1 SECTION 1.

2 All data centers operating within the state of Virginia shall be required to implement  
3 sustainable practices, focusing on energy efficiency, reduction of carbon emissions, and  
4 responsible disposal of electronic waste.

5 SECTION 2.

6 "Data center" is defined as any facility used to house computer systems and associated  
7 components. "Sustainable practices" include the use of renewable energy sources, energy-  
8 efficient hardware, and systems for recycling electronic waste.

9 SECTION 3.

10 The Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) shall oversee the enforcement  
11 of this legislation. The DEQ will conduct audits of data centers and assess compliance  
12 with sustainable standards outlined in this bill. Penalties for non-compliance will include  
13 fines and, in severe cases, temporary suspension of operations.

14 SECTION 4.

15 This legislation will take effect on July 1, 2025. All laws in conflict with this legislation  
16 are hereby declared null and void.

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Representative Subhana Adiga

Midlothian High School

on Fri Mar 14 2025 17:01:03 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

## **Docket B: Virginia Bill 1945**

### *A Bill to Improve Virginia Juvenile Courts.*

Be it enacted,

Line00:

Line01:

Line02:       Section I: The Commonwealth of Virginia shall increase funding to  
Line03:       juvenile courts and change policy to focus more on rehabilitation.

Line04:

Line05:       Section II: a) The budget for juvenile courts shall be  
Line06:       increased by 15 million dollars to accommodate  
Line07:       growth of mental health assistance and other non-punitive  
Line08:       rehabilitation efforts.  
Line09:       b).Policy for juvenile courts shall focus on rehabilitation and  
Line10:       reduce recidivism in teens.

Line11:       c) The money will be taken from a slight increase in tax.

Line12:       Section III: The Virginia Department of Juvenile Justice will  
Line13:       oversee the implementation of the increase in budget and  
Line14:       change in policy.

Line15:       Section IV: The legislation will take effect immediately upon  
Line16:       the passage of this bill.

Line17:

Line18:       Section V: All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared  
Line19:       null and void.

Line20:

Line21:

Line22:

Line23:

Line24:

*Respectfully Submitted By:*

Senator Joshua Alvarez

James river high school

on Fri Mar 14 2025 23:58:52 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)