

## **A Resolution to restore the Congressional Ban on Horse Slaughter**

WHEREAS. Unlike in many European countries, Horse meat is generally not purchased by Americans and;

WHEREAS. According to the most recent survey, 70 % of Americans are against horse slaughter for human consumption and;

WHEREAS. Horse Slaughter is again legal in the United States., condemning 120,000 to 200,000 horses annually to a terrible death each year and;

WHEREAS. Horses are abused, starved, and neglected in slaughterhouses throughout the U.S., which is not only inhumane but unnecessary, therefore;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED that Congress reinstate the *2006 Horse Slaughter Ban* which will ban domestic horse slaughter as well as the export of horses for slaughter.

Submitted by Mission Vista High School

## **A Resolution to Amend the Constitution**

1 Be it here enacted by this Student Congress that an Amendment to the  
2 Constitution shall be added the text of which shall read “ The federal  
3 government of the United States shall not, except in time of declared war, or  
4 in case of national crisis, spend more than 17.5% of the GDP of the United  
5 States. GDP shall be determined by the Congressional Budget Office.”

6 **Section 1:** The federal debt now exceeds 100% of the GDP of the United  
7 States. It is clear something must be done.

8 **Section 2:** Such an Amendment allows for the Payment of the federal debt,  
9 while excessive spending is prohibited.

10 **Section 3:** Such an amendment will be considered inoperative unless it shall  
11 be ratified as an amendment to the constitution by the legislatures of the  
12 several states within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to  
13 the States by the Congress.

Submitted by,

Canyon Crest Academy

## **A Bill to Protect the 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment Right of Americans**

1 Be it enacted by this Student Congress that The National Firearms Act, the  
2 Gun Control Act of 1968, the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe streets Act  
3 Of 1968, the Gun-Free School Zones act of 1990, Brady Handgun Violence  
4 Prevention Act and any laws, which are related to these or amend these acts are  
5 hereby repealed.

6 Section 1: The rights of American's are guaranteed by the constitution,  
7 and the National Firearms Act of 1934 and acts like it infringe heavily  
8 upon those rights. And acts such as these damage the ability of ordinary  
9 Americans to exercise their right to keep and bear arms.

10 Section 2: The National Firearms Act, the Gun Control Act of 1968, the  
11 Omnibus Crime Control and Safe streets Act of 1968, the Gun-Free School  
12 Zones act of 1990, Brady Handgun Violence Prevention Act and any which  
13 are related to these or amend these acts are hereby repealed.

14 Section 3: The funding previously allocated to the enforcement of these  
15 laws shall be hereby withdrawn.

16 Section 4: This legislation shall take effect on the first day of the year  
17 following the passage of this bill.

18 Section 5: All laws in conflict with this legislation is hereby null and void.

Submitted by,

Canyon Crest Academy

## **A Bill to Separate Church and State**

1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:
2. **SECTION 1.** The United States federal government shall remove the phrase "under god" from the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. **SECTION 2.** The federal government shall discontinue prayer at all official government meetings, including sessions of Congress.
4. **SECTION 3.** **A.** The federal government will ban all parochial schools.
5. **B.** The federal government will ban the teaching of creationism in schools.
6. **SECTION 4.** The federal government will revoke non-profit statuses of churches.
7. **SECTION 5.** The federal government shall have the authority to nationalize church property to raise money for public education.
8. **SECTION 6.** The federal government shall protect freedom from religion as a constitutional right with the same status as freedom of religion.
9. **SECTION 7.** The federal government shall revoke the right of religious employers to discriminate on the basis of sexuality, gender, a sex, age, race, national origin, marital status, and economic or social class in their hiring practices and in providing benefits to employees.
10. **SECTION 8.** This law will take effect within six months of passage.
11. **SECTION 9.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Submitted by Helix Charter High School