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**YOUTH IN GOVERNMENT**

**Middle School  
Model  
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**Bills Signed by the Youth  
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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** Senate

**BILL NUMBER:** MSS3

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** C

**AUTHORS:** Whitney Watt, Deja Wells and Madison Young

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act to Establish a Suicide Prevention Program from Teens

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Section I: A teen suicide prevention program will be established within all public schools.

Section II: The purpose of this bill is to decrease the teen suicide rates.

Section III: Suicide is the 2nd leading cause of death among teens.

Section IV: 15% of all suicides occur by suffocation. Component number 1 of the suicide prevention program will educate students on the dangers of playing the choking game and suffocation leading to death. Other forms of suicide will also be discussed in an effort to educate and discourage youth from becoming a fatal statistic.

Section V: Component number 2 of the teen suicide prevention program will encompass curriculum that will focus on building self-esteem and positive thinking among and within teens.

Section VI: Component number 3 of the teen suicide prevention program will strive to establish a mentoring program for teens in trouble by uniting business, community, and school district leaders who will help organize the program.

Section VII: The state will establish a “Ladies You Are Beautiful” and “Men You Are Special” campaign within schools and communities.

Section VIII: This act shall go into effect the first day of the school year following the signature of the youth governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** Senate

**BILL NUMBER:** MSS8

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** D

**AUTHORS:** Roshni Malde and Russell "Rusty" Hawes

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Sterling School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

The Inhumane Treatment of Slaughterhouse Pigs

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I: Pigs are being made into meat while still alive. Many are tasered in order to paralyze; however, this technique does not always work. As a result, pigs are often still conscious when they are boiled to remove their skin for sale purposes.

Section II: Let it be known that the conditions in many of the transportation vehicles are deplorable. Pigs are literally packed on top of one another; eventually, they have to be scraped from the bottom of trucks' floors, tearing skin from bone. In addition, slaughterhouses are covered in blood and excrement due to lack of sanitation regulation.

Section III: Let it be known that laws should be implemented to ensure the cleanliness/humane treatment of pigs in the slaughterhouses, as well as ensure that transportation to said slaughterhouses be regulated as well. Pigs must be killed humanly prior to processing; slaughterhouses need to have sanitation grades of at least a "B." Funds will be provided to ensure closer inspection of slaughterhouses through a .05% increase in state taxes.

Section IV: These regulations will be put into effect upon signature of the Honorable Youth Governor.

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**BILL NUMBER:** MSS10

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** B

**AUTHORS:** William Cummings and Morgon Kauffman

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Sterling School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

A Reformation of the State Property Tax Policy

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Section I: Currently in South Carolina, the state Industrial Property Tax is 10.5%, as determined by the state Constitution of 1895. Because of this high tax, counties have created a program to lower this tax without changing the constitution, called the Fee-in-Lieu of Tax Program, or FILOT. This program allows businesses to pay fees as low as 6% to the county in which they are located. However, states such as Georgia and North Carolina have much lower industrial property taxes, causing large corporations to leave South Carolina.

Section II: In order to prevent the loss of international business in South Carolina and to avoid changing the Constitution of 1895, a state-wide FILOT will be established. This program will require industrial corporations to pay a fee to their respective county. This fee will be determined after this bill is passed, and will be slightly less of a percentage than the state average.

Section III: The new FILOT program will make South Carolina a more tax friendly state for industrial companies and large corporations. By using it as an incentive to attract such business, the state's economy will be significantly stimulated. It will allow us to compete with Georgia and North Carolina and is meant to bring companies back into the state and also to attract new companies.

Section IV: This bill will go into effect at the beginning of the next fiscal year after signature of the Honorable Youth Governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH7

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** A

**AUTHORS:** Emily Williams and Briana Ballenger

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Carver Junior High School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

Child Obesity

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I: South Carolina has the sixth highest child obesity rate in the nation. Healthier school food would lower the number of obese children.

Section II: The Nutrition Information Center states that one out of every five children in the U.S is obese. 80% of these children become obese adults placing them at high risk of developing chronic diseases such as heart disease and diabetes later in their life.

Section III: South Carolina schools will be required to serve healthier lunch foods for students in kindergarten to twelfth grade. Healthier food should help the children learn the importance of a well balanced diet and a healthier life style. This will help students become accustomed to eating healthy in and out of school. Healthier foods also will help students concentrate on their work, attend school on a regular basis, and perform better in class.

Section IV: The act shall go into effect the upon being signed by the Youth Governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH9

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** D

**AUTHORS:** Jacob Poteat and Gabriel Rabi

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Carver Junior High School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

The Act of a Statewide Ban of Smoking in Public Places

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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- Section I. Every ten seconds, someone in the world dies from the nicotine in a cigarette. Every thirty seconds, someone dies from the fumes that cigarettes give off that cause lung cancer. A statewide ban on smoking in public areas would drastically change the death rate.
- Section II. Studies have shown that fifty percent of the people that use cigarettes die from their effects during the ages of thirty-five and sixty-nine.
- Section III. If you are caught smoking in a public area by a police officer, you will be fined 100 dollars. The second time you are caught, you will be fined 200 dollars. The third time you are caught, there will be possible criminal charges. All funds will go the American Cancer Society.
- Section IV. This bill will go into effect February 1, 2010.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH16

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** B

**AUTHORS:** Justin Cook and Glenn Andrew

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

Animal Breeding Limitations Act

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section 1: The purpose of this bill is to prevent the amount of animals put down in shelters each year.

Section 2: The breeders will be limited to fifteen animals per year.

Section 3: Breeders will be able to apply for an extended license which will allow them to breed ten more animals.

Section 4: This bill will go into effect on the first January of the next year following the signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH18

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** D

**AUTHORS:** Kelly Simmons and Keeley Farmer

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act to Enforce Insurance Companies to Cover Hearing Aids

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I: This bill shall help the children and adults who have a hearing disorder.

Section II: The purpose of this bill is to help those who suffer from hearing loss afford the hearing aids they need.

Section III: Those included in this bill are as follows: deaf and hard of hearing adults and/or children.

Section IV: All hard of hearing and/or deaf persons whose hearing aids are not covered by insurance companies will have their hearing aids covered in full.

Sections V: Approximately 37 million people in the United States suffer from hearing loss. Of that number, less than a quarter who could actually benefit from hearing aids can actually afford them.

Section VI: This Act will go into effect the day after the passage and signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL NUMBER:** MSH19

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** C

**AUTHORS:** Keith McCall and Matthew Gabriel

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

Harsher Punishment for Illegal Animal Fighting

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I: The penalty given to those found responsible for animal fighting will increase from five thousand dollars and/or five years imprisonment to ten thousand dollars and/or ten years imprisonment for first time offenders.

Section II: The penalty for being a spectator of an animal fight will increase from being a misdemeanor punishable by five hundred dollars and/or six months in prison to a felony punishable by ten thousand dollars and/or ten years imprisonment for first time offenders.

Section III: The penalty of having possession of animals for fighting will increase from five thousand dollars and/or five years imprisonment to ten thousand dollars and/or ten years imprisonment for first time offenders.

Section IV: This act shall go into affect the first day of the new year following the signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH20

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** D

**AUTHORS:** Zac Alvarez and Henry Frengel

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An act to increase the cigarette tax

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I: The price on a pack of cigarettes will increase by .50 to help provide funds for education grades K-12.

Section II: The tax increase on cigarettes will be the first of a two stage plan to discourage smoking. The second and final stage is to create promotional ads that educate the public on the true expense and dangers its causes to non-smokers.

Section III: The purpose of this bill is to educate grades K-12 with renewed materials. Examples are text books, computers, promethean boards, ECT.

Section IV: Surveys show that South Carolina citizens think K-12 education is very important and are willing to pay a support tax for an improved education.

Section V: This bill will go into effect one year after the true passage and signature of the youth governor.

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**BILL NUMBER:** MSH22

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** B

**AUTHORS:** Bailey Blackwell and Kelsea Farmer

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act to Restore and Maintain Structurally Deficient and Obsolete Bridges

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I: Many bridges collapse each year because they have not been properly inspected and maintained.

Section II: The Department of Highway Transportation will receive increased funding for bridges to be repaired and maintained throughout South Carolina.

Section III: 47,500 jobs will be provided yearly for every \$1 billion spent on highway construction.

Section IV: This act will prevent hundreds of deaths each year, and for every dollar that is spent on the highway system gives \$5.40 to economic benefits by preparing and maintaining structurally deficient and obsolete bridges.

Section V: This act will go into effect upon the passage and signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL NUMBER:** MSH23

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** C

**AUTHORS:** Eleanor Burch and Emmy Gilespeie

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act to Improve Conditions in Animal Shelters

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Section I: This act shall improve conditions in animal shelters and make them “no kill”. It shall also make sure that all animals that come into animal shelters are either spayed or neutered.

Section II: The purpose of this bill is to improve the treatment of animals and to reduce the amount of unwanted animals in South Carolina.

Section III: Animal shelters must have a sufficient fenced in outdoor area for dogs to get exercise three times a week. Obedience training for dogs must occur twice a week. Cats shall be let into an indoor play area in groups three times a week. Kennels and cages must be cleaned and food and water must be changed at least twice a week. There may be up to four cats per cage and two dogs per kennel.

Section IV: If feral animals are found, they must be vaccinated and either spayed or neutered. After this, the animal shall be released back into the wild.

Section V: All animal shelters in South Carolina must follow these guidelines to be legitimate.

Section VI: This act shall go into effect January 1st , 2010 following the signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL NUMBER:** MSH25

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** A

**AUTHORS:** Becca Cockman, Claire Andrew, and Kaitlyn Pyle

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act to Promote Allergy Safe Menus in Restaurants

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I. This act shall promote restaurants to create menus for people that suffer from food allergies.

Section II. The purpose of this bill is to help those with food allergies safely eat in restaurants without having to worry about having an allergic reaction which could possibly be fatal.

Section III. Allergy specialists will be assigned to restaurants that choose to participate.

Section IV. Restaurants who participate in this act will receive tax breaks and advertising in the form of radio and television ads.

Section V. A committee will be formed to determine the tax break amount and number of advertisements in one year.

Section VI. This act shall go into effect following the signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH27

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** C

**AUTHORS:** Hunter Fite and Nathan Cousins

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act To Allow Charter Schools To Play Team Sports Against Public Schools Without  
The Consent Of The Local School System

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I: The purpose of this bill is to allow charter schools to play team sports against any public school without the consent of the local school system.

Section II: Charter schools are widely dispersed across the state of South Carolina. Considering that they are widely dispersed, they cannot play with other charter schools.

Section III: As of this year, there are officially 35 charter schools in South Carolina.

Section IV: This can be beneficial to both charter and public schools. Certain studies show (such as PASS, Promoting Achievement in School through Sports) that students' test scores improve with the help of sports.

Section V: This act will go into effect the first day of the next year following the signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH28

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** D

**AUTHORS:** Rachel Garvais, Mary Katherine Rollins and Erica Rader

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act to Promote the Purchase of Locally Grown Goods or PPLG

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Section I: The PPLG shall promote the greater usage of advertisement for local farmers to benefit the amount of sales of locally grown food products

Section II: The purpose of this is bill is to promote the greater sales of locally grown products to cut down on imported goods.

Section III: This bill will require that every major food store has to have a designated area for locally grown food.

Section IV: Industrial food production is entirely dependent on fossil fuels which are not only expensive but also very bad for the environment, the passage of this bill will cut down on the usage of fossil fuels by the fact that farmers will not have to drive out of state to sell their wares.

SectionV: This bill will take passage upon the signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL NUMBER:** MSH30

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** B

**AUTHORS:** Morgan Johnson and Sophie Forstein

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

Solar Panels on Public Schools

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Section I: All newly built public state schools will be equipped with installed solar panels.

Section II: The purpose of this bill is to conserve the amount of energy used by public schools and to help the environment throughout South Carolina.

Section III: Green solar powered systems will be installed throughout each school facility.

Section IV: A new renewable energy curriculum will be designed to meet state science standards in science classrooms.

Section V: This act shall go into effect the first day of the New Year following the signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL NUMBER:** MSH31

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** C

**AUTHORS:** Bradley Simmons and Robert Simmons

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

Litter Penalty Act (LPA)

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Section I: The LPA shall raise the fine for littering.

Section II: The purpose of this bill is to raise the fines for littering.

Section III: If less than or equal to five pounds of litter or five gallons, a fine of \$500 would be imposed. If more than five pounds of litter but less than 500 pounds, there is a fine of \$2,000 or jail for 180 days.

If it is more than 500 pounds of litter but less than 1,000 pounds or for a commercial purpose and weighs from 5-200 pounds or has a volume of more than 5 gallons but less than 200 cubic feet, the fine is \$4,000 or one year in jail.

There will be a \$10,000 fine if the litter weighs 1,000 pounds or more or for a commercial purpose and weighs 200 pounds or more or is contained in a closed barrel or drum and jail for up to two years. Any second offense of littering over 5 pounds will require work in a recycling center for 1 hour for every pound of litter and/or they will serve jail time.

Section IV: Every county in the state will enforce a Zero Tolerance Litter Free month to promote awareness.

Section V: This bill will go into effect upon the signing of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH32

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** D

**AUTHORS:** Terin Sims and Allie Nicholson

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act to Require Every Educator to be Certified in the Heimlich Maneuver and CPR

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Section I: Each year 3,000-4,000 Americans die from choking. Many of these lives could have been saved with the proper Heimlich maneuver technique. It is also predicted that 100,000-200,000 lives could be saved each year from sudden cardiac arrest if CPR were performed early enough.

Section II: Small, round pieces of food such as hotdogs, popcorn, candy, nuts, carrots, and grapes are the most common foods to choke on. These are foods commonly found in school lunch rooms.

Section III: Every educator will be required to be trained in CPR and the Heimlich maneuver to obtain teaching certification.

Section IV: Public schools will be required to provide training in CPR and the Heimlich maneuver at the beginning of each school year.

Section IV: This act shall go into effect the first day of January 2010 following the signature of the youth governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH34

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** B

**AUTHORS:** Abby Wade and Michaela Papadopoulos

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Langston Middle School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

An Act to Install Recycling Bins in all Public Schools

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Section I: In most middles and high school there is drink machines.

Section II: Each school will have plastic and aluminum bottles throughout the school.

Section III: This bill will require all middle and high school will be required to have recycling bins for aluminum and plastic bottles.

Section IV: It takes 95 % less energy to make a can from recycled aluminum vs. virgin a aluminum. The approximant value of aluminum and PET bottles, or polyethylene terephthalate bottles, wasted each year in the US alone is 1.5 billion.

Section V: This bill will take passage upon the signature of the Youth Governor.

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**BILL ORIGINATES IN:** House of Representatives

**BILL NUMBER:** MSH38

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** B

**AUTHORS:** Caityln Brubaker, Mary DeVoy, and Keegan Trofatter

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Sterling School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

South Carolina School's Budget Cut Restrictions

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Section I: 7% of school budgets have already been cut due to and 8% are predicted to be cut next year.

Section II: If students cannot have a functional learning environment with supplies and teachers then, in the future, there will be more people without jobs and homes. This will result in the government having to pay due to the lack of employment.

Section III: Currently, twenty-five states have cut K-12 schools and early education programs. 10,000 students in Illinois may lose the opportunity for early childhood education. In addition, Massachusetts has decided to decrease the funding for their early childhood programs.

Section IV: If schools are not truly affected when budgets are decided, then:

- Students would be capable of learning more because they would have the money for more supplies; they would be in a better learning environment; however, that does not seem to be the case at this point in time.
- The school will be able to hire more teachers; there would be fewer constituents without jobs.
- The government would not have to worry as much about lay-offs; government officials would be able to focus on other dire matters that are affecting (and effecting) their constituents.

Section V: This bill will go into effect once signed by the Honorable Youth Governor.

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**BILL NUMBER:** MSH40

**RECOMMENDED FOR COMMITTEE:** D

**AUTHORS:** Rachel Franzreb and Carolyn Liu

**SCHOOL/CLUB:** Sterling School

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

Keep Our Children Safe

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE YMCA MODEL LEGISLATURE  
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Section I: Around 5,000 adolescents are abducted each year; 41% are under the age of fifteen.

Section II: Because of locations such as bus stops are usually unsupervised, abductors have easy access to certain children; therefore, chaperones should be placed at each stop.

Section III: Children who walk alone to and from school should have to submit a form to the school stating their mode of transportation. Those children who walk must live at least a mile and a half from the school and walk along certain paths that have crossing guards.

Section IV: For those children who do not live within a mile radius must walk in a group of at least three.

Section V: This sanction will go into effect upon signature by the Honorable Youth Governor.

*Signed by the Youth Governor November 2009*