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Title of Bill: Federal work program for inmates

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- 1 Preamble: Whereas the incarceration and care of inmates in the penal system is a drain on
2 resources at the federal, state, and local levels and the recidivism rate for released inmates is
3 unacceptable under the current system.
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5 Section 1: Require a mandatory job program be developed that will support the individual
6 prisons including salaries, grounds and care of inmates.
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8 Section 2: The cost of implementing these programs will be funded by federal loan and
9 repaid from the earnings of the program.
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11 Section 3: The current support system will remain in place for a span of five years to allow
12 time for the implementation of the new program.
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14 Section 4: Any prison that is not breaking even or showing a profit at the end of the five
15 years will be put under review and brought into compliance.
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17 Section 5: Surplus monies will go into prison improvements and inmate education
18 programs.
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20 Section 6: All inmates will work.
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22 Section 7: Inmates who do not work will be left to the disciplinary measures of the
23 individual prison.
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