

A Resolution to End the Senate Nuclear Option

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 Whereas: Senate Leaders have used loopholes in the Senate rules to get around long
2 standing Senate rules;

3 Whereas: One of these loopholes being the Nuclear Option, it is when a Senator
4 (specifically the Senate Majority Leader) appeals the ruling of the chair with a simple
5 majority of Senators, which sets a new precedent;

6 Whereas: One thing that disquations the Senate from the House of Representatives is the
7 unlimited amount of time Senators are able to debate on the Senate Floor and the
8 Nuclear Option allows Senators of the Majority Party to end debate and silence members
of the Minority Party without obtaining a supermajority of Senators in favor ending
debate;

Whereas: In this country we value rules and order;

Therefore, Now Be It Resolved That: The the United States Senate change their rules and
get rid of the Nuclear Option.

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