

REFERENCE TITLE: public monies; prohibited expenditures.

State of Arizona  
Senate  
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## **SCR 1015**

Introduced by  
Senator Kern

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

ENACTING AND ORDERING THE SUBMISSION TO THE PEOPLE OF A MEASURE RELATING  
TO PUBLIC MONIES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Arizona, the House of  
2 Representatives concurring:

3 1. Under the power of the referendum, as vested in the Legislature,  
4 the following measure, relating to public monies, is enacted to become  
5 valid as a law if approved by the voters and on proclamation of the  
6 Governor:

7 AN ACT

8 AMENDING TITLE 35, CHAPTER 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY  
9 ADDING ARTICLE 4; RELATING TO PUBLIC MONIES.

10 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

11 Section 1. Title 35, chapter 2, Arizona Revised  
12 Statutes, is amended by adding article 4, to read:

13 ARTICLE 4. PUBLIC MONIES; PROHIBITED EXPENDITURES

14 35-351. Prohibited expenditures of public monies;  
15 standing; definition

16 A. A PUBLIC ENTITY MAY NOT SPEND PUBLIC MONIES TO  
17 PROMOTE, ADVOCATE OR PLAN FOR, OR BECOME A MEMBER OF AN  
18 ASSOCIATION OR ORGANIZATION THAT PROMOTES, ADVOCATES OR PLANS  
19 FOR, ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

20 1. REDUCING THE CONSUMPTION OR PRODUCTION OF MEAT OR  
21 DAIRY PRODUCTS OR REPLACING ANIMAL-BASED PROTEIN WITH INSECT  
22 OR SYNTHETIC PROTEIN.

23 2. REDUCING OR REPLACING MOTOR VEHICLE TRAVEL WITH  
24 WALKING, BIKING, OR PUBLIC TRANSIT.

25 3. REDUCING OR LIMITING TRAVEL BY AIRPLANE.

26 4. LIMITING THE NUMBER OF ARTICLES OF CLOTHING AN  
27 INDIVIDUAL MAY PURCHASE OR OWN.

28 5. REUSING WATER THAT HAS TOUCHED HUMAN FECES AS A  
29 SOURCE OF MUNICIPAL DRINKING WATER.

30 6. REDUCING GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS OR TRACKING AND  
31 COLLECTING OF ANY INFORMATION OR DATA FOR DETERMINING  
32 CONSUMPTION-BASED EMISSIONS.

33 7. LIMITING THE INCREASE OF THE AVERAGE GLOBAL  
34 TEMPERATURE OR PRODUCING OR ADOPTING A CLIMATE ACTION PLAN.

35 8. REPLACING PRIVATE OWNERSHIP WITH SHARED OR RENTED  
36 GOODS AND SERVICES TO PROMOTE A CIRCULAR ECONOMY.

37 9. FURTHERING MARXIST IDEOLOGIES, INCLUDING STAKEHOLDER  
38 CAPITALISM.

39 10. IMPLEMENTING MASS SURVEILLANCE SYSTEMS TO MONITOR  
40 MOTOR VEHICLE TRAVEL.

41 B. ANY PERSON WHO IS A QUALIFIED ELECTOR OF THIS STATE  
42 HAS STANDING IN ANY COURT OF RECORD TO BRING SUIT AGAINST ANY  
43 PUBLIC ENTITY TO REMEDY ANY VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION. THE  
44 PERSON FILING AN ACTION PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION MAY REQUEST  
45 EITHER A JURY OR BENCH TRIAL. IF THE TRIER OF FACT FINDS BY A

1 PREPONDERANCE OF THE EVIDENCE THAT A PUBLIC ENTITY HAS  
2 VIOLATED THIS SECTION, THE COURT SHALL PERMANENTLY ENJOIN THE  
3 ACTIONS FOUND TO VIOLATE THIS SECTION AND SHALL AWARD  
4 REASONABLE ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS TO THE PARTY WHO BROUGHT  
5 THE ACTION.

6 C. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "PUBLIC ENTITY":

7 1. MEANS THIS STATE, A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THIS  
8 STATE OR AN AGENCY, BOARD, COMMISSION OR DEPARTMENT OF THIS  
9 STATE OR A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THIS STATE.

10 2. INCLUDES THE UNIVERSITIES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF  
11 THE ARIZONA BOARD OF REGENTS AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICTS  
12 AS DEFINED IN SECTION 15-1401.

13 2. The Secretary of State shall submit this proposition to the  
14 voters at the next general election as provided by article IV, part 1,  
15 section 1, Constitution of Arizona.