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A RESOLUTION condemning the President of the United States for issuing an

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2 executive order requiring vaccinations for the COVID-19 disease. 3 WHEREAS, the framers of the Constitution of the United States of America 4 believed in the importance of preserving all states' power over their own citizens. This 5 was clearly established by granting the new national government only limited and 6 enumerated powers and leaving the regulation of intrastate commerce to the states; and 7 WHEREAS, the federal vaccine mandate is an abuse of the President's power and 8 rather than promoting the vaccine and educating the unvaccinated on the safety and 9 science of the vaccine, the President is further dividing the people of the United States 10 with this unprecedented action; and 11 WHEREAS, the decision to get vaccinated should be made between a health care 12 provider and a patient and not mandated by the President of the United States of America 13 in this unprecedented abuse of power; and 14 WHEREAS, the President's administrative decision to mandate vaccines for all 15 private businesses that employ more than 100 people not only exceeds his executive 16 power but also blatantly disregards states' rights; 17 NOW, THEREFORE, 18 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the 19 Commonwealth of Kentucky: 20 → Section 1. The House of Representative condemns the action of the President of 21 the United States regarding the requirement for vaccination for the COVID-19 disease of 22 federal employees, health care workers, and millions of private sector workers as a 23 violation of the Constitution of the United States of America. 24 → Section 2. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is hereby directed to 25 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Kentucky's Congressional delegation.