



Louisiana Governor Signs Bill Nullifying UN, WHO, WEF

Louisiana Governor Jeff Landry has signed legislation banning the implementation of policies or edicts from the United Nations (UN), World Health Organization (WHO), and World Economic Forum (WEF) in the Pelican State.

On Tuesday, Landry <u>signed</u> several bills into law, including Senate Bill No. 133 (<u>S.B.</u> 133), which prohibits any policies or mandates from the UN, WHO, or WEF from being enforced in Louisiana. The bill declares:

The World Health Organization,
United Nations, and the World
Economic Forum shall have no
jurisdiction or power within the state
of Louisiana. No rule, regulation, fee,
tax, policy, or mandate of any kind of
the World Health Organization, United
Nations, and the World Economic
Forum shall be enforced or
implemented by the state of Louisiana
or any agency, department, board,
commission, political subdivision,
governmental entity of the state,
parish, municipality, or any other
political entity.



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At the signing ceremony for S.B. 133, Landry <u>noted</u> that "these organizations ... encroach upon the daily lives of Americans and those in Louisiana as well." He continued, "We have a wonderful document — it's called the United States Constitution — that dictates how our government structure is run and exactly who has the ability to affect the lives of American citizens and here in Louisiana as well."

S.B. 133's lead author, Senator Thomas Pressly (R-Shreveport), <u>said</u> in statement, "State laws should be made by our state's elected officials, not international organizations. The Louisiana Legislature and Governor Landry recognize the importance of sovereignty on behalf of Louisiana."

In addition to Senator Pressly, S.B. 133 was co-authored by Senator Valarie Hodges (R-Denham Springs) and Representative Kathy Edmonston (R-Ascension). The Louisiana House passed S.B. 133 by a <u>69-22 vote</u>, and the Senate <u>unanimously</u> concurred. The bill went into effect immediately upon being signed by Governor Landry.

S.B. 133 lacks robust enforcement mechanisms and more-specific language and bill definitions that



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would greatly strengthen the bill and its ability to be enforced. Furthermore, Pressly noted during the signing ceremony, the bill "does not forbid [the UN, WHO, and WEF] from giving recommendations" that state and local agencies could voluntarily implement. Nonetheless, S.B. 133 is a good first step toward pushing back against the UN and related globalist organizations.

S.B. 133's signing comes shortly after the World Health Assembly <u>failed</u> to pass the WHO's planned pandemic treaty and amendments to the International Health Regulations (IHR) — though it <u>agreed</u> to continue negotiations.

As *The New American* previously <u>reported</u>, the United Nations is accelerating its promotion of policies and initiatives antithetical to the <u>American form of government</u>.

The temporary failure of the pandemic treaty and IHR amendments comes amid growing opposition to the WHO's power grabs. For example, last week, 24 state governors <u>sent a letter</u> to President Joe Biden urging him to reject the WHO initiatives, and 22 state attorneys general <u>previously sent</u> a similar letter. Meanwhile, state legislation to <u>nullify</u> the WHO has been introduced in Idaho, Michigan, Minnesota, Oklahoma, and other states.

Despite the enaction of S.B. 133, Louisiana and other states would be wise to enact stronger and more extensive legislation <u>nullifying</u> both the UN system entirely and the federal government's many unconstitutional laws and edicts.

To urge your U.S. representative and senators to Get US Out! of the United Nations, visit The John Birch Society's legislative alert <u>here</u>. For a list of model state nullification legislation that lawmakers in your state can introduce, click <u>here</u>.





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