

The New *'NEW DEAL'* for 2011

THE SECOND BILL OF RIGHTS

In his January 11, 1944, State of the Union address, President Franklin Delano Roosevelt called for a Second Bill of Rights “under which a new basis of security and prosperity can be established for all – regardless of station, race, or creed.” Sixty-six years later, this vision of a United States in which no member of society goes “ill-fed, ill-clothed, ill-housed and insecure” has yet to be realized.

THE PEOPLE SHALL BE GUARANTEED THE RIGHT TO EARN, LEARN, AND LIVE

THE RIGHT TO EARN:

- THE RIGHT TO A USEFUL JOB AND A LIVING WAGE FOR ALL WHO ARE ABLE AND WILLING TO WORK;
- THE RIGHT OF EVERY WORKER TO JOIN A UNION AND NEGOTIATE A TIMELY CONTRACT.

THE RIGHT TO LEARN:

- THE RIGHT TO A FREE, QUALITY, PUBLIC EDUCATION, FROM PRE-SCHOOL THROUGH COLLEGE OR VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS;
- THE RIGHT TO THE LEISURE TIME ESSENTIAL FOR CULTURAL, POLITICAL, AND INTELLECTUAL DEVELOPMENT.

THE RIGHT TO LIVE:

- THE RIGHT TO LIVE IN A SOCIETY FREE OF DISCRIMINATION BASED ON RACE, GENDER, ETHNICITY, NATIONAL ORIGIN, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, PHYSICAL DISABILITY, OR RELIGION;
- THE RIGHT TO UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO ACHIEVE AND ENJOY GOOD HEALTH;
- THE RIGHT TO ADEQUATE PROTECTION FROM THE ECONOMIC FEARS OF OLD AGE, SICKNESS, ACCIDENT, AND UNEMPLOYMENT;
- THE RIGHT TO A SAFE AND AFFORDABLE HOME;
- THE RIGHT TO LIVE IN A CLEAN ENVIRONMENT;
- THE RIGHT TO A SUFFICIENT AMOUNT OF NUTRITIOUS FOOD.

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