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By Senators Bailey, O'Ban, and Kuderer

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1 TO THE HONORABLE DONALD J. TRUMP, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES,
2 AND TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
3 REPRESENTATIVES, AND TO THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
4 THE UNITED STATES, IN CONGRESS ASSEMBLED:

5 We, your Memorialists, the Senate and House of Representatives of
6 the State of Washington, in legislative session assembled,
7 respectfully represent and petition as follows:

8 WHEREAS, Research has shown that prohibiting the sale of tobacco
9 and vapor products to anyone under the age of twenty-one years old
10 will reduce the number of adolescents and young adults who smoke,
11 reduce healthcare costs, and save lives; and

12 WHEREAS, It should be the policy of the United States to prohibit
13 the sale of tobacco and vapor products to anyone under the age of
14 twenty-one years old;

15 NOW, THEREFORE, Your Memorialists respectfully pray that the
16 United States Congress pass, and the President of the United States
17 sign, legislation prohibiting the sale of tobacco and vapor products
18 to anyone under the age of twenty-one years old.

19 BE IT RESOLVED, That, upon passage of Senate Bill No. 5057 and
20 signature by the Governor of the State of Washington, copies of this
21 Memorial be immediately transmitted to the Honorable Donald J. Trump,
22 President of the United States, the President of the United States

1 Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and each member
2 of Congress from the State of Washington.

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