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Mr. HAMADEH of Arizona (for himself, Mr. PFLUGER, Mr. TIMMONS, Mrs. LUNA, Mr. JACKSON of Texas, Mr. BACON, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Ms. HAGEMAN, Mr. MCGUIRE, Mr. RULLI, Mr. BERGMAN, Mrs. HOUCHIN, Mr. PATRONIS, Mrs. HARSHBARGER, Mr. FLOOD, and Mr. MCDOWELL) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

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## A BILL

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in commemoration of Charlie Kirk.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Charlie Kirk Com-  
5 memorative Coin Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. FINDINGS.**

7 Congress finds the following:

1           (1) Charles “Charlie” James Kirk was an  
2 American political and cultural activist who inspired  
3 a generation of young Americans to value and prac-  
4 tice the core freedoms enshrined under the First  
5 Amendment, namely freedom of speech and freedom  
6 of expression.

7           (2) Born on October 14, 1993, in Arlington  
8 Heights, Illinois, Kirk rose to prominence as a nota-  
9 ble public figure, author, and champion of the open  
10 exchange of ideas.

11           (3) Founding Turning Point USA in 2012,  
12 Kirk grew the organization into a nationwide grass-  
13 roots organization focused on involving young people  
14 in the political process.

15           (4) Today, there are over 3,500 Turning Point  
16 USA chapters at schools and universities across the  
17 United States, engaging a new generation of Ameri-  
18 cans in the country’s civic life.

19           (5) Since Kirk’s tragic death on September 10,  
20 2025, Turning Point USA has received over 62,000  
21 requests from students to start new chapters or ex-  
22 pand existing ones.

23           (6) Charlie Kirk was a passionate defender of  
24 the First Amendment, honoring the tradition of the  
25 Nation’s Founding Fathers and imparting upon

1 Americans of all generations the importance of regu-  
2 larly practicing and safeguarding the crucial free-  
3 doms the United States was founded upon.

4 (7) Through campus tours and widely attended  
5 events, Kirk championed the idea of open debate and  
6 respectful disagreement, turning college university  
7 campuses into public town squares at a time in the  
8 Nation’s history when freedom of speech was imper-  
9 iled.

10 (8) Charlie Kirk and his wife Erika Kirk in-  
11 spired countless young Americans to value the insti-  
12 tution of the family through their activism and the  
13 example they set themselves.

14 (9) A loving father, Charlie raised his daughter  
15 and son alongside Erika, recognizing and sharing  
16 the importance of forming a family.

17 (10) A stalwart believer in American  
18 exceptionalism, Charlie loved his country and had  
19 great faith in its potential, encouraging his fellow  
20 citizens to honor their civic duty and participate  
21 fully in upholding their responsibilities as citizens.

22 **SEC. 3. COIN SPECIFICATIONS.**

23 (a) DENOMINATIONS.—The Secretary of the Treas-  
24 ury (referred to in this Act as the “Secretary”), in com-  
25 memoration of Charles “Charlie” Kirk, shall mint and

1 issue not more than 400,000 \$1 silver coins, which shall  
2 each—

- 3 (1) weigh 26.73 grams;
- 4 (2) have a diameter of 1.500 inches; and
- 5 (3) contain not less than 90 percent silver.

6 (b) **LEGAL TENDER.**—The coins minted under this  
7 Act shall be legal tender, as provided in section 5103 of  
8 title 31, United States Code.

9 (c) **NUMISMATIC ITEMS.**—For purposes of sections  
10 5134 and 5136 of title 31, United States Code, all coins  
11 minted under this Act shall be considered to be numis-  
12 matic items.

13 **SEC. 4. DESIGN OF COINS.**

14 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—The design of the coin minted  
15 under this Act shall—

- 16 (1) on the obverse, bear the image of Charles  
17 James Kirk; and
- 18 (2) on the reverse, include an inscription of the  
19 words “well done, good and faithful servant”.

20 (b) **DESIGNATION AND INSCRIPTIONS.**—On each coin  
21 minted under this Act there shall be—

- 22 (1) an inscription of “Charles James Kirk”;
- 23 (2) a designation of the value of the coin;
- 24 (3) an inscription of the year “2026”; and

1           (4) inscriptions of the words “Liberty”, “In  
2           God We Trust”, “United States of America”, and  
3           “E Pluribus Unum”.

4           (c) SELECTIONS.—The design for the coin minted  
5 under this Act shall be—

6           (1) selected by the Secretary after consultation  
7           with the President; and

8           (2) reviewed by the Citizens Coinage Advisory  
9           Committee.

10 **SEC. 5. ISSUANCE OF COINS.**

11           (a) QUALITY OF COINS.—The coin minted under this  
12 Act shall be issued in uncirculated and proof qualities.

13           (b) MINT FACILITY.—Any facility of the United  
14 States mint may be used to strike any particular quality  
15 of the coins minted under this Act.

16           (c) PERIOD FOR ISSUANCE.—The Secretary may  
17 issue coins under this Act only during the 2026 calendar  
18 year.

19 **SEC. 6. SALE OF COINS.**

20           (a) SALE PRICE.—The coins issued under this Act  
21 shall be sold by the Secretary at a price equal to the sum  
22 of—

23           (1) the face value of the coins; and

1           (2) the cost of designing and issuing the coins  
2           including labor, materials, dies, use of machinery,  
3           overhead expenses, marketing, and shipping.

4           (b) BULK SALES.—The Secretary shall make bulk  
5           sales of the coins issued under this Act available at a rea-  
6           sonable discount.

7           (c) PREPAID ORDERS.—The Secretary shall accept  
8           prepaid orders for the coins minted under this Act at a  
9           reasonable discount before the issuance of the coins.

10 **SEC. 7. FINANCIAL ASSURANCES.**

11           The Secretary shall take such actions as may be nec-  
12           essary to ensure that minting and issuing coins under this  
13           Act will not result in any net cost to the Government.

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