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To create Federal Law dealing with the implementation of the death penalty

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In the House of Representatives

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**The Death Penalty Act of 2021**

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**Section 1**

Upon passage of this Act, The Congress of the United States mandates the use the following methodology in carrying out a guilty verdict and death penalty handed down in federal court. Congress urges all states to adopt this same methodology within its judicial system.

**Section 2**

This methodology is both simple and straight forward. The person to be executed shall be bound by the arms and legs to a standard hospital bed tilted at thirty degrees (head higher) in an isolated room with, at least, an anesthesiologist and nurse present. The person may request and be provided a blindfold and background music. At the appointed time, the anesthesiologist will supply sufficient anesthetic to render the person unconscious. Then, large size needles attached to sterile tubing shall be inserted into the femoral artery in each leg. The other end of the tubing shall be attached to a sterile one gallon container placed below the bed. The anesthesiologist shall monitor the person until the person is declared legally dead. The remains of the person shall be handled in the manner requested by the person, or if none stated, by the person's family, or if not available, by the federal court.

**Section 3**

The blood drained from the person shall be donated to the local Red Cross.

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