Dear reader,

We recently learned that the prestigious Library of Congress will again be archiving ProCon.org for having "materials of historical importance to the Congress and the American people." We are thrilled by this amazing honor.

Librarians, please stop by our booth at the American Library Association annual convention in Anaheim, California from June 22-25. Mention this email newsletter and get a complimentary ProCon.org polo shirt.

Read on for some of the many research projects we have completed over the last few weeks.

ACLU
ACLU Positions on 55 Issues from Abortion to the War on Terror - Read the ACLU's pro or con positions on 55 issues including abortion, the death penalty, religion in public schools, and the war on drugs.

STANDARDIZED TESTING
Is the use of standardized tests improving education in America? – Read pro and con quotes from experts, politicians and activists including Michelle Rhee (pro), Diane Ravitch (con), Bill Clinton (pro), Hillary Rodham Clinton (con), Jeb Bush (pro), and Randi Weingarten (con).

FELON VOTING
State Felon Voting Laws - State laws on felon voting differ across the US. In Maine and Vermont, convicted felons can vote from prison. In Florida, Kentucky, Iowa, and Virginia, convicted felons can lose the ability to vote permanently. See our updated chart detailing the various laws on felon voting in all 50 states and the District of Columbia.

GOLF
Calories Burned During 250 Activities - How does golf stack up to other activities when it comes to burning calories? Our chart ranks 250 diverse activities such as soccer, biking, kissing, yoga, and gardening in order of highest to lowest calorie burners.

ISRAELI-PALESTINIAN CONFLICT
Is Hezbollah a terrorist organization? - Read pro and con arguments from the Congressional Research Service (pro), Director of Americans Concerned for Middle East Peace Franklin Lamb (con), the Parliament of the European Union (pro), British Member of Parliament George Galloway (con), the Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the United Kingdom (pro), Hezbollah Member of Lebanese Parliament Ali Fayyad (con), and more.

See our related questions: What is Hezbollah? And What is Hezbollah's position on Israel?

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Should Palestinian refugees have the "right of return"? - Read pro and con arguments from Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas (pro), Prime Minister of Israel Benjamin Netanyahu (con), Chief of the Hamas Political Bureau Khaled Meshaal (pro), 9th President of Israel Shimon Peres (con), the International Commission of Jurists (pro), the Jewish Federations of North America (con), and more.

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- Florida Defends Its Voter Purge Before the Presidential Primary
- NOAA Reports Arctic Carbon Dioxide Reaches Highest Levels in 800,000 Years

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