

US Congress Votes to Outsource Presidency  
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Washington, DC (AP) -- Congress today announced that the office of President of the United States of America will be outsourced to India as of July 1, 2007. The move is being made in order to save the President's \$500,000 yearly salary, and also a record \$521 trillion in deficit expenditures and related overhead the office has incurred during the last 5 years.

"We believe this is a wise financial move. The cost savings are huge." stated Congressman Thomas Reynolds (R-WA). "We cannot remain competitive on the world stage with the current t level of cash outlay." Reynolds noted.

Congressman Ron Raul stated, "We are just restoring the office to its Constitutional origin. The federal government is supposed to be a government of small enumerated powers that frankly has grown to enormous proportions courtesy of powerful myths extended to the Executive Branch of federal government. Donations--by a well-meaning but ignorant population under the premise of compliance with a voluntary US Individual Income Tax--has permitted this vast expansion. In reality the President's role is constitutionally limited to being the head of the civil service, being a director of foreign policy, and serving as merely a check on Legislative power."

Al Gore was heard to remark, "Well maybe we can use all that money saved for global warming policies."

Upon hearing of the office move, many potential Presidential contenders have dropped-out of the race. Staffers at the Clinton camp claimed Hilliary remarked, "Without the fairy-tale Cinderella-aspect of Washington DC made popular by Jackie Kennedy, a move to India would just be to another government job. I'm not interested but Bill said he thinks he could treat Indian women equally. He said, 'A little Indian is good every now and then.' I'm not sure what he meant."

Mr. Bush was informed by e-mail this morning of his termination. Preparations for the job move have been underway for some time.

Gurvinder Singh of Indus Teleservices, Mumbai , India will assume the office of President as of July 1, 2007.

Mr. Singh was born in the United States while his Indian parents were vacationing at Niagara Falls, thus making him eligible for the position. He will receive a salary of \$320 (USD) a month but with no health coverage or other benefits.

It is believed that Mr. Singh will be able to handle his job responsibilities without a support staff. Due to the time difference between the US and India, he will be working primarily at night, when few offices of the US Government will be open.

"Working nights will allow me to keep my day job at the Dell Computer call center" stated Mr. Singh in an exclusive interview. "I am excited about this position. I always hoped I would be President." A Congressional spokesperson noted that while Mr. Singh may not be fully aware of all the issues involved in the office of President, this should not be a problem as President Bush was not familiar with the issues either.

Mr. Singh will rely upon a script tree that will enable him to respond effectively to most topics of concern. Using these canned responses, he can address common concerns without having to understand the underlying issue at all. "We know these scripting tools work," stated the spokesperson. "President Bush as used them successfully for years."

When asked about the scripted comments, the spokesperson stated some “worn-out” phrases will be used and some will be expanded-upon. The list includes these comments:

- We are making the world safe for democracy.
- You are either for us or against us. This is freedom.
- Anything said against us is commercial speech...and not free speech.
- The Department of Justice is about Justice....not the Executive agency of enforcement.
- The enemies are coming over here unless we go over there.
- They hate us because of our freedoms.
- People need to give up rights and freedom for our security.
- Everybody needs to “pay their fair share.” [After all, from each according to his ability, to each according to his need is a fair policy]
- [take your pick] is part of the axis of evil.
- We bomb countries so that they can be ultimately free. We rebuild those who install office-holders agreeable to our dictates. That is how freedom works.
- For the people of the US, please work to pay US your fair share....work will set you free.
- The People of the US agreed to a long war for freedom. We need to stay the course.
- To give a timetable for withdrawal is to give our enemies our plan.
- The Patriot Act is about Patriotism...and not Nationalism as some suspect.
- The REAL ID is good for you. Everybody should show their papers when asked and especially later when demanded.
- We need to number the People of the US in order to prevent Mexicans from stealing jobs. Please accept our number-mark of socialism and security. We will force this policy for state driver’s licenses and you will like our theft of identity.
- Please get out and vote....but only for Demopublicans. A two-party only system is our version of democracy as it enables power-holders to bat a 500 average for years and years.

Bush—at first unable to comprehend a drop in salary—was heard to remark, “Why India?” Congressional leaders responded: “So you can be closer to the war on terror if you chose to go.” Bush then remarked: “Well I didn’t go before. You don’t understand....my job is sending young naïve people off to war...not me. I won’t go.”

Bush will receive health coverage, expenses, and salary until his final day of employment. Following a two week waiting period, he will be eligible for \$140 a week unemployment for 13 weeks. Unfortunately he will not be eligible for Medicaid, as his unemployment benefits will exceed the allowed limit.

Mr. Bush has been provided the outplacement services of Manpower, Inc. to help him write a resume and prepare for his upcoming job transition.

According to Manpower, Mr. Bush may have difficulties in securing a new position due to limited practical or successful work experience. A Greeter position at Wal-Mart was suggested due to Bush's extensive experience shaking hands, as well as his goofy smile.