"BRING ON THE CLOWNS"



This was sent to me anonymously and I share it here because I could not have said it any better.

Once upon a time the government had a vast scrap yard in the middle of a desert. Congress said, "Someone may steal from it at night". So they created a night watchman position and hired a person for the job. Then Congress said, "how does the watchman do his job without instruction?"

So they created a planning department and hired two people. One person to write the instructions, and one person to do time studies. Then Congress said, "How will we know the night watchman is doing the tasks correctly?" So they created a Quality Control department and hired two people. One was to do the studies and one was to write the reports.

Then Congress said, "how are these people going to get paid?" So they created two positions: a time keeper and a payroll officer, then hired two people. Then Congress said, "Who will be accountable for all of these people?" So they created an administrative section and hired three people, an Administrative Officer, Assistant Administrative Officer, and a Legal Secretary.

Then Congress said, "We have had this command in operation for one year and we are \$918,000 over budget, we must cut back."

So they laid off the night watchman.

Now slowly let it sink in. We go like sheep to the slaughter.

Does anybody remember the reason given for the establishment of the Department of Energy during the Carter Administration? Bottom line is, we've spent several hundred billion dollars in support of an agency.... the reason for which not many who read this can remember!

The Department of Energy was instituted on 8/04/1977, TO LESSEN OUR DEPENDENCE ON FOREIGN OIL. Now it's 2012 ---- 35 years later ---- and the budget for this "necessary" department is \$24.2 Billion a year. It has 16,000 Federal Employees and approximately 100,000 contract employees and look at the job it has done! 35 years ago 30% of our oil consumption was foreign imports. Today 70% of our oil consumption is foreign imports..... Great job! Good old Federal bureaucracy. (And we could supply all our oil needs from the USA)

Stop Pulling the Wagon

Are You Tired Of Government Lies Hypocrisy and Corruption?

Now we have turned over large segments of our Banking system, Health Care system and Auto Industry to the same government?

Hello! Anybody home?

(some editing to shorten without changing content - Bob)

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