Idaho State Sovereignty Petition to Legislators to nullify unconstitutional federal laws

WHEREAS, the Tenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States reads as follows: "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people."; and

WHEREAS, in 2009, the House of Representatives and the Senate of the State of Idaho passed House Joint Memorial 4, claiming sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States over all powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by the Constitution; and

WHEREAS, with concerns about privacy, funding and more, Idaho was one of 25 states that passed resolutions and binding laws denouncing and refusing to implement the REAL ID Act, the implementation of which has been delayed numerous times in response to this massive state resistance, and in practice, is virtually null and void; and

WHEREAS, a reading of the Constitution through the original understanding of the Founders and Ratifiers makes it quite clear that any national health care plan or national public option is not something that was delegated by the People to the Federal Government in the Constitution; and

WHEREAS, the United States Constitution declares, in Article I, Section 10, "No State shall… make any Thing but gold and silver Coin a Tender in Payment of Debts"; and

WHEREAS, any firearms made and retained in Idaho are beyond the authority of Congress under its constitutional power to regulate commerce among the states;

THEREFORE: We the People of Idaho urge our legislature:

- to nullify any future national health care plan,
- to nullify federal legal tender laws by authorizing payment in gold and silver or electronic transactions backed 100% by gold or silver, and
- to nullify unconstitutional federal laws and regulations on firearms, accessories, or ammunition manufactured and retained in Idaho.

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