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## Stunner. Robert Gibbs Dismisses Today's Suit Finding Obamacare Unconstitutional (Video)

Posted by Jim Hoft on Monday, December 13, 2010, 8:46 PM

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Earlier today White House Press Secretary Robert Gibbs dismissed the ruling that found the Obama administration's hard-fought health care law unconstitutional.  
Via [AP](#) Video:



The Examiner reported:

*The White House on Monday brushed off the setback a federal judge dealt to President Obama's signature health care reforms, predicting the president would ultimately prevail in the courts.*

**"Obviously, the administration argued on the other side of this case and disagrees with the ruling," White House press secretary Robert Gibbs said. "Our belief is that when all the legal wrangling is done, this is something that will be upheld."**



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U.S. District Judge Henry E. Hudson of Virginia struck down a key provision of the reform law that requires individuals to purchase health insurance or face a financial penalty.

The ruling was cheered by conservatives, civil libertarians and others who argued that forcing consumers to buy health insurance was an abuse of constitutional powers.

"This was inevitable because it's absurd to argue that an individual mandate is constitutional," said Michael Cannon, a health care policy expert at the Cato Institute. "It also reveals that everything the administration said about these being frivolous lawsuits was desperate political spin."

The health care reforms, which Obama signed into law in March, has been assailed by critics, was never popular with voters and now faces numerous legal challenges that are likely to be settled by the Supreme Court.

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**#1 December 13, 2010 at 8:50 pm**  
kato commented:

Lib-liars will say anything. Exhibits A, B and C: Obama, Reid, Pelosi.

**#2 December 13, 2010 at 8:56 pm**  
GLM In Ohio commented:

Gibbs dismissed this ruling, just as this administration has systematically dismissed most, if not all, of the the American peoples' wishes. Anyone see a pattern yet? I hope the new Congress has the stones to do something about this ....

**#3 December 13, 2010 at 9:00 pm**  
Chisum commented:

Well, there you go! No worries, cause Gibbsy ( the second smartest man in the world) said so!

And he was probably told this by the smartest man in the world (his boss).  
**#4 December 13, 2010 at 9:02 pm**  
gastorgrab commented:

Is it possible to calculate all the revenue that was lost due to the White House issuing health care waivers?

If they're defending the mandate by declaring that the need for funding is what makes Commie-Care legal ("I need it, therefore you owe it to me."), then how do they rationalize the waivers?

**#5 December 13, 2010 at 9:08 pm**  
bg commented:

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you seriously didn't think the Constitution would stop them did you??  
/rhetorical question/

**#6 December 13, 2010 at 9:11 pm**  
Jim commented:

As long as Gibbsy isn't worried about it I too feel this is not a problem. Who cares about the law right? ALERT: Gangsters in the White House.

**#7 December 13, 2010 at 9:23 pm**  
Tom commented:

This guy Gibbs really studied WW2 era German propaganda ministry text books. It really paid off!






**#8 December 13, 2010 at 9:24 pm**  
Skinner commented:

Bugger off you lying dough bag.  
What a perfect spokesman for our cur of a President.  
Some people a just make you wanna slap them - and he is one of them.

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