

SAY NO TO REAL ID IN PENNSYLVANIA!

Our Founding Fathers established a nation like no other in the history of mankind. They established a nation that valued individual liberty where people were free to pursue their happiness as they saw fit. In today's America, our politicians seem to think of us more as pieces of inventory that need to be controlled and tracked. In a country where more and more of our freedoms are being legislated away, the REAL ID Act of 2005 is the perhaps the greatest attack on our liberty to date. Our founding fathers would turn in their graves to know such an Orwellian act has actually been passed by the US Congress and signed by the President.

The REAL ID ACT OF 2005:

Is a national ID card as mandated by the Department of Homeland Security. Citizens of the US must carry this ID card with them at all times. This is something reminiscent of Nazi Germany and not the USA.

Citizens will not be able to board an airplane, open a bank account, or enter into a federal building without this card.

Creates a national database which will contain all of your personal information. This puts you in danger from identity thieves who would hack into this database and abuse by those who have legal access to it.

Would contain your biometric information which could include *face explore* technology, fingerprints, or retinal scans.

Could also contain an RFID tracking chip, or Radio Frequency Identification chip, which could be used to literally track all of your movements.

The states themselves which are mandated into compliance would also have to pay most of the cost. It is estimated that it will cost billions of dollars to implement REAL ID, the bulk of which must be paid by the states as Congress has allocated very little money for this costly program.

Would do nothing to stop terrorism or illegal immigration as it is being sold as a solution for, because terrorists or illegal aliens would not volunteer to receive this card. Why is the Federal government so concerned about tracking law abiding citizens while they have failed to stem the flood of illegal aliens?

SOUND A LITTLE LIKE THE BOOK 1984?

The good news is that there are three things *YOU* can do to stop it!

- There is a bill in the Pennsylvania House (**HB 1351**) and another in the PA Senate (**SB 1220**) which would put an end to this nightmare. States such as New Hampshire, South Carolina, Montana, and Washington have passed similar bills. Go to www.legis.state.pa.us and enter in your zip code in the upper right hand corner of the page, where it says find member by. Then **contact your state representative and state senator**. Let them know that you strongly oppose the Real ID Act of 2005 and ask for them to cosponsor and support the Anti-Real ID Bills in the House or Senate. Also ask them to attend the conference below.
- The State is sponsoring a conference on Real ID. **Please show up** and join many others in expressing our disapproval with the Real ID Act. We will be holding a protest against this unconstitutional attack on our liberty. This will be held on **Thursday, March 13, 2008 from 10 AM-Noon at the University of Pittsburgh William Pitt Union Ballroom. The address is 3959 5th Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15213.**
- **Continue the fight** against Real ID and legislation like it. If you are interested in helping the cause of liberty please go to www.restoretherepublic.com.

