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#### The United States Constitution

Article II, Section 1 of the U.S. Constitution imposes only three eligibility requirements on persons serving as president, based on the officeholder's age, time of residency in the U.S., and citizenship status:

#### U.S. Constitution - Presidential Candidate Eligibility

"No person except a natural born Citizen, or a Citizen of the United States, at the time of the Adoption of this Constitution, shall be eligible to the Office of President; neither shall any person be eligible to that Office who shall not have attained to the Age of thirty-five Years, and been fourteen Years a Resident within the United States."

# **Executive Order**

# Establishing the Public Truth & Constitutional Purpose Task Force

### **Preamble**

By the authority vested in me as President of the United States by the Constitution and the laws of the United States of America, and with an unshakable commitment to transparency, democratic integrity, and the welfare of the American people, I hereby find the following:

For generations, Americans have been told that their government exists to protect their liberty, secure their well-being, and faithfully uphold the Constitution. Yet throughout the past several decades, a gradual but profound shift has taken root. Policy decisions that determine the cost of food, housing, healthcare, education, energy, and wages have become increasingly influenced—directly and indirectly—by private financial interests whose priorities do not always align with the constitutional duty to serve the people.

This shift did not occur through democratic debate or the informed consent of the American population. It occurred subtly, cumulatively, and across administrations, exacerbated by loopholes, deregulation, consolidation, special-interest lobbying, and the growing influence of private equity, multinational corporate structures, and captured regulatory systems.

A democratic republic cannot function truthfully or legitimately if the people do not understand how their government operates, what forces shape public policy, and how far the government may have drifted from its constitutional purpose.

Transparency is not optional—it is the foundation of sovereignty. The American people cannot exercise self-governance if essential truths about the decision-making structures that impact their lives are withheld, obscured, or never acknowledged.

Therefore, in recognition of the constitutional imperative to restore public trust and re-establish government's purpose as a servant of the people, it is the policy of the United States to openly examine, document, and disclose the ways in which private influence has shaped federal policy, and to create mechanisms through which the public can actively participate in the correction of this drift.

Accordingly, I hereby establish the Public Truth & Constitutional Purpose Task Force.

By the authority vested in me as President of the United States by the Constitution and the laws of the United States of America, and with an unshakable commitment to transparency, democratic integrity, and the welfare of the American people, I hereby ORDER the following:

### Section 1. Policy.

It is the policy of the executive branch to:

- 1. Provide the American public with clear, accurate, and accessible information about systemic influences on federal decision-making.
- 2. **Identify structural misalignments between government actions and constitutional purpose**, including those resulting from private-interest dominance, regulatory capture, and unbalanced corporate influence.
- 3. Create a national infrastructure for public participation in evaluating and reshaping government functions.
- 4. Reinforce the principle that government exists to protect human life, dignity, and welfare—not to serve private consolidation of power.

### Section 2. Establishment of the Task Force.

There is hereby established the **Public Truth & Constitutional Purpose Task Force** ("the Task Force"), to be housed within the Executive Office of the President.

The Task Force shall include:



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- The Assistant to the President for Domestic Policy (Co-Chair)
- The Assistant to the President for Economic Policy (Co-Chair)
- The Director of the Office of Management and Budget
- The Chair of the Council of Economic Advisers
- The Director of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs
- The Attorney General or designee
- The Secretary of the Treasury or designee
- Representatives from at least **five public-selected delegates**, chosen through an open national application process

The President may appoint additional members as necessary.

### Section 3. Duties of the Task Force.

The Task Force shall:

(a) Produce a Public Truth Report.

Within 12 months, prepare a comprehensive, publicly accessible report that documents:

- 1. The systemic mechanisms through which private interests—including corporations, private equity firms, conglomerates, lobbyists, and political donors—have shaped federal policy.
- 2. The sectors most influenced by private interests, including healthcare, housing, food systems, energy, utilities, transportation, public education, finance, labor, technology, and defense.
- 3. How government shutdowns, budget leverage, and political bargaining have endangered human welfare.
- 4. Areas where government functions have drifted from constitutional purpose.
- 5. Recommendations for corrective action, structural reforms, and realignment.

The report must be written in **plain**, **accessible language**, free from technical jargon, and available in digital, print, audio, and visual formats.

(b) Conduct Nationwide Public Hearings.

The Task Force shall organize hearings in each state and territory to gather public testimony on:

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- Economic hardship
- Corporate influence
- Government inaction
- Policy failures
- Effects of consolidation
- Failures to protect public welfare
- Barriers to participation
- Structural inequities

Each hearing shall include open-mic segments and be livestreamed and archived.

#### (c) Develop a Corrective Constitutional Alignment Plan.

The Task Force shall recommend reforms to realign government with its constitutional purpose, including:

- Reducing private-interest influence in policymaking
- Closing regulatory capture pathways
- Strengthening public oversight
- Ensuring essential human needs are insulated from political bargaining
- Expanding participatory systems for public feedback
- Creating transparency standards for federal agencies
- Establishing safeguards against corporate-driven policy drift

#### (d) Create Public Education Resources.

The Task Force shall develop clear and accessible education materials explaining:

- How government structures work
- How private influence gained power
- How public input will shape reforms

- How individuals can participate in policy correction
- What constitutional realignment means in practical terms

These materials shall be distributed nationally through schools, public libraries, digital platforms, and community institutions.

### Section 4. Public Participation Framework.

To restore public involvement in governance, the Task Force shall establish:

- 1. A national online portal allowing individuals to submit evidence, stories, and proposals.
- 2. Community forums hosted in partnership with local organizations.
- 3. Public surveys and polling mechanisms designed by independent researchers.
- 4. **Citizen advisory panels** formed through open application and random selection processes.
- 5. Guaranteed transparency, with all non-classified materials made public.

No private corporation, political donor, or lobbying entity may participate in the Task Force's deliberations or influence its findings.

# Section 5. Agency Cooperation.

All executive departments and agencies shall:

- Provide relevant data and records to the Task Force
- Cooperate in hearings and investigations
- Conduct independent internal reviews upon request
- Implement interim transparency measures recommended by the Task Force

# Section 6. Reporting Deadlines.

• Interim Brief (90 days): initial findings and public engagement plan



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- Midyear Update (6 months): preliminary structural analysis and public testimony summary
- Final Public Truth Report (12 months): complete findings and corrective recommendations

### Section 7. Implementation.

Upon submission of the Final Report, the President shall:

- Issue additional executive directives as needed
- Propose relevant legislative reforms to Congress
- Implement administrative changes across federal agencies
- Establish permanent public oversight structures if recommended

### Section 8. General Provisions.

- (a) Nothing in this order shall be construed to impair or otherwise affect the authority granted by law to any executive department or agency.
- (b) This order shall be implemented consistent with applicable law and subject to the availability of appropriations.
- (c) This order is not intended to, and does not, create any rights or benefits enforceable at law or in equity.

**End of Executive Order** 

Signed,

Vincent Cordova

**President of the United States**