

DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 2023 – Comparing the Grievances of 1776 to Grievances 2023

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In 1776, the Declaration of Independence listed 18 grievances against the King of England, but the Founders stated frequently and forcefully that the grievances were against Parliament as well.

Now, in 2023, we find that these 18 grievances are practically the same, just implemented differently in our modern era. We have a federal government that is an enemy of liberty and of the people. It is composed of a President, the Congress, the Federal Court system and the uncontrollable Bureaucratic Deep State. All of these parts of the Federal Government have become usurpers and abusers of power. They are now our Despotic RULERS. The pace we have been stripped of liberties and put under the RULERSHIP of these characterless men and women is breathtaking.

In each section below, the original 1776 grievances are preceded by the initials (DOI) and are in quotes. Then below each 1776 grievance the equivalent grievances of today are listed. These modern grievances could be against any part of the 3 branches of the Federal Government or the Bureaucratic Deep State.

A DECLARATION OF ABUSES AND USURPATIONS 2023

“Prudence, indeed will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient Causes, and accordingly all Experience hath shown, that Mankind are more disposed to suffer while Evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the Forms to which they are accustomed.

But when a long Train of abuses and Usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object, evinces a Design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their Right, it is their Duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide Guards for their future Security.

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The history of the **U.S. Federal Government** is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over these 50 States.

To prove this, let these Facts be submitted to a candid World:”

1. **DOI** “He has **refused his Assent to Laws, the most wholesome and necessary for the public good**” **Today:**
 - a) Would not defend Don’t Ask Don’t Tell in Military
 - b) Would not defend Defense of Marriage Act
 - c) Would not defend a common definition of man and woman
 - d) Would not defend keeping biological men from destroying womens Sports
 - e) Would not defend freedom of speech or freedom of conscience- instead labels it “hate speech”
 - f) Aggressively attacks States who are trying to make their elections secure
 - g) Aggressively attacks States who are trying to protect women and women sports from biological men posing as women

2. **DOI** “He has forbidden his Governors to pass Laws of **immediate and pressing importance**, unless suspended in their operation till his Assent should be obtained; and when so suspended, he has utterly neglected to attend to them.” **Today:**
 - a) Federal Courts refused to hear 2020 Election Fraud cases
 - b) Supreme Court refused to take 20 State case questioning other states elections

3. **DOI** “He has **refused to pass other Laws** for the accommodation of **large districts of people**, unless those people would relinquish the right of Representation in the Legislature, a right inestimable to them and formidable to tyrants only.” **Today:**
 - a) Refused to consider any laws protecting unborn life (large district of people)

4. **DOI** “He has called together legislative bodies at **places unusual**, uncomfortable, and distant from the depository of their Public Records, for **the sole purpose of fatiguing them into compliance with his measures.**” **Today:**
 - a) Congress passes Health Care Law - Ramming it down the peoples throat, Nancy Pelosi saying, you have to pass it to see what is in it.
 - b) Frequently passing controversial legislation on the week of Thanksgiving or the week of Christmas
 - c) Congress passes Lifting of Ban of Gays in Military on Dec 24?
 - d) Using “Lame Duck” Sessions to pass noxious legislation- – when people have other things on their mind than fighting their government on this issue.

5. **DOI** “He has dissolved Representative Houses repeatedly, for opposing with manly firmness of **his invasions on the rights of the people.**” **Today:**
 - a) Attempted to attack States using lawfare that did not comply with federal COVID mandates
 - b) Attempts to attack States whose legislatures are making their elections more secure.

6. **DOI** “He has refused for a long time, after such dissolutions, to cause others to be elected, whereby the Legislative Powers, incapable of Annihilation, have returned to the People at large for their exercise; **the State remaining in the mean time exposed to all the dangers of invasion from without, and convulsions within.**” **Today:**
 - a) Has refused border states to build their own wall or protect their own borders from invasion
 - b) Has not helped deport illegal aliens, gang members, murderers, rapists, terrorist, spies

7. **DOI** “He has endeavored to prevent the population of these States; for that purpose **obstructing the Laws for Naturalization of Foreigners**; refusing to pass others to encourage their migrations hither, and raising the conditions of new Appropriations of Lands.” **Today:**
 - a) Will not enforce the existing border laws
 - b) Foster a foreign invasion of illegal immigrants to take over portions/all of the land with their votes for the Uni-party

8. **DOI** “He has **obstructed the Administration of Justice** by refusing his Assent to Laws for establishing Judiciary Powers.” **Today:**
 - a) Trying to pervert Justice by making threats against the Supreme Court
 - b) Obstruct Justice by packing the Supreme Court

- c) Obstruct Justice by allowing one federal judge to make an application and declare it a national ruling.
9. DOI “He has made **Judges dependent on his Will alone** for the tenure of their offices, and the amount **and payment** of their salaries.” Today:
 - a) The Deep State rewards and protects its own
 - b) Those who get elected to federal political office somehow all become wealthy
 - c) Packs courts with Progressive judges that are beholdng to the Marxist agenda
 10. DOI “He has **erected a multitude of New Offices, and sent hither swarms of Officers to harass our people and eat out their substance.**” Today:
 - a) Deep State has become a Cultural Marxists Leviathan
 - b) EPA – forcing compliance for Climate Change Hoax
 - c) IRS – harassing small businesses. Armed IRS agents
 - d) FBI, CIA – storming peoples houses that disagree with federal government to intimidate and cower
 - e) The whole Deep State “eats out of our substance”... layers and layers of bureaucrats are like parasites on the system.
 11. DOI “He has **kept among us, in times of peace, Standing Armies** without the Consent of our legislatures.” Today:
 - a) Defund Police Movement has as its end game to federalize police, a federalized domestic army
 - b) Police are weaponized with military grade equipment and spy gear
 - c) Spying and surveillance by Deep State agencies (FBI, CIA, DHS, Big Tech)
 12. DOI “He has affected to **render the Military independent** of and superior to the Civil Power.” Today:
 - a) Destroying the military with wokeism, LGBTQ agenda, Critical Race Theory and all manner of Cultural Marxist indoctrination.
 - b) Arrogant military generals feel no responsibility to answer to Civil Leaders
 13. DOI “He has **combined with others to subject us to a jurisdiction foreign to our constitution**, and unacknowledged by our laws; giving his Assent to their Acts of pretended Legislation”: Today:
 - a) Siding with World Economic Forum (WEF)
 - b) Signing on to global climate accords without Senate approval
 - c) Subscribing to the global “Man Made Climate Change Cult”
 - d) Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg saying she looks to other countries court decisions and international law when rendering decisions for US Citizens
 - e) Funding of the United Nations, a corrupt meaningless organization for free citizens and free people.
 - f) Accepting foreign money and bribes and thereby compromising us to foreign countries and foreign enemies.
 - g) HATE crime laws become THOUGHT crime laws for government to persecute those who have WRONG-THINK.
- For quartering large bodies of armed troops **among us: vs. Today**
 - Domestic spying through phones, computer, tech
 - Militarization and federalization of police forces.

- For **protecting them, by a mock Trial from punishment** for any Murders which they should commit on the Inhabitants of these States: **vs. Today**
 - Two systems of justice... corrupt get off, the innocent get punished
 - BLM and antifa murders get off
 - Citizens defending themselves get persecuted
 - Citizens peacefully assembling to petition their government get persecuted
- For **cutting off our Trade** with all parts of the world: **vs. Today**
 - Covid shut down of small businesses
 - Keeping commerce from flowing
- For **imposing Taxes** on us without our Consent: **vs. Today**
 - Causing Massive inflation – a hidden tax
 - Massive tax increases to pay for out of control spending
 - Refusal to balance the budget
 - Refusal to make the budgeting process simple to understand.. intentionally confusing so patriotic citizens cannot call for limits
- For **depriving us in many cases, of the benefit of Trial by Jury: vs. Today**
 - January 6 political prisoners
 - January 6 political persecution
 - Poisoning the minds of citizens on issues of Race, MAGA
- For transporting us beyond Seas to be **tried for pretended offences: vs. Today**
 - Tried for pretended offenses in our country (not even transported out the country)
 - Parents at School Board meetings – called domestic terrorist
 - Comedian making fun of Clinton voters – thrown in jail for “interfering in an election”
- For **abolishing the free System** of English Laws in a neighboring Province, **establishing therein an Arbitrary government**, and enlarging its Boundaries so as to render it at once an example and fit instrument for **introducing the same absolute rule** into these Colonies **vs. Today**
 - Seeking to dominate the states with federal law
 - Executive orders as arbitrary law
 - Executive branch not enforcing law results in arbitrary law
 - Congress shirking responsibility to federal agencies, arbitrary law
 - Federal Courts – making laws up from the bench, arbitrary law
 - Seeking absolute DOMINANCE of States, Cities, Counties, Citizens
- For **taking away our Charters, abolishing our most valuable Laws and altering fundamentally the Forms of our Governments: vs. Today**
 - Destroying the US Constitution
 - Destroying Federalism
 - Destroying State Constitutions and States rights
 - Destroying the 9th and 10th amendments
 - Destroying the Bill of Rights... ALL OF THEM
 - Destroying state and local government by getting them addicted to federal funds and then making demands on the entities... in essence federalizing them.
 - Collusion with Big Tech, Big Business, Big Banks, Big Pharma, Big Law to create an extraconstitutional governing system. The very definition of fascism.

- For **suspending our own Legislatures, and declaring themselves invested with power to legislate for us in all cases whatsoever.**
 - Seeking absolute **DOMINANCE** of States, Cities, Counties, Citizens
14. **DOI “He has abdicated Government here, by declaring us out of his Protection and waging War against us” Today:**
 - a. Waging war against his own citizens with illegal immigrant army
 - b. Waging war with BLM, Antifa, Feminist, LGBTQ activist armies
 - c. Waging war against us in partnership with Big Tech, Big Banks, Fortune 500 companies to foster a cultural revolution.
 - d. Waging war against average citizens who seek to speak up against election Fraud... particularly January 6
 - e. Weaponization of many alphabet federal agencies – DOJ, FBI, CIA, IRS, Homeland Security, etc.. against any citizens speaking out against federal govt
 15. **DOI “He has plundered our seas, ravaged our coasts, burnt our towns, and destroyed the lives of our people” Today:**
 - a. Our border towns are being completely destroyed by illegal immigration
 - b. Our cities are being burnt and destroyed by Cultural Marxists Mobs of (Antifa, BLM, LGBTQ, Feminist, Drug Lords)
 - c. Through George Soros DAs repeat felons are allowed to roam the streets and terrorize the people
 - d. Destroying lives by enslaving people to the government dole
 - e. Destroying lives by economic destruction of the dollar through inflation and debt
 - f. Destroying lives small businesses through taxation and harassment
 - g. Persecuting people of faith... curtailing adoption agencies that won't agree to LGBTQ adoption, small businesses who practice their faith
 16. **DOI – “He is at this time transporting large Armies of foreign Mercenaries to complete the works of death, desolation, and tyranny, already begun with circumstances of Cruelty & Perfidy scarcely paralleled in the most barbarous ages, and totally unworthy the Head of a civilized nation.” Today:**
 - a. Importing millions of illegal immigrants (in essence an army), getting them into the country, and preparing them mentally to riot or fight back if they are ever to be deported
 - b. Riots in the streets will cause, death, desolation of cities, and ultimately allow tyranny to expand because people will surrender their rights if the government promises to control the chaos.
 17. **DOI “He has constrained our fellow Citizens taken Captive on the high Seas to bear Arms against their Country, to become the executioners of their friends and Brethren, or to fall themselves by their Hands.” Today:**
 - a. Pressured kids through medical systems to reveal whether there are guns in the house.
 - b. Pressured fellow citizens to “rat out” those who were not following dictatorial government COVID mandates
 - c. Pressured companies to economically destroy their own employees if they did not comply with COVID mandates and shots

18. DOI – “**He has excited domestic insurrections amongst us**, and has endeavored to bring on the inhabitants of our frontiers, the merciless Indian Savages **whose known rule of warfare, is an undistinguished destruction of all ages, sexes and conditions**”. Today:
- a. Incited race tensions, Trayvon Martin, Michael Brown, George Floyd
 - b. Incited BLM through provocative language and lying about facts
 - c. Incited Antifa to riot because no punishment would be made
 - d. Incited violence against Supreme Court, Senator Schumer, Nancy Pelosi, Joe Biden
 - e. Incited drug cartels to take over and overrun our sovereign borders
 - f. Incited violent LGBTQ activists to protest and attack
 - g. Inciting jealousies and divisions amongst our people
 - h. Attacking the opposition party and MAGA republicans
 - i. Empowered drug cartels who are some of the most vile, ruthless, murderers, rapists, destroyers of all ages, sexes, conditions.

I leave you with this from our nations birth certificate

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