## Second Amendment Committee

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Governor C. L. "Butch" Otter P.O. Box 83720 Boise, Idaho 83720

**OPEN LETTER** 

Dear Governor Otter:

I have been informed by e-mail that Bill O'Reilly, host of the O'Reilly Factor on TV, stated on a most recent program that "Governor Butch Otter of Idaho is in favor of a Constitutional Convention". Further, the e-mail said "All they talked about was the fact it wouldn't fly; not enough time, etc., etc."

This letter is being sent to you to <u>verify</u> whether or not the TV report is <u>accurate</u>. Having observed your leadership by being the first state governor to sign and engage in a movement to protect the state and the Tenth Amendment against the usurpations of the Obama HealthCare legislation, <u>it hardly seems possible that you would support such a clandestine action</u>, which seeks to open a Constitutional Convention.

Knowledgeable citizens all over the United States are well aware that socialists are documented, <u>in print</u>, as being desirous of using the Constitutional Convention <u>procedure</u>, as a method of <u>installing a global government constitution</u>. Their intent is to supersede and eliminate the 1789 Constitution which our nation's founders established for our protection against tyranny. There is no substitute for the 1789 Constitution and there is no equal to it!

The dangers inherent to opening up a Constitutional Convention are too great. The effort to do so is unnecessary since rescinding the unconstitutional Obama HealthCare legislation can be achieved by other methods which present no risk.

Additionally, it was Supreme Court Chief Justice Warren Burger who warned that if a Constitutional Convention is opened, it <u>can</u> be conducted <u>in secret</u>, and it <u>cannot</u> be limited to certain subjects only! Socialists could seize upon the opportunity to move secretly, and ratify one of three or so different global constitutions. Therefore, my Committee urges you, and the other protesting governors to whom you are affiliated in opposition to ObamaCare, to refrain from, and <u>denounce</u>, the <u>effort to participate in a Constitutional Convention</u>.

Please respond in writing, using the above address, fax (559-584-4084) or my e-mail, (<a href="mailto:BernadineSmith.com">BernadineSmith.com</a>) to document whether or not you support or oppose participation in a Constitutional Convention.

Yours truly,

**Bernadine Smith** 

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