

Federal Questionnaire for 2008 Primaries

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	STATEMENT/QUESTION	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	UNDECIDED
1	Marriage Protection Amendment to define marriage as the union of one man and one woman	✓		
2	Human Life Amendment to protect the right to life of a child at all stages of development	✓		
3	Increase federal funding for abstinence-only sex education	✓		
4	Congress was correct to intervene in an effort to protect Terry Schiavo's life	✓		
5	Maintain prohibition on open homosexuals serving in military	✓		
6	Federal funding for Planned Parenthood		✓	
7	Add "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" to Employment Non-Discrimination Act		✓	
8	Add "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" to federal hate crimes laws		✓	
9	Federal funding for embryonic stem cell research		✓	
10	Posting of the Ten Commandments on public property	✓		
11	Remove jurisdiction of federal judiciary over public acknowledgement of God issues	✓		
12	Protect right of chaplains to pray according to their convictions, including "in Jesus' name"	✓		
13	Right of churches to address public policy issues without losing tax exempt status	✓		
14	Eliminate all budget earmarks	✓		
15	Option of at least partially privatized Social Security accounts for younger workers	✓		
16	Reform IRS code by going to a flat tax with minimal deductions	Depends on the details like		
17	Repeal McCain-Feingold campaign finance reform act	✓		
18	Government-managed or government-mandated universal health care		✓	
19	Double layer fence to secure southern border	✓		
20	Restrict immigration from countries which sponsor terrorism	✓		
21	Iraq is a legitimate front in the war on terror	✓		
22	Guaranteed path to citizenship for illegal aliens		✓	
23	Human activity is the primary cause of global warming	No one knows		
24	Government-imposed caps on greenhouse gas emissions		✓	
25	Loosening environmental restrictions to increase domestic drilling and building of new refineries	✓		

what are "minimal" deflections?

Candidate's Signature _____

Date Signed April 15 2008

Comments: _____

(use additional sheet if necessary.)