Greetings!

February 10, 2015

I wanted to let you know about this special event BRI is co-sponsoring in Portland, OR just days before the Supreme Court hears oral arguments in *King v. Burwell*. This case challenges the IRS rule used to clarify legislative intent of ObamaCare. Specifically in question is the language that only allows individuals to receive subsidies to purchase health coverage in states with established health insurance exchanges. *Read more* about the case and the ruling’s possible consequences [*here*](#).

*The Supreme Court and the Fate of Federal Health Exchange Subsidies*

Are subsidies distributed through federal health insurance exchanges legal, or not? This is the question posed by *King v. Burwell*, scheduled for oral argument before the US Supreme Court on March 4th, with a ruling expected by June.
What is being deliberated and why? How likely is it that the subsidies will be found illegal, and what would that mean for Oregon and Washington?

Just six days before the case is to be heard, you have the opportunity to learn the details from Michael Cannon, considered by some to be the "intellectual father" of the strategy behind this legal challenge. He will discuss the case, what is at stake in Oregon and Washington -- and for the ACA in general -- as well as present his thoughts on how Congress should reform healthcare.

*If you are in the Portland area, or if you wish to attend this event, please see details below and spread the word.*

In partnership,

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*"The Man Who Could Bring Down ObamaCare"*

Michael F. Cannon, Director of Health Policy Studies -- The Cato Institute
Thursday, February 26, 2015
5:30 - 7:30PM
Multnomah Athletic Club
1849 SW Salmon Street, Portland OR 97205
Complimentary heavy hors d'oeuvres and dessert buffet, coffee, tea, iced tea and lemonade. No-host bar (cash only).
$15 advance (until Feb.23rd) | $20 after Feb. 23 and at the door (if seating available)
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