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Subject: DOES THIS FINALLY MEAN MY FELLOWS VETERANS AND I...

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AS A MIDDLE-AGED DISABLED, UNEMPLOYED, POVERTY-STRICKEN VETERAN AND FAMILY. ANY STRAIGHT FORWARD, UNENCUMBERED PATH TO EARNING A LIVING AND PROVIDING OUR FAMILY, WILL BE CELEBRATED BY ALL VETERANS IN SIMILAR UNFORTUNATE CIRCUMSTANCES.

IF THIS FINALLY MEANS MY FELLOWS VETERANS AND I, WILL FINALLY HAVE THE UNFETTERED OPPORTUNITY TO FINALLY MAKE A LIVING WITHOUT JUMPING THROUGH A MYRIAD OF STUMBLING BLOCKS AND WALLS, DELIBERATELY ERECTED, TO PREVENT OURSELVES AND OUR FAMILIES, TO LIVE A NORMAL LIFE, WITH A SUSTAINABLE INCOME, UNFETTERED BY POVERTY AND ABSURD RESTRICTIONS AND DELIBERATE WALLS, TO "HOLD US DOWN" RATHER THAN BUILD US UP.

WE HAVE FOUGHT FOR THE SAME WAY OF LIFE THAT EVERY AMERICAN DESERVES. I PRAY THAT WE WILL NOT BE SUBJECT TO SOME OF THE SAME ATTITUDE AND AIRES THAT HAS PLAGUED US FOR THE LAST 40 YEARS.

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