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Massive Spending Bill Passes - \$787 billion

Congress has now passed the largest spending bill in the history of our country with only 90 minutes of debate and with very little time to review the 1,000 plus pages in the bill.

The bill removes requirements that anyone receiving a contract paid for with funding from the bill must use the government's E-Verify program. This makes it harder to ensure taxpayer money is not used to hire illegal workers... [Click here](#) to read more.

Bipartisanship

For "bipartisanship" to be worth something, it must mean looking for ways to work together for the good of the country. It cannot mean violating one's principles or judgment for the sake of being agreeable...To read the rest of Mac's thoughts on bipartisanship, [follow this link.](#)

Second Amendment

With the new Administration, new questions are being raised about gun control and Second Amendment rights. One particular piece of legislation that was introduced at the beginning of the new Congress, H.R. 45, the "Blair Holt's Firearms Licensing and Record of Sale Act of 2009," is causing a lot of concern for supporters of the Second Amendment...[Click here](#) to read more of Mac's thoughts on Second Amendment Rights.

Do Kids Gnaw on Motorcycle Parts?

The Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act (CPSIA) was signed into law on August 14, 2008 and establishes specific limits on lead for products designed or intended primarily for children 12 and younger. The new limit took effect February 10, 2009 and lead content will be phased down over the next few years.

As a result of this law, many youth ATVs and motorcycles are currently banned from being sold because the lead content of some of the parts is in excess of the new limits....[Click here](#) to read more.

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