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## Jindal Weekly Update

This week, Governor Jindal repeatedly criticized the arrogant approach President Obama is taking by going around Congress, flaunting the law, and granting amnesty through executive action. The Governor appeared on NBC's "Meet The Press" and attended the Republican Governors Association annual meeting to highlight the top-down, government-run approach of the Left compared to the bottom-up approach of Republicans.

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## Here Is A Quick Recap Of The News About The Governor's Week:

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**Governor Jindal Went On NBC's "Meet The Press" And Noted The Arrogance Of President Obama For His Plans To Go Around Congress To Grant Amnesty.** Gov. Jindal: "The president said I want to break the law. He purposely said I'm going to wait until after the election because I know it's

not going to be popular to grant amnesty to millions of folks that are here illegally. We had an election. He said his policies were on the ballot. He lost in red states, purple states, blue states. The American people overwhelmingly ejected and rejected his policies. Now he is saying I'm going to break the law."

- **A Washington Examiner** **Headline**  
**Read: Governor Bobby Jindal Owns Chuck Todd In Interview About Obama Immigration Plans**

**Governor Jindal Criticized Obamacare As A Top-Down, Closed Approach Where The Government Is Running Health Care.** Gov.

Jindal: "Democrats and Republicans both want to help the vulnerable, want to help people get affordable, high-quality healthcare. Medicaid is not the right way to do it. The problem with expanding Medicaid, the problem with Affordable Care Act and Obamacare is that it chooses a top-down closed approach where the government is running your healthcare. ... By expanding and creating a new entitlement when we can't afford the ones we've already got, the Affordable Care Act, the president is basically doubling down on a failed approach to providing healthcare. There's a better way to help those uninsured."

- **Governor Jindal Lampooned The Left For Arguing That**

- **Choosing To Expand Obamacare In Louisiana Would Mean Accepting "Free Money."** Gov. Jindal:  
"One of the things I love is when Democrats say this is free money. This is not free money. Every dollar we don't spend on Medicaid is another dollar we don't have to borrow from China. This is the reason we have nearly \$18 trillion in debt."

**Attending The Republican Governors Conference In Florida, Governor Jindal Told Fox News That If He Decided To Run For President His Agenda Would Be To Restore The American Dream And Bring Big Changes To D.C.** Jindal hasn't made a decision whether to run, but if he does, he is banking that his executive experience and personal story as the son of immigrants who came here to live the American dream will make him a formidable candidate. "If I were to run in 2016, it would be all about restoring the American dream for our children and grandchildren," Jindal told Fox News. "For me, this election needs to be about big changes in DC – not incremental changes."

**Governor Jindal Said The Democrats Offer A Top-Down, Government Approach For How People Should Run Their Lives, While Republicans Offer A Bottom-Up Philosophy That Empowers People, And "Hillary Clinton Is No**

**Different From President Obama On This.**" Jindal also offered a warning to his own party in Washington. The former congressman said that the "biggest mistake" Republicans "can make with our majority is we simply spend the next two years being nothing but the anti-Obama party." "Let's go and give this president the chance to do the right thing," Jindal said. "Let's put on his desk aggressive, bold reform proposals. Repealing but replacing Obamacare." The 2016 election, Jindal said, will be largely about what he called the Democrats' "top-down, government approach for how we should run the economy and run our lives," contrasted with Republicans, who, he says, are for a "bottom-up" philosophy that empowers people. "By the way," Jindal added, "Hillary Clinton is no different from President Obama on this."

**In An Interview With ABC News, Governor Jindal Said He Believed Governors Make The Best Presidents, "We Have Got A President Now Who Hasn't Run Anything Before He Was Elected President Of The United States. That Inexperience Is Showing."**

Louisiana Gov. Bobby Jindal, also on the list of those considering a run for the top office, said he "absolutely" agreed the next GOP presidential nominee should be a governor. "I think our best leaders come from the ranks of our governors," Jindal told ABC News in an interview. "They have actually gotten executive branch experience. They've run

things, they've balanced budgets. The reality is, on the Republican side we like to point to Ronald Reagan [and] on the Democratic side they point to Bill Clinton as two of the more successful recent presidents. Both of them were former governors. We have got a president now who hasn't run anything before he was elected president of the United States. That inexperience is showing."

**Governor Jindal Released A Statement On The Terror Attack At A Synagogue In Israel Saying The Terrorists Are "Depraved Of Any Humanity In Their Hearts, And They Must Not Only Be Stopped, They Must Be Exterminated."**

Louisiana governor Bobby Jindal, a possible 2016 Republican presidential candidate ... release[d] this statement responding to the terror attack in Jerusalem. "Our hearts and prayers are with the victims and their families after this evil attack on a place of worship," the statement reads. "An attack on a synagogue shows that there are no bounds for terrorists... Unfortunately, Israel is no stranger to these types of attacks. That's why we must always stand with our close friend and ally, condemn the act of terror and defend their right to defend themselves." The terror attack, in a Jerusalem synagogue, killed 4, including 3 Americans.

**Governor Jindal Helped Break Ground On A New Engineering Building At LSU.** With completion expected in the fall of 2017, a \$110 million project to expand

and renovate the Patrick F. Taylor Hall broke ground on the LSU campus today. When it's finished, officials say it will be among the largest free-standing engineering buildings in the nation, with the LSU College of Engineering seeing its space in the building expand from about 306,000 square feet currently to more than 462,000 square feet. ... "We made this commitment to improve learning environments for students because we know our higher education system is critical in helping us ensure that we have a skilled workforce in Louisiana," says Jindal in a prepared statement.

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