

Norman E. Adams, Co Founder of Texans for Sensible Immigration Policy responds to Joe vs Jose, setting the record straight with facts not fiction!

JOE vs. JOSE

You have two families: "Joe Legal" and "Jose Illegal". Both families have two parents, two children, and live in California .

Joe Legal works in construction, has a Social Security Number and makes \$25.00 per hour with taxes deducted. **Actually, a lot of Illegals do the same. They use a fake SS number.**

Jose Illegal also works in construction, has NO Social Security Number, and gets paid \$15.00 cash "under the table". **Actually a lot of US citizens do the same. Employers treat them as "sub contractors" to avoid matching taxes and providing WC and UE taxes.**

Ready? Now pay attention...

Joe Legal: \$25.00 per hour x 40 hours = \$1000.00 per week, or \$52,000.00 per year. Now take 30% away for state and federal tax; Joe Legal now has \$31,231.00. **This is absurd. A single man with that income, with no dependent deductions, including Medicare and SS will pay less than 20% in taxes or \$10,400. This will leave Joe Legal with \$41,600. Just remember Illegals that used a fake SS number are doing the same. They are also paying into our Social Security system money they will never collect.**

Jose Illegal: \$15.00 per hour x 40 hours = \$600.00 per week, or \$31,200.00 per year. Jose Illegal pays no taxes. Jose Illegal now has \$31,200.00. **Again, under our current immigration laws, US employers have hired millions of "Jose Illegals" LEGALLY. Their taxes are withheld just like Joe Legal.**

Joe Legal pays medical and dental insurance with limited coverage for his family at \$600.00 per month, or \$7,200.00 per year. Joe Legal now has \$24,031.00. **Actually, it is \$34,400. Millions of Illegals are doing same thing with fake SS card.**

Jose Illegal has full medical and dental coverage through the state and local clinics at a cost of \$0.00 per year. Jose Illegal still has \$31,200.00. **This is an overstatement. Assuming you are talking about the Illegals who are not insured (there are millions working for employers with benefits), they are in the**

same boat as the legal uninsured. They show up at the emergency room for their medical treatment where they cannot be turned away.

Joe Legal makes too much money and is not eligible for food stamps or welfare. Joe Legal pays \$500.00 per month for food, or \$6,000.00 per year.. Joe Legal now has \$18,031.00. **Actually, it is \$28,400. This also implies that Illegals get welfare and food stamps. This is not true. Both Welfare and food stamps require a VERIFIED valid SS ID.**

Jose Illegal has no documented income and is eligible for food stamps and welfare. Jose Illegal still has \$31,200.00. **Again, no one gets food stamps without a verified SS number! Jose Illegal's number is now \$25,200.00.**

Joe Legal pays rent of \$1,200.00 per month, or \$14,400.00 per year. Joe Legal now has \$9,631 .00. **Actually, it is \$14,000. Also, many illegals also own their homes, so what is the point?**

Jose Illegal receives a \$500.00 per month federal rent subsidy. **Again, not true.**

Jose Illegal pays out that \$500.00 per month, or \$6,000.00 per year. Jose Illegal still has \$ 31,200.00. **Why you think the average "Jose Illegal" pays any less in rent than the average "Joe Legal"? This is a deliberate misrepresentation. Jose Illegal's number is now \$10,800.**

Joe Legal pays \$200.00 per month, or \$2,400.00 for insurance. Joe Legal now has \$7,231.00. **Actually, it is \$11,600. Legal status is no guarantee someone buys insurance, again, the deck is being stacked.**

Jose Illegal says, "We don't need no stinkin' insurance!" and still has \$31,200.00. **As long as illegals could renew their drivers licenses, they could buy liability insurance on the trucks and cars we sold them. Now, we refuse to renew their drivers license! So, who is keeping "Jose Illegal" from buying insurance?**

Joe Legal has to make his \$7,231.00 stretch to pay utilities, gasoline, etc. **Actually, it is \$11,600. Yes, he sure does have to make it stretch. Good thing he lives in a country that offers more opportunities to people regardless of class or national origin. Everything he buys contributes to our U.S. economy. Everyone should want Joe Legal to succeed. When he succeeds, America succeeds!**

Jose Illegal has to make his \$31,200.00 (the correct number is \$10,800) stretch to pay utilities, gasoline, and what he sends out of the country every month. Jose Illegal can do whatever he wants with his money. But, he also buys goods and services in the United States of America. His money counts the same as Joe Legal.

Joe Legal now works overtime on Saturdays or gets a part time job after work. Called getting ahead!

Jose Illegal has nights and weekends off to enjoy with his family. This is a ridiculous characterization. More likely, he is standing on a corner waiting for any job at \$10 per hour, hoping the guy that picks him up will pay him.

Joe Legal's and Jose Illegal's children both attend the same school. Joe Legal pays for his children's lunches while Jose Illegal's children get a government sponsored lunch. Jose Illegal's children have an after school ESL program. Joe Legal's children go home. They both get a free lunch, and both study English.

Joe Legal and Jose Illegal both enjoy the same police and fire services, but Joe paid for them and Jose did not pay. What makes you think "Jose" did not pay for these services? In Texas, we pay our police and fire services through local sales and property taxes. Jose paid plenty of those! Now consider this, if Jose is in Arizona, how likely is it that Jose Illegal will call the police when he is the victim of a crime? He is afraid to report the crime, as he knows he is subject to deportation!

Do you get it, now? Yes, it is obvious you know very little about illegal immigration!

If you vote for or support any politician that supports illegal aliens...

You are part of the problem! No you are the problem! Keep it up, and you will drive more legal immigrants to vote for the likes of Obama Socialism!

If you can read, get your head out of, and think! God gave you a brain. Use it, and support Sensible Immigration Reform. America deserves a sensible immigration policy. Secure our borders, and demand a positive ID of every non citizen in the country. Deport those with violent criminal records, but issue work permits to those we allow to stay. Allow no short cuts to citizenship, except for military service, and establish a penalty tax for non

citizens and their employers as an incentive to hire citizens first! For more info go to Texans for Sensible Immigration policy www.txsip.com

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