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ELECTION2008

QUESTIONS FOR CANDIDATES – POVERTY

1. What do you think is the appropriate role for government in the reduction of poverty in the U.S.?
2. How will you work with the private and public sectors to create jobs?
3. What work support programs will you initiate or support?
4. What is your position on the Employment Free Choice Act?
5. How will you increase affordable housing for the working class?
6. Do you support a living wage sufficient to support the worker and her/his dependents?
7. What will you do to address racism in the U.S. society?
8. What will you do to reduce gender discrimination in the society?
9. How and when will you raise the issue of poverty in the U.S. to national attention in the campaign and after the election?
10. Will your tax policies reform the distortion of income inequality in the U.S.?