# **Bharatj DoE Campaign Information**

#### **About Me**

As you can probably guess, I'm bharatj. I started playing this server in March of 2018 (so a long time). I've met amazing people and have so many incredible memories on this server. Hmm what else goes in an about me. I started off trying to build a business, but failed miserably. However, after taking the lessons I learned from this experience and forging connections in the community, I built a business that not only managed to stay afloat, but thrived. I started to become an executive in many different companies and started other businesses as well. Point being, I was very involved in the economy. At the same time, I started to get involved in politics and loved the political scene as well. This position of DoE Minister is the perfect bridge between my two passions on BC. So with that shameless self promotion out of the way, I'm gonna close with saying that this server is very important to me, and I know that if the community can get together, and I can work with you all to find a solution to the current economic issues, BC can thrive.

## **Previous Political Experience**

It's no secret that being effective as a leader comes from understanding the environment that you operate in. Being in the government is nothing new to me, as my previous political positions on the server include:

- DoJ Minister (2 years)
- Acting Prime Minister (1 month)
- Member of Parliament (8 terms)
- Advisor (1 year)
- Attorney General (1.5 years)
- Judge (3 months)

Now, I believe I proved that I have experience, but a valid question to ask is:

# How am I Qualified to be DoE Minister?

During my time in politics, although I was not in the DoE as an employee, throughout the years I was heavily involved in advising the DoE about economic policies. Additionally, throughout my time on the server, I have been one of the most participating members of the economy. With my multiple business ventures and conversations with previous DoE ministers, I have gained a solid understanding of the economy of the server, as well as being able to understand the economic state of the server as it changes. I have also put forth many ideas that were well received by the community and even the current DoE. If you have any questions about any of my qualifications, please feel free to DM me or tag me in political discussion.

# **Policies**

# Collect data on most taken jobs

This would give us a picture regarding popularity of certain jobs, and thus if a lack of people taking a certain job leads to market shortcomings. This data would also give us information to go off of when making DoE decisions.

# Take a look at the process new players go through and see where more can be retained

It's no secret that a major issue with our current economic environment is the simple lack of active players. Pursuing this information would allow us to adapt the new player experience to maximize retention.

### Provide avenues for companies to hire new players

Working to create economic incentives for corporations to hire new players. This not only increases player retention, but allows for the development of corporate structures and the circulation of capital.

### **Create investment opportunities for players**

A lot of players that have money don't really have places to invest it, and so that money doesn't circulate. We could be supporting private projects, as well as conducting public projects that would be investment items. From here, we would develop this infrastructure to support a greater variety and volume of investment.

#### **Evaluate prices of government shop goods**

Look at changing/creating a government shop that sells items that are not available at private retailers for a higher cost. This would make those items available in the market, allow for private companies to sell and easily undercut government pricing, and serve as an income stream for the government.

### **Evaluate prices of goods and services**

Pretty much just looking at the prices of exams, medicine, licenses, fees, etc. and seeing if they make sense in the current economic environment.

### Take a look at past economic practices

We are fortunate to be in a position where economic interventions were attempted in the past. I'd like to look at what worked and what didn't in order to optimize our efforts to our goals.

### Pruning player balances for everyone that has been inactive for a year

Now, this is likely a controversial policy. I'd like to explain my reasoning behind this. Of course, a preliminary step would be to investigate the government's finances, as well as to determine any

changes to this spending that may occur as a result of these economic policies. I'd like to stay on the side of not taxing active citizens, and so I'd like to take a look and see if pruning inactive player balances (of those offline for over a year) could raise sufficient funds. It's money that is in the economy, but isn't in circulation. The increased funds would give us more freedom to implement programs to put that money in the hands of the people.

# Working with other departments

I would like to work with other departments, such as the DoPA, to create events or policies that would encourage circulation of money and create opportunities for investment.

## **Community involvement**

I would leave to hear from the community, and so in line with that goal, I would like to create an anonymous poll that is always open, where members of the community can share their complaints, suggestions, or feedback at any time. Additionally, I would like to meet with business leaders, as well as interested members of the community to discuss solutions that would lead to a more productive economic environment.

### **Transparency**

The state of the economy is incredibly consequential, and so, I would like to make it a priority to keep the community updated about what the DoE is doing. This goes beyond monthly reports, I would like to extend this to town hall meetings, working with media outlets, actively answering questions in political channels, etc.

# **Closing**

Please don't make fun of my writing my brain is numb

As I always say, please vote for the candidate that you believe will best represent your interests. That being said, if you think that I can represent your interests better than I already am, please don't hesitate to reach out to me. Have a good day everyone, thank you for reading if you made it this far. :)