

DEREGULATION *under* OBAMA & TRUMP

On net, the Obama Administration imposed more regulations that **increased** burdens, than rules that decreased costs. However, it might surprise people that President Obama issued 101 rules that **reduced** compliance costs without harming the environment.

Can President Trump replicate and build on the small victories from the previous administration?

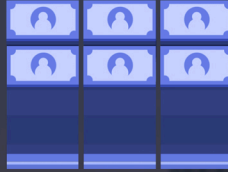
Under PRESIDENT OBAMA



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"MAJOR" DEREGULATORY ACTIONS PASSED

These regulations were generally agreeable with only one lawsuit filed to halt implementation.



-\$6.4 Bil

REDUCED COSTS

President Obama's cost-cutting measures have **not** led to significant environmental or safety concerns.

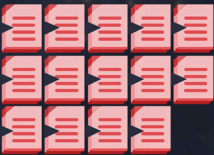


-121 Mil

LESS PAPERWORK HOURS

These cost savings were largely undone with just one rule, the "Clean Power Plan."

Under PRESIDENT TRUMP (FIRST 6 MONTHS)



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RULES ELIMINATED

The vast majority of cost-cutting measures during President Trump's first months have come from the Congressional Review Act.



-\$3.7 Bil

REDUCED COSTS

Only three final rules from the Trump administration have reduced costs.



-4.2 Mil

LESS PAPERWORK HOURS

The Administration has signaled that it wants to **repeal** several notable rules from the Obama Administration.



It's **far easier** to tweak uncontroversial aspects of past rules than to push for full-scale repeal.



Presidents Reagan, Clinton, and Obama, all managed to reduce regulatory costs **while retaining critical health and safety protections**.



There is little reason President Trump cannot replicate and build on those earlier efforts.