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Audacious Claim

Last week the head of Obama’s health exchange division said the feds will use their power to enforce Obamacare in states that refuse to implement the law. Specifically, he said, “CMS [the Medicare Administration] will take over enforcement of the law in that state.” Take over? His is the voice of sheer desperation.

First, it would be unconstitutional under the 10th Amendment. Second, how would they do it? Bring in the military? Deprive states of something? The Supreme Court says they can’t withhold Medicaid dollars from states that refuse to expand Medicaid. And the law doesn’t require states to set up Exchanges. And states have regulatory authority over health plans. Where is their power?

“CCIIO director: We will enforce ACA in holdout states,” POLITICO Pro Whiteboard, December 6, 2012.

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