Dear reader,

I've highlighted some of our latest research below on topics ranging from the ACLU and Christmas to Medicare's efficiency to college football bowl games and more. You'll also see a survey link below. We'd love your help in selecting new topics for 2011.

Thank you to our recent donors! Those year-end donations are hugely important to our nonprofit organization. Only 14 days remain to make tax-deductible contributions to support ProCon.org so please help us with a donation in any amount.

Finally, I wanted to share that I have become the President of ProCon.org. After six years at this wonderful organization, the Board unanimously approved the Chairman's nomination of me for this position. I'm honored and excited. Thanks to all for your encouragement over the years.

And now back to our great content:

1. **ACLU**: Updated: [Is the ACLU against Christmas or other religious holidays?](#)

   Read pro and con arguments from Bill O'Reilly, the American Center for Law and Justice, the ACLU, John Gibson, and others.

2. **Health Care Reform**: New: [Medicare vs. Non-Government (Private) Health Insurance](#)

   Medicare has had 4.7% of its total expenses go towards administrative costs while non-government (private) insurance averaged 14.8%. Our new resource compares administrative costs of Medicare and private health insurance according to the American Medical Association, the Heritage Foundation, and several others.


   Compare before and after stats for Reagan, Bush I, Clinton, and Bush II in 13 categories including deficit, GDP, inflation, unemployment rates, and poverty rates.

4. **Climate Change**: Updated: [Top Pro & Con Quotes: Is human activity a substantial cause of global climate change?](#)

   Read newly added pro and con quotes from Osama bin Laden and US Senator James Inhofe.

5. **College Football**: New: [2010-2011 College Football Bowl Schedule](#)

   From the Valero Alamo Bowl to the Beef 'O' Brady's St. Petersburg Bowl to the Tostitos BCS National Championship Game, find out all 35 college football bowl...
6. **Help ProCon.org Select Its Next Topic**

Take our survey to tell us which controversial topics you want to see ProCon.org cover in 2011. Select your favorite issues from a list of 25 topics ranging from animal research and astrology to whistleblowers and zoos.

7. **Teacher and Librarian Two-Minute Survey**

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