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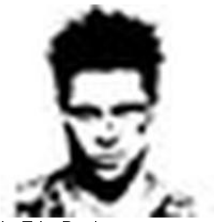
Watch: Reporter Exposes White House's Blatant Redefining Of "Recession"



by Tyler Durden

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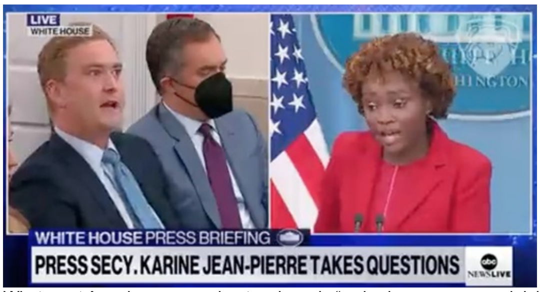
Peter Doocy made Joe Biden's Press Secretary Karine Jean-Pierre look like a total fool Wednesday by expertly exposing how she and other Biden minions are attempting to redefine what a recession is in order to claim America isn't in one.



What most Americans care about and see is "a slowing economy and rising prices," regardless of how many self-important ideologically-driven economists and Biden administration officials "dance on the head of a pin" in insulting attempts at suggesting otherwise.

"I think the position of the administration is the definition of a recession is whatever is in the teleprompter," Kennedy told the hosts in classic fashion when asked about Team Biden's ongoing efforts at redefining the word. "And this farcical spectacle is kind of embarrassing. Most Americans don't really care about this debate or how many economists can dance on the head of a pin. What they see as a slowing economy and rising prices. It's called classic stagflation."

"President Biden refuses to acknowledge it. He says, yes, but unemployment is low, unemployment is low," Kennedy went on to say before explaining why unemployment numbers were low. "Well, there is a reason for that. People aren't working. You don't look at the unemployment number. You look at the labor force participation rate."

Kennedy also noted that "we've had a lot of people retire, and we had a lot of people who refused to go back to work," and that because of that, "they are now riding in the wagon, and everybody else has got to pull the wagon. And the bottom line is the economy sucks. And it's not going to get any better."

He also suggested that the recently announced Biden/Manchin/Schumer $670 billion deal that the media has been salivating over for the last 24 hours or so was not going to solve the problem.

"This new tax deal and Green New Deal announced by Senator Schumer and President Biden and Senator Manchin… You know, Joe is an intelligent guy. He knows this is nothing but a big money suck. And it is just going to get worse until Congress stops the spending," Kennedy stated.

He went further by pinning the country's economic problems not just on Biden but on the Democrats in the House and Senate and Republican enablers, giving "credit where credit is due."

"And let me give credit where credit is due," he said. "The inflation started with President Biden's $1.92 trillion American Rescue Plan, but it has continued with all Democrats in the Senate and the help of, I don't know, 15% of the Republicans who continue to vote to spend money that we don't have."

As we have highlighted throughout this week, Biden Administration officials are using semantics to avoid admitting how bad the economy is, with some suggesting 'its not a recession, it's a transition'.

Doocy outright asked Jean-Pierre "If things are going so great, then why is it that WH officials are trying to redefine recession?"

When Jean-Pierre denied that the White House is trying to redefine a recession, Doocy said "If we all understand a recession to be two consecutive quarters of negative GPD growth in a row and you have the White House officials come up here to say no, no, no that's not what a recession is…how is that not redefining recession?"

"Because that's not the definition," the Press Secretary bizarrely replied.

Doocy then read the same definition of a recession as stated by Biden's own economic advisor Brian Deese and asked "What changed?"

As Jean-Pierre continued to deny that a recession is two consecutive quarters of negative GPD growth, Doocy asked "What's the difference other than who's president?"

Watch:

> Doocy: Deese said in 2008...'economists have a definition...of a recession, which is two consecutive quarters of negative growth' & yesterday he said, two negative quarters...is not the technical definition of a recession.
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> KJP: It is not.
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> Doocy: What changed?
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> KJP: It is not. pic.twitter.com/ZMndyheHT1
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> — Curtis Houck (@CurtisHouck) July 27, 2022

At this point it is laughable:

> Brian Deese, yesterday: "Two negative quarters of GDP growth is not the technical definition of recession."
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> Deese, 2008: "Economists have a technical definition of recession, which is two consecutive quarters of negative growth." pic.twitter.com/MzVk7drq3v
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> RNC now passing along quotes of Biden's own economic advisors, as recently as last May, defining "recession" the old fashioned way: pic.twitter.com/Z0HWPrZmAr
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> CNN REPORTER: "'to paraphrase ... if you're explaining how recession calls are made, you're losing.' Do you see that?"
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> BIDEN ECONOMIC ADVISOR JARED BERNSTEIN: "No. I don't think so. I mean I think we've gotten into a technical discussion about what constitutes a recession." pic.twitter.com/K021jV21E2
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KJP also said yesterday that if America does enter a recession, whatever that is now, it'll still be fine by the White House. Probably because they will redefine its meaning again:

> "Does the White House have any concerns that it will look misguided if the U.S. does enter a recession?"
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> KARINE JEAN-PIERRE: Nah pic.twitter.com/DSWVf6dGQI
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Don't worry, because a recession is now defined as 'a strong economy':

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> — Tom Elliott (@tomselliott) July 27, 2022

There, it's fixed.

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