**CANDIDATES QUIZ**

This test is open book. Keep answers short (ideally no more than a paragraph) and in your own words (no copy/pasting from the website). Good luck!

1. What is The Borgen Project?

The Borgen Project is the kind of organization which is non-profit organization aims at fighting against poverty and hunger.

1. What is the story behind The Borgen Project?

The story behind the Borgen Project stated on 1994 when Clint Borgen worked as a young volunteer in refugee camps. After finishing his university studies on 2003, Borgen officially opened his organization but he was faced with the challenge of fund for developing his project, therefore he took a job living on a fishing vessel docked in Dutch Harbor, Alaska and from there onwards the Borgen Project started, now it is the leading organization that fights against poverty and hunger in the U.S.

1. When it comes to helping the world’s poor, is the United States (Congress and the White House) doing enough? How does the U.S. compare to other wealthy nations?

Yes, in helping the world’s poor the United States is doing enough. The United States

1. How does addressing global poverty improve the economy and create jobs in the United States?

As the rate of poverty decrease then more consumers are coming up through overseas market and therefore more jobs are created.

1. How does addressing global poverty improve national security?

Global poverty improves national security through addressing development and diplomacy in the government.

1. What are some strategies being used on the ground to improve living conditions for people living in extreme poverty?

There are many strategies used to improve living conditions for people living in extreme poverty, such strategies are provision of uhuru ambulance, Roughrider Wheelchairs, Solar-Powered Irrigation, One Laptop per Child, Kick Start Irrigation Pump and Lifesaver Water-Purification Bottle.

1. What is your favorite video on The Borgen Project website and why?

My favorite video on the Borgen Project website is that of the story behind the Borgen Project, because it shows how Clint Borgen was very focused on the development of the project despite the challenges that he was faced with.

1. Name or give the background of a Borgen Project board member?

Congressman Adam Smith.

1. The Borgen Project… (Highlight which is most accurate)
   1. Sends teams of volunteers to build water wells in Africa.
   2. Focuses on advocacy and influencing members of Congress to better fund poverty-reduction programs.
   3. All of the above. ( C )
   4. None of the above.
2. Why does The Borgen Project want people calling their congressional leaders in support of poverty-reduction bills?

The Borgen Project believes that it is better to work with congressional leaders since they have power in the government in improving the poor living condition and support reduction bills.