

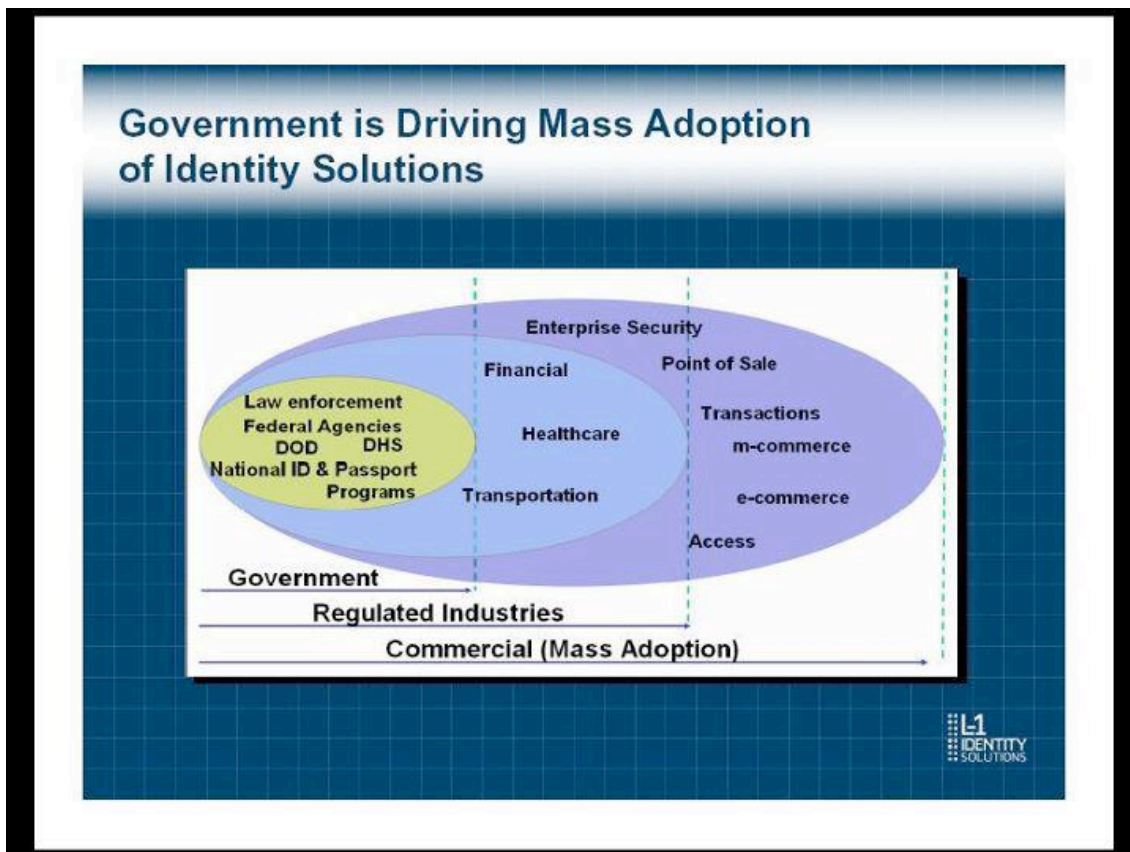
Is it not possible that an individual may be right and the government wrong?

Are laws to be enforced simply because they are made?
or declared by any number of men to be good, if they are not good?

-- Henry David Thoreau

It's been said that the road to hell is paved with good intentions. The Real ID act and the regulations there under promulgated by Homeland Security and the technology provided by L1 Identity Solutions could very well be taking us down that road. Former and/or current members of L1 Identity Solutions include former FBI director Louis Freeh, former Homeland Security Deputy ADM James Loy, and former CIA Director Robert LaPenta.

The below chart shows L1 Identity Solutions' vision of their biometric technology which is embedded in the Real ID Act of 2005. PennDOT is capturing biometric data from driver license pictures without our consent.



Notice that their vision is to initially use biometric data for law enforcement. It ends with "Point of Sale."

Per Business Excellence (<http://www.bus-ex.com/article/l-1-identity-solutions-be-sold-16-billion-deal>), L-1 Identity Solutions is to be sold to French rival Safran. Robert V. LaPenta, chairman, president and CEO of L-1 Identity Solutions, said "I am extremely proud of L-1's accomplishments in the development of multi-modal biometric technologies and the role we have played in helping establish the identity management market over the last four years. A lot has changed since we started, and today the industry has grown significantly. It is at an important inflection point where a strong global infrastructure, greater scale and reach, larger investments in R&D and increased resources from human capital to cash, are a necessity in order to position optimally for the opportunities of tomorrow."

Christians should be very concerned with what is happening in the world today. Real ID is our country's portion of a worldwide network of biometric data. In Oklahoma, not only does the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) use facial recognition software to convert one's facial image into biometric data, which PennDOT is doing, but their DMV also requires fingerprints of their drivers.

The book of Revelation is John's record of what God's angel showed him while he was on the island of Patmos.

In Chapter 13, verses 16 and 17, John writes about a beast, "And he made all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand or in their foreheads. And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name."

Then in Chapter 14, verses 9 and 10, John writes, "And the third Angel followed them, saying with a loud voice, 'If any man worship the beast and his image, and receive his mark in his forehead, or on his hand, the same shall drink of the wine of the wrath of God, yea, of the pure wine, which is poured into the cup of his wrath, and he shall be tormented in fire and brimstone before the holy Angels, and before the Lamb.'"

Are we being lulled into perceived security at the expense of our liberty and religious convictions? Is there a connection between Real ID, biometrics, and the scriptures? Whatever the case, Article I, Section 3, of the Pennsylvania Constitution reads:

All men have a natural and indefeasible right to worship Almighty God according to the dictates of their own consciences; no man can of right be compelled to attend, erect or support any place of worship or to maintain any ministry against his consent; **no human authority can, in any case whatever, control or interfere with the rights of conscience**, and no preference shall ever be given by law to any religious establishments or modes of worship.

Have you co-sponsored Senate Bills 1354 and 1356 or House Bill 1783? If not, please do.