

**State of the Nation Speech
by His Excellency Guduhn Proun,
Prime Minister of Mobanga-Ogowe.**

My fellow citizens,

Peace, prosperity and prudence be with you. It is my duty and honour to present to you the balance sheet of all that is good in your nation, Mobanga-Ogowe.

Firstly, there will no more corruption. I am banning all Members of Parliament. They are being sent away to their second homes - never to return! Never to steal from you again!

Also the happy future of our great nation will no longer be disturbed by in-fighting amongst the war-lords of the Cabinet. I alone will be your leader.

My values and visions have not changed. No. My Presbyterian work ethic obliges me to shoulder the burden of caring for all you hard-working families.

Now I will speak of our achievements.

Firstly nobody will die in our hospitals. They have all been cleaned. Also nobody will die in a mixed ward. They will all be segregated. Soon.

Second, we have moved up in the world education league. We are now 27th! A vast improvement from last year.

Third, all criminals will be dealt with severely. Especially demonstrators. The army will join the police in ensuring our streets are safe.

Fourth, no roads will be repaired. Research shows traffic slows down for pot-holes. Many lives will be saved.

Fifth, I have had discussions with the President of the United States, my good friend Barracks, and he has promised to help with economic aid. Of course, this is a global problem.

Sixth, er. What is sixth? Where is sixth? Oh. Oh.

(TV Producer: Excuse me, Prime Minister, you are not looking well. It's not good television if you twitch and sweat. Shall we fade out?)

