

To Whom It ~~May~~ May Concern:

The proposed Federal Hiring System is a mistake. The reasons why are as follows:

(1) People with long-standing careers with the Government will definitely look for employment elsewhere. They would not be in their jobs if they did not know or do their jobs to begin with.

(2) I was a temporary hire myself from 1983 (skip 1984) - 1991. ^{Eight temporary positions.} ~~At that time~~ then a Federal Civil Service test was the only way to get permanent status. It tested spelling, English grammar and punctuation, and basic Math. I had to take the test 29 times before I got my score in the 90's which was required at the time. I had previously attended Jefferson Community College in Watertown, Ny, majoring in Executive Secretarial Science. If the Bush administration is really interested in improving the workforce this would be an avenue for ~~him~~ him to consider for GS-4 (maybe even GS-5) and below. It is fair and across the board.
 If I could not extra points allowed. They truly do.