

---

**From:** Noam Chomsky [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, June 27, 2016 6:21 PM  
**To:** Jeffrey E.  
**Subject:** RE: Re:

Wasn't remotely like socialism. Completely directed from the top, and the entire set of private institutions was left untouched, with only one exception: when the owners shut them down to try to sabotage the reforms, the state took them over, crucially the oil industry.

From: Jeffrey E. [mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com]  
Sent: Monday, June 27, 2016 2:17 PM  
To: Noam Chomsky [REDACTED]  
Subject: Re:

is it socialism at its finest?

On Mon, Jun 27, 2016 at 12:39 PM, Noam Chomsky <[REDACTED]> wrote:

It's a major disaster. They never moved to diversify the economy. Oil was exported, food imported. When the price dropped... Compounded by corruption and incompetence.

From: Jeffrey E. [mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com <mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com>]  
Sent: Monday, June 27, 2016 10:01 AM  
To: Noam Chomsky [REDACTED]  
Subject:

I'm quite surprised that the mess in Venezuela, oil assets but no food, is not front page.

--

please note

The information contained in this communication is confidential, may be attorney-client privileged, may constitute inside information, and is intended only for the use of the addressee. It is the property of

JEE

Unauthorized use, disclosure or copying of this communication or any part thereof is strictly prohibited and may be unlawful. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by return e-mail or by e-mail to [jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com) <<mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com>> , and destroy this communication and all copies thereof, including all attachments. copyright -all rights reserved

--

please note

The information contained in this communication is confidential, may be attorney-client privileged, may constitute inside information, and is intended only for the use of the addressee. It is the property of JEE Unauthorized use, disclosure or copying of this communication or any part thereof is strictly prohibited and may be unlawful. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by return e-mail or by e-mail to [jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com) <<mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com>> , and destroy this communication and all copies thereof, including all attachments. copyright -all rights reserved