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Briefly said, the establishment of the Electoral College can be thought to have made reasonable sense (in terms of available communication systems and fair sense in the lack of uniform communication techniques) at the end of the 18th century. At this time the E.C. system could have actually served to correct abuses in the popular vote as exercised. The same can be questioned here in the early part of the 21st century. Now, the visible indications are in the repeated occurrence of situations in which the electoral college results fail to match the obvious popular vote. The latter, however, as always been the desired result. And so the popular vote should be respected and sought for!

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