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By-passing foreign media cover-up.

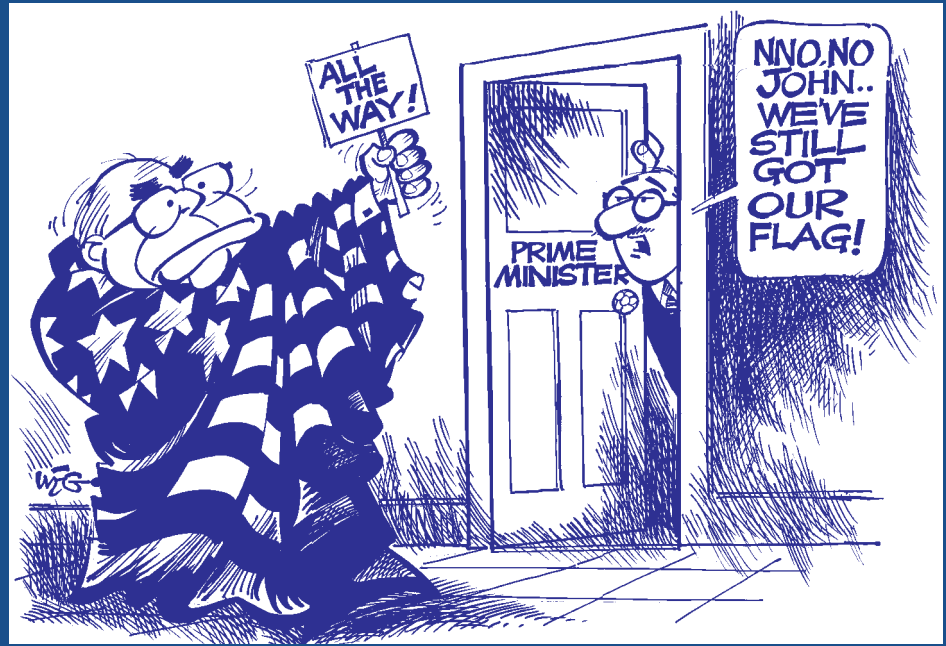
We came here with guns in our hands or in our backs.

The Treasury Department was established to account for our gold and keep our books. They welcomed incoming shipping and issued letters to traders bestowing on them a naturalising status allowing them to trade free of tax. In 1953, the Treasury Department, fearing that they may lose control of tax, their linchpin, recommended to the Liberal Party the double taxation agreement, which meant that

foreigners would, once again, not have to pay tax in Australia. This effectively meant that we would continue as colonials. Mr Clyde Cameron AO, a revered Labor minister was present when this bill was being passed and pointed out the dire consequences to Australians. Australians would have to continue providing the infrastructure for mutinationals who are increasingly profiting in our country. So we are still colonials.

Howard, you are just a runner for foreign interests. Now you would understand why we call the Liberal and Labor parties foreign controlled. Traitors working against the interests of the people.

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The greater majority of the 18 million people will support an Australian controlled party like The Great Australians or Australian independents, all of which will be behind a tax system like the 1% e debit tax. This will provide the nation with an income of \$520 billion per year, three times the current revenue based on the government figures Budget Outcome 1999/2000, trebling our tax income. If you refuse this tax system you will be again working against the interest of Australians.

Gobbleisation

once called globalisation, is disintegrating through greed - read on!



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Contagion: The horrific story of the plundering of Russia by the IMF and the World Bank. The same people plundered Australia the same way.

How Clinton and company and the bankers plundered Russia in the '90s

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The Wanderer – Ann Williamson’s “Contagion”

Note: In the half-year since The Wanderer (September 30 1999) publicised journalist Ann Williamson’s testimony to the House Banking Committee on how the Clinton regime and its friends in the banking community plundered the Russian economy and looted billions of taxpayers’ dollars funnelled through the International Monetary Fund, the World Bank and other major U.S. banks, and the Harvard Institute for International Development, and mentioned in her forthcoming book, ‘Contagion: The Betrayal of Liberty – Russia and the United States in the 1990s’, many Wanderer readers have been wondering when, if ever, the book would appear.

Last week, Miss Williamson provided this reporter with a copy of the now-completed and edited manuscript, along with an interview in which the distinguished reporter recounts the enormous controversy – and fear, in some circles – surrounding the manuscript, which, if not published soon, will be self-published and posted on the Internet.

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In an ordinary election year, Anne Williamson’s ‘Contagion’ would be political dynamite, a bombshell, a block-buster, a regime breaker.

Hay, for those who need an introduction to the international financial buccaneers who control our lives, was the general director of the Harvard Institute of International Development (HIID) in Moscow (1992-1997), who

facilitated the crippling of the Russian economy and the plundering of its industrial and manufacturing infrastructure with a strategy concocted by Larry Summers*, Andrew Schliefer (HIID’s Cambridge-based manager), Jeffrey Sachs** and his Swedish sidekick Anders Aslund, and a host of private players from banks and investment houses in Boston and New York – a plan approved and assisted by the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

* Larry Summers, who was the US Treasury Secretary controlling the invasion of Russia and Australia.

“Contagion” can be read on many different levels.

** This man was one of the leading raiders in both countries.

At its simplest, it is a breezy, slightly cynical, highly entertaining narrative of Russian history from the last months of Gorbachev’s rule to April 2000 – a period which saw Russia transformed from

a decaying socialist economy (which despite its shortcomings, provided a modest standard of living to its citizens) to a “managed economy” where home-grown gangsters and socialist theoreticians from the West, like Hay and his fellow Harvardian Jeffrey Sachs, delivered 2,500% inflation and indescribable poverty, and transferred the ownership of Russian industry to Western financiers.

Williamson was an eyewitness who lived on and off in Russia for more than ten years, where she reported on all things Russian for the New York Times, The Wall Street Journal and a host of other equally reputable publications. She knew and interviewed just about everybody involved in this gargantuan plundering scheme: Russian politicians and businessmen, the new “gangster” capitalists and their American sponsors from the IMF, the World Bank, USAID, Credit Suisse First Boston, the CIA., the KGB – all in all, hundreds of sources who spoke candidly, often ruthlessly, of their parts in this terrible human drama.

Her account is filled with quotations from interviews with top aides of Yeltsin and Clinton, all down through the ranks of the two hierarchical societies to the proliferating mass of Russian destitute, pornographers, pimps, drug dealers, and prostitutes. Some of the principal characters, of course, refused to talk to Williamson, such as Bill Clinton’s long-time friend from Oxford, Strobe Talbott, now a deputy secretary of state and, Williamson suspects, a one-time KGB operative whose claim to fame is a deceitful translation of the Krushchev Memoirs. (A KGB colonel refused to confirm or deny to Williamson that Clinton and Talbott visited North Vietnam together in 1971 – though he did



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confirm their contacts with the KGB for their protests against the U.S. war in Vietnam in Moscow. See especially footnote 1, page 210).

The 546 page book (the best part of which is the footnotes) gives a nearly day-by-day report on what happened to Russia; left unstated, but implied on every page, is the assumption that those in the United States who think what happened in Russia “can’t happen here” better realise it can happen here.

Once the Clinton regime and its lapdogs in the media defined Russian thug Boris Yeltsin as a “democrat”, the wholesale looting of Russia began. According to the socialist theoreticians at Harvard, Russia needed to be brought into the New World Order in a hurry; (*You can see how the New World Order arrived, and they intended all of us to march to the same tune*) and what better way to do it than Sachs’ “shock therapy” – a plan that empowered the degenerate, third-generation descendants of the original Bolsheviks by assigning them the deeds of Russia’s mightiest state-owned industries – including the giant gas, oil, electrical and telecommunications industries, the world’s largest paper, iron and steel factories, the world’s richest gold, silver, diamond and platinum mines, automobile and airplane factories etc. – who in turn sold some of their shares of the properties to Westerners for a song, and pocketed the cash, while retaining control of the companies. (*Does it*

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sound familiar?)

These third-generation Bolsheviks – led by former Pravda hack Yegor Gaidar, grandson of a Bolshevik who achieved prominence as the teenage mass murderer of White Army officers, and now heads the Moscow-based Institute for Economies in Transition – became instant millionaires (or billionaires) and left the Russian workers virtual slaves of them and their new foreign investors.

When Russian members of the Supreme Soviet openly criticised the looting of the national patrimony by these new gangsters early in the US-driven “reform” program, in 1993, before all Soviet institutions were destroyed, Yeltsin bombed Parliament.

Ironically, when Harvard’s Sachs and Hay started identifying Russians they could work with, they ignored – or shunned – the most capable talent at

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hand: those numerous Russian economists for 20 years had been studying the Swiss economist Wilhelm von Roepke and his disciple, Ludwig Erhard, father of Germany’s “economic miracle” in anticipation of the day when

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Communism would collapse.

Somewhat sardonically, Williamson notes that one, probably unintended, benefit of Gorbachev’s perestroika was the recruitment of these Russian economists by top US universities.

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economy, it’s clear that Russia is the designated center for heavy manufacturing – just as Asia is for clothing and computers – with its nearly unlimited supply of hydroelectric power, iron and steel, timber, gold and other precious metals.

This helps explain why America’s political elites don’t give a fig about the closing down of American industries and mines. (*And that’s how the majority of Australians view it*). As Williamson observes, Russia is viewed as some kind of “closet”.

What is important for Western readers to understand – as Williamson reports – is that when Western banks and corporations bought these companies at bargain basement prices, they bought more than just industrial equipment. In the Soviet model, every unit of industrial production included workers’ housing, churches, opera houses, schools, hospitals, supermarkets, etc., and the whole kit-and-caboodle was included in the selling price. By buying large shares of these companies, West-

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ern corporations became, ipso facto, town managers.

Another Level

On another level, ‘Contagion’ is about the workings of international finance, the consolidation of capital into fewer and fewer hands, and the ruthless, death-dealing policies it inflicts on its target countries through currency manipulation, inflation, depression, taxation and war – with emphasis on Russia but with attention also given to Mexico, Thailand, Indonesia, the Balkans, and other countries, and how it uses its control over money to produce social chaos.

Those who read Williamson’s book will find particularly interesting her treatment of the Federal Reserve, and how this “bank” was designed to plunder the wealth of America through war,

debt, and taxation, in order to maintain what is nothing more nor less than a giant pyramid scheme that depends on domination of the earth and its resources.

Williamson is of that small but noble school of economics writers who believe that the academic field of economics is not some esoteric science that can only be comprehended by those with IQ's in four digits, and she – drawing on such writers as Hayek and von Mises, Roepke and the late American Murray Rothbard – explains in layman's vocabulary the nuts and bolts of sound economic principles and the real-world effects of the Fed's policies on hapless Americans.

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The policies inflicted on Russia by the banks were cruel to the nth degree; but the policy implementers – Williamson employs the derogatory Russian word *myakigolobvy* ("soft-headed ones") (*a similar attitude to Russians as Summers has for Australians*) applied to the Americans – were a foppish lot, streaming into Russia by the thousands (the IMF alone, with 150 staffers) with their outrageous salaries and per diem allowances, renting out the finest dachas, bringing in their exotic consumer goods, driving up prices for goods and rents, spurring a boom in the drug and prostitution businesses, and then

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watching, cold-heartedly, the declining fortunes of their hosts as they lost everything – including the artistic heritage

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of the country. (*And that's how it is affecting us in Australia today*).

Williamson describes brilliantly that heady atmosphere in Moscow in the early days of the IMF/USAID loan-scamming: a 24-hour party. There were bars like the Canadian-operated Hungry Duck, which lured Russian teenage girls into its bar with a male strip-tease and free drinks, "who, once thoroughly intoxicated, were then ex-

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posed to crowds of anxious young men the club admitted only late in the evening".

The Third Level

At a third and more intriguing level, 'Contagion' is about America's criminal politics in the Clinton regime, and inevitably, the reader will put Williamson's book down with the sense that Al Gore will be the next occupier of the White House.

(This, of course, did not happen: Al Gore did not become President).

Gore, who was raised to be President, has impeccable Russian connections. His father, of course, was Lenin financial Armand Hammer's pocket senator, and it was Hammer who paid for Al Jr's expensive St Alban's Prep schooling; and as Williamson reports, Al Jr's daughter married Andrew Schiff, grandson of Jacob, who, as a member of Kuhn, Loeb and Co., underwrote

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anti-czarist political agitation for two decades before Lenin's coup, and congratulated Lenin upon his successful revolution.

Williamson also documents Gore's intimate involvement with powerful Wall Street financial houses, and his New York breakfast meeting with multibillionaire George Soros (a key Russian player) just as the Russian collapse was under way. (*George Soros is mentioned several times over the years in OZNEWS. He is a multi-billionaire and acts as the forward scout for the IMF, and he manipulated the Asian meltdown, which we referred to as the 'Asian Economic Bomb'. They still haven't recovered, and the New World Order is hovering in most of those South-East Asian areas*).

Williamson tells an interesting story of Gore's response to the IMF/World Bank/USAID plunder of US taxpayers for the purpose of hobbling Russia.

By March 1999, Russia was now a financial basket case, and billions, if not tens of billions of US taxpayer-backed loans had vanished into the secret bank accounts of both Russian and American gangster capitalists, and the news was starting to make little vibrations on Capitol Hill.

"The US administration's response to the debacle was repulsively similar to a typical Bill Clinton bimbo-eruption operation: Having ruined Russia by cossetting her in debt, meddling ignorantly in her internal affairs, and funding a drunken usurper, his agents denied all error and slandered ("slimed") her, writes Williamson.

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“Pundits and academics joined government officials in bemoaning Mother Russia’s thieving ways, her bottomless corruption and constant chaos, all the while wringing their soft hands with a schoolmarm’s exasperation. Russia’s self-appointed democracy coach Strobe Talbott (‘Pro-Consul Strobe’ to the Russians) would get it right. An equally sanctimonious Albert Gore – the same Al Gore who’d been so quick to return the CIA’s 1995 report detailing Victor Chernomyrdin’s and Anatoly Chubais’ personal corruption with the single word ‘Bullshit’ scrawled across it – took the low road and sniffed that the Russians would just have to get their own economic house in order and cut their own deal with the IMF....” (*Sounds like the way we Australians are going to be left.*)

The cost to the American taxpayers of Clinton regime bailouts in a three-and-a-half year period, Williamson notes, is more than \$180 billion! The “new financial architecture” Clinton has erected, she writes, “isn’t new at all, but rather something the international public lenders have been wanting for decades, i.e., an automatic bailout for their own bad practices.”

As the extent of the corruption of the Clinton-Yeltsin “reform” plan for Russia unfolded last year, with the attendant Bank of New York scandal, the mysterious death of super banker Edmond Safra in his Monto Carlo penthouse, the collapse of the Russian stock market, and the whiplash effect in South East Asia, Congress was pressed to hold hearings.

What resulted, as Williamson accurately narrates it, was just a smoke screen, show hearings that barely rose above the seriousness of a Gilbert and Sullivan farce, though they did result in proposed new domestic banking laws that, if passed, will effectively make banks another federal police force responsible for reporting to the US government the most minute financial transactions of US citizens.

Double Effect

In this regard, it is instructive to quote Williamson at length:

“If the FBI, [Manhattan District Attorney] Robert Morgenthau, or Congress were serious about getting to the bottom of the plundering of Russia’s assets and US taxpayers’ resources, they would show far more professional

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interest in exactly what was said and agreed in the private meetings [US Treasury Secretary] Larry Summers, Strobe Talbott, and [former Treasury Secretary] Robert Rubin conducted with Anatoly Chubais [former Russian finance minister, who oversaw the distribution and sale of Russian industries], and Sergie Vasiliev [Yeltsin’s principal legal adviser, and a member of the Chubais clan], and later Chubais again in June and July of 1998.

“Instead of allowing Larry Summers to ramble casually in response to questions at a banking committee hearing, the Treasury secretary should be asked exactly who suckered him – his Russian friends, how own boss [former Harvard associate Robert Rubin, his boss at Treasury who was once co-chairman at Goldman Sachs], (*which is a legal firm, and the same legal firm prospers in Sydney, and houses the great advocate of the Republic, hoping that such a move will make Australia a complete basket*) or private sector counterparts of the Working Committee on Financial Markets [a White House group whose membership is drawn from the country’s main financial and market institutions: The Fed, Treasury, SEC, and the Commodities and Trading Commission]... Or did he just bungle the entire matter on account of wishful thinking? Or was it gross incompetence?

“The FBI and Congress ought to be very interested in establishing for taxpayers the truth of any alleged ‘national security’ issues that justified allowing the Harvard Institute of International Development to privatise US bilateral assistance. It too should be their brief to discover the relationship between the [Swedish wheeler-dealer and crony of Sachs, Anders] Aslund/Carnegie crowd and Treasury and exactly what influence that relationship may have had on the awarding of additional grants to Harvard

without competition. On what basis did Team Clinton direct their financial donor, American International Group’s (AIG) Maurice Greenberg (a man nearly as ubiquitous as any Russian oligarch in sweetheart public-funding deals), to Brunswick Brokerage when sniffing out a \$300 million OPIC guarantee for a Russian investment fund... And why did Michel Camdessus [who left the presidency of the IMF earlier this year] announce his sudden retirement so soon after Moscow newspapers reported that a \$200,000 payment was made to him from a secret Kremlin bank account?... (*Note: Michel Camdessus instructed John Howard to introduce the GST into Australia*)

“American and Russian citizens can never be allowed to learn what really happened to the billions lent to Yeltsin’s government; it would expose the unsavoury and self-interested side of our political, financial, and media elites... Instead, the (House) Banking Committee hearings will use the smoke screen of policing foreign assistance flows to pass legislation that will effectively end US citizens’ financial privacy while making them prisoners of their citizenship.... The Banking Committee will use the opportunity the Russian dirty money scandal presents to reanimate the domestic ‘Know Your Customer’ program, which charges domestic banks with monitoring and reporting on the financial transactions in which middle-class Americans engage. This data is collected and used by various government agencies, including the IRS; meaning that if a citizen sells the family’s beat-up station wagon or their ‘starter’ home, the taxman is alerted immediately that the citizen’s filing should reflect the greater tax obligation in that year of the sale. Other data on citizens for which the government has long thirsted will also be collected by government’s newest police force, the banks...” (*Note: This expression is beginning to enter our language in Australia as we nobble the banks*)

You see, as this book explains, the Clinton’s Russia policy did not just plunder Russians, leaving them destitute while creating a new and ruthless class of international capitalist gangsters at US taxpayer expense, it had the double consequence of bringing all Americans deeper into the banker’s New World Order by increasing their debt load, decreasing their privacy, and restricting

their civil rights.

If only Americans cared.

(Note: Exactly what is happening in Australia)

NOTE

Having read this article, you will understand the resemblance between the characters in Russia and those that have been carrying out the plunder in Australia.

You will notice the similarities with how we have been treated and how our bureaucrats and politicians have been paid off in the same way – not forgetting the Mandarins, top business people, the Hawkes, the Keatings, and further back than the Whitlam era. (So come settlement time on our foreign debt, we will have a good case to say – This is a Great Swindle.)

Robert Ruben did the planning for the campaigns in both Russia and Australia and probably many others. He passed the task over to Summers for execution. Summers quoted in public that Australians had an educational standard of zilch, a statement which we published in OZNEWS in the Third Quarter of 1999. He stated that he regards Australians “generally as well below the graduate students of a mid-west liberal arts college in their grasp of the Asian crisis”. He is probably not wrong because he would have observed that Evans and his ilk seem to be driving Australians into the ground by not developing their massive assets themselves and always grovelling around wanting to sell what they’ve got, when they could stand up and tell the US to go to hell. The IMF, the CIA and the World Bank, of course, figured prominently in both campaigns (this was relevant to the 1975 dismissal when a duly elected government was thrown out of power, and throws more light on their activities).

Spy Laws

The following is a verbatim transcript of an article entitled “Spy laws eased over free speech” by Patrick Walters which appeared in “The Australian” on 13 March 2002:

“The Howard Government has dropped a key provision of its new anti-espionage bill relating to unauthorised disclosure of information after strong complaints from media organisations and civil liberties groups that it undermined free speech.

Attorney-General Daryl Williams said yesterday the provision had been excised because the Criminal Code (Espionage and Related Offences) Bill was too important to delay.

An earlier draft provided jail terms between two and seven years for persons involved in the leaking or receipt of official information.

Mr Williams said the Government did not agree with views expressed by media organisations and industry representatives that the amendment bill would prevent the reporting of stories in the public interest.

“It is clear from meetings between government officials with media and industry representatives that there needs to be ongoing consultation about these elements of the proposed provisions in the bill. We will continue to do so.”

The bill’s main aim is to increase the maximum penalty for espionage from seven to 25 years of imprisonment.

News Limited (publisher of “The Australian”) and Fairfax condemned the earlier draft of the bill, arguing it went well beyond issues of national security.

Mr Williams yesterday also introduced a package of four bills designed to safeguard Australia against terrorist attacks.

They include measures that create a new general offence of terrorism, an updating of the treason offence, powers to proscribe an organisation that has a specified terrorist connection and offences relating to funding terrorist organisations, and planting of explosive devices.

Mr Williams said a further bill designed to expand ASIO’s powers to detain people without charge would be introduced next week.

He said the bills were designed to meet the challenges of a new security environment “in which Australia’s profile as a terrorist target has risen and our interests abroad face a higher level of terrorist threat”.

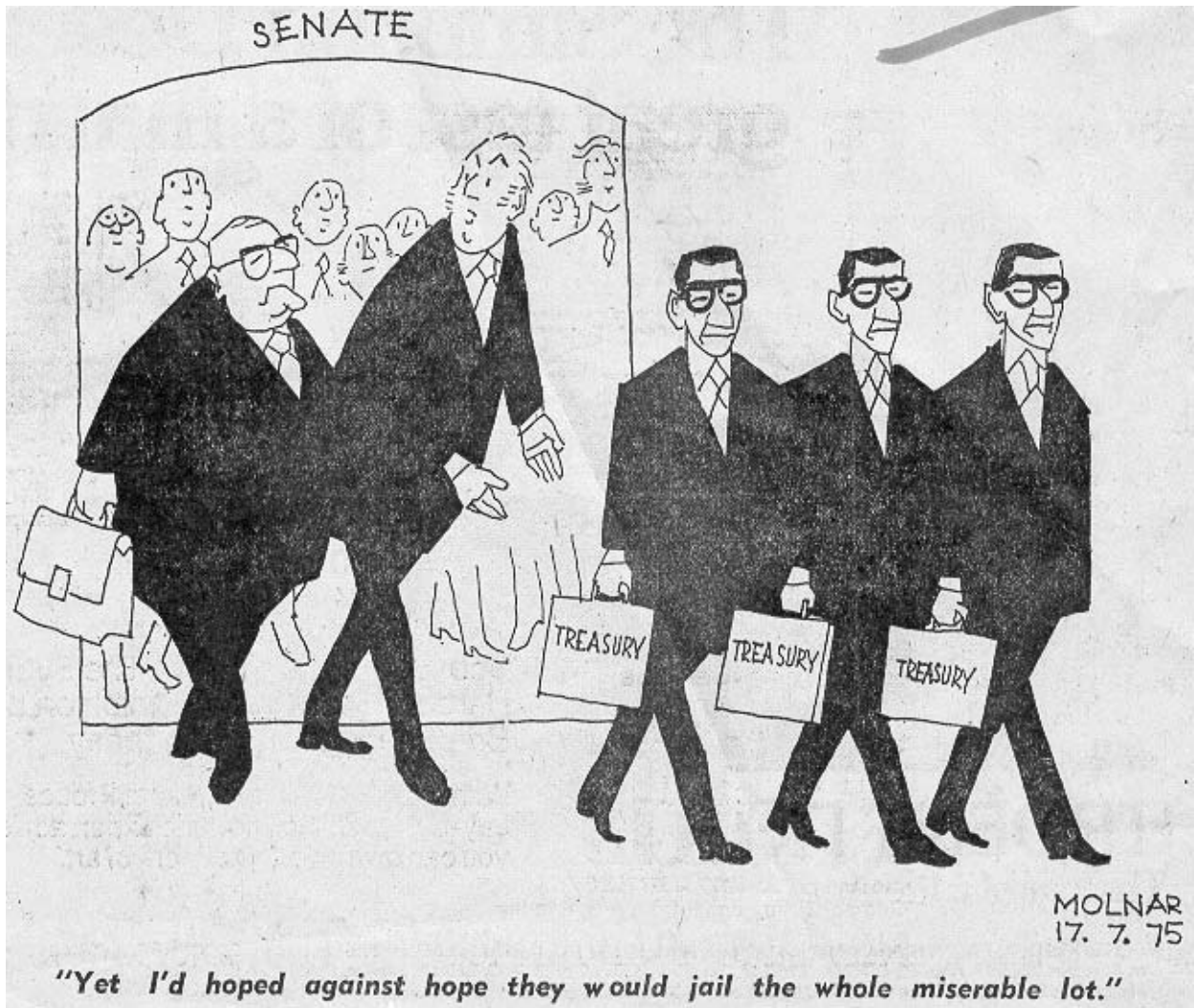
The legislative package flows from a high-level review of Australia’s security and counter-terrorism arrangements carried out since the September 11 attacks in the US.” (Article ends)

The Government is in a great rush to get this sort of Bill through, so that the truth can be suppressed. News Corporation was able to have it modified. Why the hurry?

Gobbleisation

once called globalisation, is disintegrating through corporate greed - read on!

You can't rob the world and get away with it for long. There are too many people watching.



This cartoon was given to us by WEG (W.E. Green AO) our cartoonist. We thank him.

The important thing is if the Treasury had been fired we would be a free and very wealthy country today.

This transcript shows how greed rules the world. We are one of the fortunate nations in the world, an island continent that can sustain us.

This article will put terrorism in its right perspective. These are the real terrorists. Taking trillions out of the pockets of poor people throughout the world.

The IMF, the World Bank are about to be exposed. The story is starting to

emerge. And if it goes the way we think it will, in the next few months, our Government will be shown to be what they are – we have called them traitors and now it's about to be proved. These huge monetary systems employ thousands of people now and it's a simple fact of life that their plundering exposes the poor to more hardship.

It will be like an explosion. There must be thousands of people

throughout the world who have been getting part of the action. The IMF started operating in our country in 1947, and worked very quietly after World War II buying up. At first, Australians were just bemused. Then they got used to it. And now they know what it means. But the whole scurrilous operation of these people is now about to unfold. Whitlam, Hawke, Keating and many other notable people followed.

They were getting part of the action, for this is the way the IMF works. We called it the Great Australian Swindle.

We first wrote about this ten years ago, and have continued to point out to the Australian people and the Government that it would destroy our nation. The World Bank had the audacity and stupidity – and we happen to know they regret it – when they stated that Australia was the wealthiest country in the world. Prior to this announcement, in 1953, Jim Killaly, Assistant Commissioner of the Australian Taxation Office, stated that multinationals pay little or no tax. (Published in the Sydney Morning Herald on 28.10.1996). In the same article in the Sydney Morning Herald, Mr Killaly stated that Australia has one of the highest levels of foreign ownership in the industrialised world. Shortly after this, the World Bank made the announcement that was published in “The Australian” on 18 September 1995 in a front page banner headline. We happen to know that the World Bank regretted this announcement.

On 11 November 1975 Australia lost its duly elected government. Simply because Rex Connor, Minister for Mines and Energy did his duty. He believed we could borrow money much cheaper than from the IMF. So that all these highly profitable facilities would be owned by Australians and it would stop further invasion by multinationals. Had this not been stopped by the dismissal of the Whitlam Government, today we would be a very, very wealthy country. This manoeuvre was orchestrated by the CIA who paid Governor-General Kerr in two cheques – before and after – from the Nugan Hand Bank. In the background, the Treasury Department were fighting for their lives. They knew that if this loan went through, they would no longer have any power or any leverage to tempt foreign investors into our country. The Treasury at the time was headed by a very powerful operator – Sir Frederick Wheeler. We published his obituary in the OZNEWS first quarter edition, 2001. He knew that his job was at stake too. Why he didn't realise that an alternative loan would have been cheaper and that Australians would have benefited, we do not know.

When Pauline Hanson came on the scene, we thought there was half a chance that she might ask the question in parliament – why aren't multinationals paying tax in Australia. And to her

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great credit, she did. And it is recorded in Hansard on 8 March 1998. We warned her that the media would probably attack even harder. But there was no media comment on her question. They went on with their usual puffs. No-one knows, of course, how this endeared her to the people of Australia.

Some months later, Pauline Hanson was persuaded by us to present 2%Easytax®. She agreed to do this but then all Hell broke loose. While she was presenting the tax story in Ipswich, David Oldfield, who has strong links with the Liberal Party, was downgrading it on Sydney Radio. And there were many One Nation members who thought it was wrong to talk tax. But they did not know the importance of it. The media attacked and said it couldn't work, but didn't give any good reason, because they couldn't. Had this tax gone through, many more Australians would have voted for One Nation. That was obvious to Liberal and Labor. She would put them out of business. The media started an horrific campaign to stop it. (It would have adversely affected them too). They attacked Austand who made the recommendation, starting with a major full-page article attacking the Chairman of Austand. For they knew that we were behind it. Then, One Nation – probably in the form of David

Oldfield – talked Pauline out of it. It was a sad day for Australia and particularly for One Nation.

Some years later, we still believe that tax is the way to attack these people and the thing that will help Australians most. As you may be aware, The Great Australians political party is leading in the introduction of E-debit Tax® which we are confident Australians will accept. It's the only sure way to get rid of the people in government who could impose such a dreadful tax on Australians as GST. A tax that is part of the IMF's drive in every country where they can do it, to decimate the middle-class people. And in so doing, put money into their coffers.

This is the article that makes us believe that the game is up for the plunderers of the world.

Globalisation, or more accurately “Gobbleisation”. This shows another aspect that clearly tells us the IMF, the World Bank and the other players in this dreadful New World Order, will explode and the pressure will be taken off many parts of the world. People will return to what's left of their heritage.

It is not too late right now.



Radio interview - Austin, Texas, March 4, 2002

- exposes the corporate gangsters of the IMF and World Bank and others

It is rough, because these two gentlemen are talking about something that is in progress. But it must be believed, because both of them are putting their whole future on the line. And the person being interviewed, Mr Greg Palast, is obviously in possession of papers and facts that have been given to him by someone who thinks more of his country and was prepared to take the risk. This will make your hair stand on end, and our politicians in Canberra run for cover. They will have nowhere to go, nor will Murdoch. In fact, "The Australian" will either back-pedal or ignore it, but they won't try and fight it. Because this OZNEWS shows two very different areas where the real terrorists are operating but we know that they're operating everywhere else, including our country. What is said in both these interviews is common also to Australia. What are our politicians going to do? They are in it up to their necks (they had a salary increase of 45% 18 months ago to keep them in place). We have pointed out to these politicians and Treasury Department over the years that they are helping to destroy Australia. What are they going to say? It will be interesting to see. Both Liberal and Labor are guilty. Treason.

Transcript of Interview of Greg Palast, Journalist for BBC and Observer, London, by Alex Jones (Courtesy of A Great Listener)

Alex Jones Radio Show, Monday (PM), March 4, 2002

AJ This is earth shattering. Can you break it down for us and tell us what the economists have done?

GP Well, I'll tell you two things. One, I spoke to the former chief ~economist, Joe Stiglitz who was fired by the (World) Bank. So I, on BBC and with Guardian, basically spent some time debriefing him. It was like one of the scenes out of Mission Impossible, you know where the guy comes over from the other side and you spend hours debriefing him. So I got the insight of what was happening at the World Bank. In addition, he did not brief me but I got some other sources. He would not give me inside

documents but other people handed me a giant stash of secret documents from the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund.

AJ So to insulate himself, somebody else did it.

GP No, I'm telling you. He wouldn't touch it but I really did get from completely independent sources a big stack of documents.

AJ Just like you got W1991, from the same folks we got it from.

GP And so one of the things that is happening is that, in fact, I was supposed to be on CNN with the head of the World Bank Jim Wolfensen and he said he would not appear on CNN ever if they put me on. And so CNN did the craziest thing and pulled me off.

AJ So now they are threatening total boycott.

GP Yea right. So what we found was

this. We found inside these documents that basically they required nations to sign secret agreements, in which they agreed to sell off their key assets, in which they agreed to take economic steps which are really devastating to the nations involved and if they didn't agree to these steps, there was an average for each nation that signed one-hundred and eleven items that they are required to sign on to. If they didn't follow those steps they would be cut-off from all international borrowing. You can't borrow any money in the international marketplace. No one can survive without borrowing, whether you are people or corporations or countries - without borrowing some money and having some credit and ...

AJ Because of the debt inflation pit they've created.

GP Yea, well, see one of the things that happened is that - we've got examples from, I've got inside documents recently from Argentina, the secret Argentine plan. This is signed by Jim Wolfensen, the president of the World Bank. By the way, just so you know, they are really upset with me that I've got the documents, but they have not challenged the authenticity of the documents. First, they did. First they said those documents don't exist. I actually showed them on television. And cite some on the web, I actually have copies of some...

AJ Greg Palast dot com?

GP Yea, gregpalast.com. So then they backed off and said yea those documents are authentic but we are not going to discuss them with you and we are going to keep you off the air anyway. So, that's that. But what they were saying is look, you take a country like Argentina, which is, you know, in flames now. And it has had five presidents in five weeks because their economy is completely destroyed.

AJ Isn't it six now?

GP Yea, it's like the weekly president because they can't hold the nation together. And this happened because they started out in the end of the 80s with orders from

the IMF and World Bank to sell-off all their assets, public assets. I mean, things we wouldn't think of doing in the US, like selling off their water system.

AJ So they tax the people. They create big government and big government hands it off to the private IMF/World Bank. And when we get back, I want to get to the four-parts that you elegantly lay out here where they actually pay off the politicians billions to their Swiss bank accounts to do this transfer.

GP That's right.

AJ This is like one of the biggest stories ever, Sir. I'm sorry, please continue.

GP So what's happening is - this is just one of them. And by the way, it's not just anyone who gets a piece of the action. The water system of Buenos Aires was sold off for a song to a company called ENRON. A pipeline was sold off, that runs between Argentina and Chile, was sold off to a company called ENRON.

AJ And then the globalists blow out the Enron AFTER TRANSFERRING THE ASSETS TO ANOTHER DUMMY CORPORATION and then they just roll the theft items off.

GP You've got it. And by the way, you know why they moved the pipeline to Enron is that they GOT A CALL FROM SOMEBODY NAMED GEORGE W. BUSH IN 1988.

AJ Unbelievable, Sir. Stay right there. We are talking to Greg Palast.

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~**AJ** We are talking to Greg Palast. He is an award-winning journalist, an American who has worked for the BBC, London Guardian, you name it, who has dropped just a massive bomb-shell on the GLOBALISTS and THEIR CRIMINAL ACTIVITY. There is no other word for it. You link through at <http://www.inforwars.com>, you can link to his web site - <http://www.gregpalast.com>, or any of the other great reports he has been putting out. He now has the secret documents. We have seen the activity of the IMF/World Bank for years. They come in, pay off politicians to transfer the water systems, the railways, the telephone companies, the nationalized oil companies, gas stations - they then hand it over to them for nothing. The GLOBALISTS PAY THEM OFF individually, billions a piece in Swiss bank accounts. And THE PLAN IS TOTAL SLAVERY FOR THE ENTIRE POPULATION. Of course, ENRON, as we

told you was a dummy corporation for money laundering, drug money, you name it, from the other reporters we have had on. It's just incredibly massive and hard to believe. But it is actually happening. Greg Palast has now broken the story world-wide. He has actually interviewed the former top World Bank economist. Continuing Sir with all these points. I mean for the average person out there, in a nutshell, what is the system you are exposing?

GP We are exposing that THEY are SYSTEMATICALLY TEARING NATIONS APART, whether it's Ecuador or Argentina. The PROBLEM is some of these bad ideas are DRIFTING back INTO THE U.S. In other words, they have run out of places to bleed. And the problem is, this is the chief economist, this is not some minor guy. By the way, a couple of months ago, after he was fired, he was given the Nobel Prize in Economics. So he is no fool. He told me, he went into countries where they were talking about privatizing and selling off these assets. And basically, they knew, they literally knew and turned the other way when it was understood that LEADERS of these countries and the CHIEF MINISTERS would SALT AWAY HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

AJ But it's not even privatization. They just steal it from the people and hand it over to the IMF/World Bank.

GP They hand it over, generally to the cronies, like CITIBANK was very big and grabbed half the Argentine banks. You've got British Petroleum grabbing pipelines in Ecuador. I mentioned Enron grabbing water systems all over the place. And the problem is that they are destroying these systems as well. You can't even get drinking water in Buenos Aires. I mean it is not just a question of the theft. You can't turn on the tap. It is more than someone getting rich at the public expense.

AJ And the IMF just got handed the Great Lakes. They have the sole control over the water supply now. That's been in the Chicago Tribune.

GP Well the problem that we have is - look, the IMF and the World Bank is 51% owned by the United States Treasury. So the question becomes, what are we getting for the money that we put into there? And it looks like we are getting mayhem in several nations. Indonesia is in flames. He was telling me, the Chief Economist, Stiglitz, was telling me that

he started questioning what was happening. You know, everywhere we go, every country we end up meddling in, we destroy their economy and they end up in flames. And he was saying that he questioned this and he got fired for it. But he was saying that they even kind of PLAN in THE RIOTS. They know that when they squeeze a country and destroy its economy, you are going to get riots in the streets. And they say, well that's the IMF riot. In other words, because you have riot, you lose. All the capital runs away from your country and that gives the opportunity for the IMF to then add more conditions.

AJ And that makes them even more desperate. So it is really an imperial economy war to implode countries and now THEY are DOING it HERE with ENRON. They are getting SO GREEDY - they are PREPARING IT FOR THIS COUNTRY [U.S.].

GP I've just been talking to, out in California just yesterday, from here in Paris, the chief investigators of Enron for the State of California. They are telling me some of the games these guys are playing. No one is watching that. It's not just the stockholders that got ripped off. THEY SUCKED MILLIONS, BILLIONS OF DOLLARS OUT OF THE PUBLIC pocket in TEXAS AND CALIFORNIA in particular.

AJ Where are the assets? See, everybody says there are no assets left since Enron was a dummy corporation - from the experts I've had on and they transferred all those assets to other corporations and banks.

GP Well yea, this stuff has really gone just like a three-card Monty game. I mean remember that there is money at the bottom. You did pay California's electric bills according to the investigations, they are telling me that they were pumped up unnecessarily by 9 to 12 billion dollars. And I don't know who they are going to get it back from now.

AJ Well they actually caught the GOVERNOR BUYING it for \$137 PER MEGAWATT and SELLING IT BACK TO ENRON for \$1 PER MEGAWATT and doing it over and over and over again.

GP Yea, the system has gotten completely out of control and these guys knew exactly what was happening. Well, you have to understand that some of the guys who designed the system in California for deregulation then went to work for Enron right after. In fact, here I'm in London right now and we have,

the British has some responsibility here. The guy who was on the audit committee of Enron, Lord Wakeham. And this guy is a real piece of work, there isn't a conflict of interest that he hasn't been involved in.

AJ And he is the head of NM Rothschild.

GP There isn't anything that he doesn't have his fingers in. He's on something like fifty Boards. And one of the problems, he was supposed to be head of the audit committee watching how Enron kept the books. And in fact, they were paying him consulting fees on the side. He was in Margaret Thatcher's government and he's the one who authorized Enron to come into Britain and take over power plants here in Britain. And they owned a water system in the middle of England. This is what this guy approved and then they gave him a job on the board. And on top of being on the board, they gave him a huge consulting contract. So you know, this guy was supposed to be in charge of the audit committee to see how they were handling their accounts.

AJ Well, he is also the head of the board to regulate the media.

GP Yes, he is, because I have run into real problems, because he regulates me.

AJ They are also trying to pass laws in England where you've got an 800-year old well, or in some cases a 2000-year old well that the Romans built that's on your property and they say we are putting a meter on it. You can't have your own water.

GP Yea, and that's Lord Wakeham. I mean this is the guy from Enron. He is a real piece of work. He can't be touched here because like I say he actually regulates the media. So if you complain, he's got his hand on your pen.

AJ Burrow into NM Rothschild, you'll find it all there. Go through these four points. I mean you've got the documents. The IMF/World Bank implosion, four points, how they bring down a country and destroy the resources of the people.

GP Right. First you open up the capital markets. That is, you sell off your local banks to foreign banks. Then you go to what's called market-based pricing. That's the stuff like in California where everything is free market and you end up with water bills - we can't even imagine selling off water companies in the United States of America. But imagine if a private company like Enron owned your water. So then the prices go

through the roof. Then open up your borders to trade - complete free marketeering. And Stiglitz who was the chief economist, remember he was running this system, he was their numbers man and he was saying it was like the opium wars. He said this ISN'T FREE TRADE; this IS COERCION TRADE. THIS IS WAR. They are taking apart economies through this.

AJ Well look, China has a 40% tariff on us, we have a 2% on them. That's not free and fair trade. It's to FORCE ALL INDUSTRY to a COUNTRY that the GLOBALISTS FULLY CONTROL.

P: Well, you know Walmart - I did a story, in fact, if you read my book. Let me just mention that I've got a book out, "The Best Democracy Money Can Buy" about how, unfortunately, America has been put up for sale. "The Best Democracy Money Can Buy" is coming out this week. But I have a story in there about how Walmart has 700 plants in China. There is almost nothing in a Walmart store that comes from the United States of America, despite all the eagles on the wall.

AJ Exactly, like 1984, then they have big flags saying "Buy American" and there's hardly anything — it's Orwellian double- think.

GP What's even worst is they will hire a factory and right next to it will be the sister factory which is inside a prison. You can imagine the conditions of these workers producing this lovely stuff for Walmart. It's really....

AJ And if an elitist needs a liver, they just call.

GP (Laughs) I know, it's grim. In fact, I talked to a guy, Harry Wu, is his name and, in fact, he broke into, he's been in Chinese prison for 19 years. No one believed his horrible stories. He actually broke back into prison, took a camera with him and took pictures of the conditions and said this is the conditions of factories where Walmart is getting its stuff made at, it's all....

AJ I was threatened to be thrown off TV here in Austin when I aired video of little girls 4-years old chained down, skinnier than Jews in concentration camps, to die. And I was threatened, if you ever air that again, you will be arrested.

GP Well you know, it is horrifying stuff that, unfortunately, I have been handed and Stiglitz, was very courageous for him to come out and make these statements. Like I said, he didn't provide me

the documents. The documents really sealed it because it said this is what really happened. They really do say sign on the dotted line agreeing to 111 conditions for each nation. And the public has no say; they don't know what the hell is happening to them. All they know....

AJ Go back into privatization. Go through these four points. That's the key. It sends billions to politicians to hand everything over.

GP Yea, he called it briberization, which is you sell off the water company and that's worth, over ten years, let's say that that's worth about 5 billion bucks, ten percent of that is 500 million, you can figure out how it works. I actually spoke to a Senator from Argentina two weeks ago. I got him on camera. He said that AFTER HE GOT A CALL FROM GEORGE W. BUSH in 1988 saying GIVE the gas PIPELINE in Argentina TO ENRON, that's our CURRENT PRESIDENT. He said that what he found was really creepy was that ENRON was going to pay one-fifth of the world's price for their gas and he said how can you make such an offer? And he was told, not by George W. but by a partner in the deal, well if we only pay one-fifth that leaves quit a little bit for you to go in your Swiss bank account. And that's how it's done.

AJ This is the

GP I've got the film. This guy is very conservative. He knows the Bush family very well. And he was public works administrator in Argentina and he said, yea, I got this call. I asked him, I said, from George W. Bush. He said, yea, November 1988, the guy called him up and said give a pipeline to Enron. Now this is the SAME GEORGE W. BUSH who said he DIDN'T get to KNOW KEN LAY UNTIL 1994. So, you know....

AJ So now they are having these white-wash hearings. You know I was at Enron yesterday in Houston because I'm now here in Austin. We were like 30-feet from the door, right on the sidewalk and I have it on video - goons came up and said you can't videotape. I said go ahead and have me arrested. I mean I'm talking on the sidewalk, Greg.

GP Well, you know, I was there in May, telling people in Britain you've never heard of Enron, but ... And these are the guys who have figured out how to (garbled) this government. In fact, we saw some interesting documents, a month before Bush took office, Bill Clinton, I think to get even with Bush's big donor, cut Enron out of the California power

market. He put a cap on the prices they could charge. They COULDN'T CHARGE MORE than ONE-HUNDRED TIMES the NORMAL PRICE for ELECTRICITY. THAT UPSET ENRON. So Ken Lay personally wrote a note to Dick Cheney saying get rid of Clinton's cap on prices. Within 48 hours of George W. Bush taking office, his energy department reversed the clamps on Enron. OK, how much is that worth for those guys. You know that has got to be worth, that paid off in a week all the donations.

AJ Listen at the bombs you are dropping. You are interviewing these ministers, former head of IMF/World Bank economist - all of this, you've got the documents, paying people's Swiss Bank accounts, all this happening. Then you've got Part 2, what do they do after they start imploding?

GP Well, then they tell you to start cutting your budgets. A fifth of the population of Argentina is unemployed, and they said cut the unemployment benefits drastically, take away pension funds, cut the education budgets, I mean horrible things. Now if you cut the economy in the middle of a recession that was created by these guys, you are really going to ABSOLUTELY DEMOLISH this nation. After we were attacked on September 11, Bush ran out and said we got to spend \$50 to \$100 billion dollars to save our economy. We don't start cutting the budget, you start trying to save this economy. But they TELL THESE COUNTRIES YOU'VE GOT TO CUT, and CUT, and CUT. And why, according to the inside documents, it's so you can MAKE PAYMENTS to FOREIGN BANKS - the FOREIGN BANKS are COLLECTING 21% to 70% INTEREST. This is LOAN-SHARKING. If fact, it was so bad that they required Argentina to get rid of the laws against loan-sharking because any bank would be a loan-shark under Argentine law.

AJ But Greg, you said it yourself and the documents show it. They first implode the economy to create that atmosphere. They institute the entire climate that does this.

GP Yea, and then they say, well gee, we can't lend you any money except at these loan-shark rates. We don't allow people to charge 75% interest in the United States. That's loan-sharking.

AJ Part 3 and Part 4. What do they do after they do that?

GP Like I said, you open up the borders

for trade, that's the new opium wars. And once you have destroyed an economy that can't produce anything, one of the terrible things is that they are forcing nations to pay horrendous amounts for things like drugs - legal drugs. And by the way, that's how you end up with an illegal drug trade, what's there left to survive on except sell us smack and crack and that's how...

AJ And the same CIA national security dictatorship has been caught shipping that in.

GP You know, we are just helping our allies.

AJ This is just amazing. And so, drive the whole world down, blow out their economies and then buy the rest of it up for pennies on the dollar. What's Part 4 of the IMF/World Bank Plan?

GP Well, in Part 4, you end up again with the taking apart of the government. And by the way, the real PART 4 is the COUP D'ETAT. That's what they are not telling you. And I'm just finding that out in Venezuela. I just got a call from the President of Venezuela.

AJ And they install their own corporate government.

GP What they said was here you've got an elected president of the government and the IMF has announced, listen to this, that they would support a transition government if the president were removed. They are not saying that they are going to get involved in politics - they would just support a transition government. What that effectively is saying is we will pay for the coup d'etat, if the military overthrows the current president, because the current president of Venezuela has said no to the IMF. He told those guys to go packing. They brought their teams in and said you have to do this and that. And he said, I don't have to do nothing. He said what I'm going to do is, I'm going to double the taxes on oil corporations because we have a whole lot of oil in Venezuela. And I'm going to double the taxes on oil corporations and then I will have all the money I need for social programs and the government - and we will be a very rich nation. Well, as soon as they did that, THEY STARTED FOMENTING TROUBLE WITH THE MILITARY and I'm telling you watch this space: the President of Venezuela will be out of office in three months or shot dead. They are not going to allow him to raise taxes on the oil companies.

AJ Greg Palast, here is the problem.

You said it when you first came out of the gates. They are getting hungry, THEY ARE DOING IT TO THE UNITED STATES NOW. Enron, from all the evidence that I've seen was a front, another shell, they would steal assets and then transfer it to other older global companies, then they blew that out and stole the pension funds. Now they are telling us that terrorism is coming any day. It's going to happen if you don't give your rights up. Bush did not involve Congress and the others who are supposed to be in the accession if there is a nuclear attack in the secret government, Washington Post - "Congress Not Advised of Shadow Government." We have the Speaker of the House not being told. This looks like coup d'etat here. I'm going to come right out with it. We had better spread the word on this now or these greedy creatures are going to go all the way.

GP I'm very sad about one thing. I report this story in the main stream press of Britain. I'm on the BBC despite Lord Wakeham. I know he doesn't like me there. I'm in the BBC, I'm in the main daily paper, which is the equivalent of the New York Times or whatever, and we do get the information out. And I'm just very sorry that we have to have an alternative press, an alternative radio network and everything else to get out the information that makes any sense. I mean this information should be available to every American. I mean, after all, it's our government.

(End of interview)

You can be the judge. It will be interesting to see what happens in the Editorial Department of "The Australian" when this story drifts in from other sources. We are sending it to a number of publishers whom we consider to be worthy and prepared to tell the story. They have nothing to fear.

As you can see, there is a clamp-down on this extraordinary news. in the giant AOL-Warner operation alone, so it will take a little time to trickle through. But of course it will never be published in "The Australian". We tip that News Limited will say nothing. But they will be in a state of confusion. We hope their activities will be cut down to local Australian affairs. And we'll be asking them to concentrate more on Australia and help the nation, instead of carrying the message of these worldwide brigands.

Bin Laden may be serving coffee in the White House

Bush announced that he would get Bin Laden in a matter of days, then weeks, then months – and he is still on the loose. They sent out millions of tons of bombs straight from America to Afghanistan, killing and maiming millions of men, women and children. And the little yellow land mines will keep on doing it probably forever.

Whereas the Brits, with a “stiff upper lip”, would say nothing but immediately despatch at least a regiment of paratroopers to the most likely area according to their reconnoitring. It does illustrate the difference between Americans and disciplined soldiers. And more particularly, disciplined officers and procedures.

It is absolutely unbelievable, the things that he has done since, and on camera. He has destroyed harmony throughout the world – something that has been precious to the world community in recent years. Just two major items should be mentioned:

1. He designated the targets that he would attack next – China, Russia, Libya, Syria, North Korea, Iraq and Iran. His team around him, sat there stony-faced and did nothing. The man is embarrassing and worse than that, he is embarrassing the world.

2. For an encore, in the first week of March, he announced that America would use mobile weapons which would despatch an atomic bomb.

Breaking down world togetherness and angering people. At great cost to the harmony of the world population. The mighty American media control has enabled him to tell the world that his actions were and are to strike down terrorism. How the hell can you do this with an atomic bomb? His team put in place many other measures that are alarming, but probably necessary to some extent. And that is the policing of these terrorist activities by coordinating the world's secret services.

On 13 March, Howard quietly announced **he** was considering sending more Australian troops. Probably the finest soldiers in the world, taking orders from the Yanks. The Great Australians policy is NOT to send troops

overseas. Australia has done more than enough in this regard over many years, since the First World War. He seems to have no idea. He is in effect sending our troops into probably the worst conditions for survival in a climate and terrain that would try any well-trained soldier.

It sounds a bit like vote-getting - “We are at war!” he announced - PR again. When will Mr Howard learn to stop publicising himself and give the responsibility to the appropriate Minister, as happens in any well-ordered company? He has gleefully agreed, which he does all the time, to implementing a new security procedure and force in Australia. Under the false guise of terrorism. A convenient way of introducing American laws to Australia.

It all hangs around this one thing: The New World Order. Our laws could be better, but we don't want to be told how to run our security services or police forces. Yet in March, FBI Head, Robert Mueller, paid a lightning visit to Canberra to see not the minister in charge of this area, but once again, Mr Howard. The Americans – the whole caboodle of them – arrived in two Gulfstream 5 jets – covered in US Forces insignia. Mr Mueller did not want any media coverage. These new laws fly completely in the face of free speech and many other aspects of our society. But our Attorney General, Daryl Williams, believes they are necessary because of terrorist threats. Nor did they want the IMF or WB to be exposed. They also gathered together in New Zealand to a meeting where Secret Service people were protecting officials gathered for an “international affairs forum”.

The Howard Government has introduced a new anti-espionage bill relating to unauthorised disclosures. But after all floating along on the campaign of terrorists, and it has been objected to by News Limited

because it affects their freedom of speech, and it will affect Australians in other ways that are completely unnecessary. Thank God we are fairly orderly people, and if we have to take aboard American laws overnight without discussion with our people (Is this

democracy?). Mr Williams, the Attorney-General, is quite happy with the arrangement.

If you don't think our criticism is justified, let us add these few words: There have been something like 8 or 10 alerts in America and the President himself has referred to his staff going underground in case the White House gets blown up. This is not very reassuring for the people of America – or the people of the world. The New World Order is stifling freedom and freedom of expression and plans to profit from the world economy. Why should we rush to globalisation? Globalisation is proved to be a lead balloon. Although they persist with it. The millions of people throughout the world who are against it and can only show it by exposing themselves to danger in the streets, surely are enough to know that it is not acceptable, nor will it be. Because all it is, is the IMF, the World Bank, the major banks and other authorities throughout the world mainly owned in America, some in Europe (who are going to make a fortune out of the suppression of others.



The Queen showed great charm and dignity when she visited us this year, giving us some confidence in her leadership.

It is interesting to note that UK Prime Minister Blair has been reprimanded by his Parliament for agreeing to attack Iraq without permission of Parliament.

Introducing Mr James McIntyre

And his video "Australians for Australia", which provides facts and quotes from famous historical figures on how the IMF and international bankers, through the guise of globalisation, have gained control of Australia's future.

James McIntyre's tape is available direct from OZNEWS for \$29.95 (half normal price) plus \$7.00 postage & handling.

Mr McIntyre has formed a lobby group "Australians for Australia" so as to reveal to the Australian public how one of the wealthiest countries in the world is in the disastrous economic state that it is.

Challenges for Australia:

1. Australia has one of the lowest savings rates of any nation in the world.

2. Australia is one of the highest taxed nations – and this will increase

3. Australia has the highest debt level per capita of any nation in the world, with an increasing current account deficit

4. Australia is one of the most highly foreign-owned countries in the world

5. Foreign Control is an issue – we are a most highly exploited country. Foreign ownership levels in countries such as the US and Japan run at below 11 per cent. Australia has ownership levels of up to 100% in some industries – is that healthy?

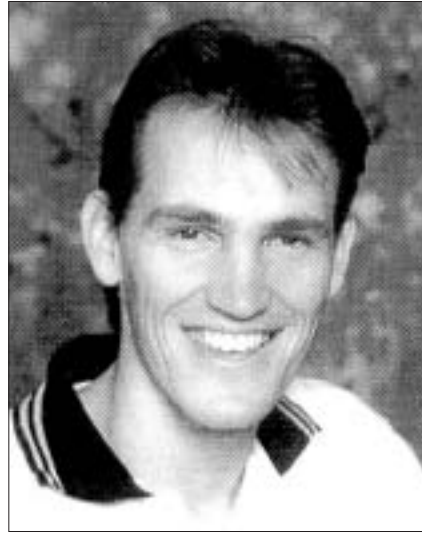
6. Most expensive politicians in Australia – with superannuation payouts of 60 to 70%, compared to 8 per cent for the average Australian

7. Twenty years ago Australia was doing quite well economically. Since then, the decline of the country has been at a rapid rate. We have suffered a loss of nationalism, a loss of our wealth.

James McIntyre is basically on the same track as we are. We have been in discussion over a period of time. He is a brilliant presenter and a determined young Australian.

He asks: What is the state of our country? Are there solutions? He challenges Australians to "read between the lines" and become educated. In order to bring about ideal change to our country.

Mr McIntyre expressed how there is no open public debate in this country when the Governments establish 'new tax systems'. (The GST was introduced



by Howard's government under instructions from the IMF). Alternative tax systems such as Easy Tax, Debit Tax and the Tobin Tax were never discussed in Parliament. Nor is there any open public debate on the International Economic Agreement which past and present governments have signed.

While the Australian people were fighting in protest against the multinational agreement on investment (MAI) these following agreements were signed:

❖ The FSIA (The Financial Services Industry Agreement)

❖ The Fifth Protocol to the GATS Agreement which allows foreign takeover of Australian banks

❖ The MIGAS (Multilateral Investments Guarantee Agency Agreement) which guarantees MNC's (multinational corporations) any losses due to our government acting against globalisation interests.

❖ Agenda 21 – which the UN have total control in the planning and oversight of a World Government which will lead to a world total economic society – the masters who will be non-elected, as national sovereignty will no longer exist.

(There is also an agency to charge every nation and its people for its rainfall and water collected in tanks, dams and reservoirs).

(A) John Howard, prior to his election, said NEVER, NEVER NEVER to the GST! Was there a GST referendum? NO.

Tax alternatives to GST – why were

these ideas kept from the Australian people? TV stations were ordered not to run stories on these alternatives. Why was there no public debate? Alternatives were ignored – foreign big business is taken notice of rather than Australian business.

Wouldn't it be better to look after our own people? Shouldn't our own companies be looked after? They have no protection, no subsidies, no tax incentives. Australian companies can create jobs! Whereas multinational companies create only lowly paid jobs. There is a D-Day arriving in Australia.

(B) (Globalisation – the IMF instructed Australia to introduce the GST.

(C) (91% of tax income in this country comes from PAYE taxpayers, 7% comes from small business, and 2% from the multinationals. They own most of our country.

(D) (Transfer pricing (used by multinationals to minimise their tax payable in this country)

Mr McIntyre proceeds to query the real value of having such a commanding presence of MNC's in this country, when in fact they only contribute 2% of the total tax revenue; the way they manipulate their tax obligations in the form of price transferring and moving capital offshore to tax free havens. The Australian Government is left with the obligation to the IMF to sell off its assets (the people's assets) to make its loan repayments. The less income the government has to fulfil its obligations, the higher will the domestic taxing become as the government relies on its people more and more to collect revenue.

While the European and US Governments subsidise their economies and protect their industries with their own domestic laws, Australia is not allowed to do so – protectionism in this country is virtually non-existent. Up to 90% of all industry in this country is foreign-owned and controlled and it is 'internationally illegal' to subsidise our farmers, our manufacturers and our service providers. Mr McIntyre points out that, if Australia were a company, you would be firing the board of directors. Howard's government has taken the foreign debt of Australia from \$140 billion to \$250 billion (more than a 75% jump) and with trade deficit figures of \$1.5 billion per

month you would surely be sacking those responsible.

Australians need to voice their opinions.

We have been told that GST will never rise above 10%. Really?

We have a spiralling current account deficit – currently being financed by the sale of our assets.

Because of the falling dollar our companies are prime take-over targets. FIRB – now promotes the sale of our assets at rock-bottom prices. What happens when there is nothing left to sell? The IMF has worked it out – they can tax the people of the country. Globalisation equals the foreign takeover of Australia's businesses. Tax inducements, etc - take the profit and run. The multinationals do not have to pay tax. Cheaper products? Globalisation is a cause – a deliberate takeover of national sovereignty.

LIMA and GAT agreements – deliberate destruction of 40% of Australian firms – with lowest levels of protection.

No more than one third of Telstra to be sold – can still guarantee services to the bush. Not possible. 5% of shares to the Australian people – the rest to Wall Street.

Under the Howard Government the Australian debt has risen 25 per cent from \$140 billion to \$250 billion. Figures 1999/2000. Today it is \$300 billion.

Australians should demand accountability for the national debt.

Taxpayers are guarantors for private debt.

University students have to take out loans to pay for their education.

Globalisation – why does the Australian have such a hard time explaining this to the taxpayer? Because there are very few benefits, if any.

The Government claims the economy is healthy – do facts lie? Or do politicians lie? It is over 80% foreign-owned and true. A trade deficit of \$1.5 billion per month. Should we vote for Labor? We are pushed into a two party system. Both major parties have colluded to the demise of our nation. Australians need to vote independently.

“Strong Growth: Consumer spending of credit – unfortunate. Unemployment quoted at 7.4%. The wealth of the world is in the hands of an elite few. Another 37% of people who are not working and who are not classified as job seekers. Real unemployment is closer

to 16%.

Government says the average wage is \$35,000 per annum. This figure is not accurate.

MAI – Agreement signing was stopped. Caught in the act. Negotiations are to resume at the end of 2002. A resumption of this is about to begin at the WTO soon. Taxpayers guarantee losses of profits caused by MNC's, when losses not controlled by them.

Water supplies – rights to our water are being sold to a One World Government!

You have the voting power – but educate yourselves first.

Mr McIntyre finally addresses the fact that what this country is in desperate need of is a voting public which realises that voting for two controlling political parties (Liberals and Nationals or Labor) continuously is insanity; support has to be given to Independents or a coalition of Independents who will pledge to act on behalf of the Australian people, to provide accountability and economic wealth, to invest in this country and to share in the belief that this country can become independently wealthy for once and for all.

(The bulk of our loans are tied up with the IMF, but there are a number of things that must be considered in settling this bill. And it may be paid over a period of time if we believe it is justified).

AUSTAND does not believe this is just. We don't believe that we should have to pay their bill. While we don't know what the rates are, we know that

two thirds of it has been paid in fine gold. And the risk to them is zilch – Australia is not likely to float away.

James McIntyre's definition of insanity – if we keep on doing the same thing over and over – and expect a different result – that's insanity.

Solutions will come about with proper debate.

All Australians should increase their savings. We should all support Australian-owned products. Tax reform – this topic should be made available for public debate.

Election Statutory Declaration

Among the many letters and emails we received about irregularities in the most recent Federal election, we have received a faxed copy of a Statutory Declaration from Mr Steve Graman of Goonellabah, NSW who was working at the Keenst Polling Booth on 10 November 2001. Mr Graman states that two full voting booth boxes were removed from the polling booth prior to counting, by the polling booth supervisor and the second in charge. And that he was later advised by the Poll Supervisor that they were “down 1200 votes” prior to scrutineering.

THANKS

We thank the many people who have written to us. It is impossible with our existing staff to answer all your letters individually.

The Unions pull out of the Labor Party en masse - thank God for real Australians

The unions plan to pull out of supporting the Labor Party simply because globalisation will destroy them. We have pointed this out many times. They are, of course, the most formidable force in Australia and properly directed, they could make a colossal impact. Canberra and State Parliaments will get the message direct. The danger, of course, is that if they're not properly informed, they can do more harm than good. We have written to them offering our research on the problems. Otherwise, a lot of physical effort could be put in and not reach the ultimate objective.

We can expect in the next few months our Parliament to be in disarray. No Party in Australia has ever done so much harm to what was once the wealthiest country in the world, and we believe over the years, the politicians have been increasingly on the take. And it's this very aspect that must destroy the World Bank, the IMF and the super rich.

In short, it's time we pulled up the drawbridge.

America will face the same dilemma and will be hard-pushed to satisfy the people. And it will have the domino effect of affecting every country throughout the world.

emails

From: succeed @tsn.cc

High Court Result: Media Release Topic; The Australian Government is not fair dinkum!

While John Howard bestrides the world stage expounding his view on how elections should be run, his own citizens are facing the High Court claiming that John Howard's government have removed the right of Australian electors to absolutely free elections.

Yesterday Joe Bryant, with a small army of supporters stood in the High Court and argued that part of the 1998 amendment to the Commonwealth Electoral Act removed his right to absolutely free election.

Mr Bryant told the court that the foundation stone on democracy is an absolutely free vote and that without that we do not have a democracy.

Bryant said that the 1998 amendment at 240 (2) removed his right to an absolutely free vote at the 1998 and 2001 Federal General elections.

Mr Bryant was in the High Court arguing against the court's intention to send his matter down to the Federal Court for hearing. Bryant prevailed and the matter will continue to be heard in the High Court.

Bryant made an application to the High Court claiming that the matter was of such importance that it should be heard by a jury in the High Court. The courts view on the day was essentially that a jury had not sat in the High Court before and that this was no time to end that precedent.

The application was refused and Bryant has indicated that he will be appealing this decision.

Mr Bryant is a National Co-Ordinator for United People Power; a group of Australian Citizens concerned with the constitution.

From Jean Eykamp:

Subject: ASIO Laws Threaten Liberty Here we go again Folks.

Silence any worthwhile opposition again

1. The Prime M.Howard/Crean gang did it to Bruce Whiteside's PHSM (Pauline Hanson's Support Movement)

2. Then they put their 'patsy' David Oldfield in the NSW Upper House to control the growing surge of individuals who have endeavoured to develop the capacity to think.

3. Looks like putting Pauline Hanson in Jail and physically/financially breaking her. While in court with her is their other 'patsy partner' David Ettridge, to watch over proceedings while the two Davids get off scot-free. Nothing new under the sun eh?

So you can see by the following. If you are likely to endanger the 'integrity' of the Commonwealth by doing the right thing, that is, by being fair dinkum and exercising our right of free speech-we could end up in the clink for 25 years like the Bush Gang is already doing around the world with his 'Congress un-approved' Patriot Act.

All it takes for Tyranny to reign is for good blokes to keep silent. So, come on fellows, if only for your wives and girl's sake, make your voice be heard.

We have the internet now so why don't we go for it over the Easter break



Joe Bryant

This great man, Joe Bryant, has done a lot to help everyone. He has taken on the responsibility to pull together all Australian political parties and independents. He is prepared to travel Australia wide to organise this. You can help him by organising people together and recommending meeting venues. His phone number is (02) 9826 1337. And his postal address is PO Box 270, St Mary's NSW 2760 (email: succeed@alt3.net). So please get in touch with him if you can help.

The first meeting of this group was on 23rd March 2002 at the Hellenic Club, Sydney.

With insurance costs the way they are, one is afraid to get out of bed!

The Americans have handled their terrible disaster of September 11 in an undisciplined manner. They continue, week by week, not only to alarm America but also to alarm the whole world, by saying there will be more attacks and by virtually declaring war on a number of nations.

An indication of this alarm throughout the world is that the cost of insurance has risen beyond the reach of individuals, states and countries. The Insurance Quarterly, 10 February 2002, lists how it has affected us. It also mentions other countries. Yet the increases in other parts of the world such as South Africa, Germany, UK, Canada, USA are smaller. The Australian Government is responsible for this great anomaly. We are more secure in Australia than probably anywhere in the world, and yet our Government chooses to push our insurances up by increases in taxes on premiums.

(As explained by Robert Gottlieb in *The Australian* on 18 February, 2002:....."In the aftermath of September 11, the world insurance pool basically lost its capital. It is no longer in the position to fund the claims that would arise from another catastrophe. This has led to a repricing of insurance products around the world, and the premium rises are merely the beginning....")

The Australian Government must know something that we don't know. They have pushed up the taxes on our insurance premiums by up to 91 per cent. Or is it just a government grab? Or something to make Australians too frightened to get out of bed in the morning? And not cause any trouble? Or could it be a part of the out-of-control awards given out by our out-of-control legal system?

Perhaps the Government could answer this. Not very likely.

Updated List of House of Representatives

This information was extracted from the Australian Parliament website on 11Apr02

As a matter of urgency we ask you to contact your representative in the House of Representatives. We list them here for your convenience. You would have by now read Contagion, the horrific story of the IMF, the World Bank and other predators' activities in Russia. We point out that the same people that conducted this raid in Russia have been dealing with Australia and probably have been using the same methods to take over our country. We suggest two questions.

1. The IMF handles our foreign debt and, knowing the IMF, we consider that the rates are probably far too high for such a secure investment. The percentage they are charging has never been released although Austand has asked for it on numerous occasions. **What percentage interest are we paying on the money we have borrowed from the IMF?**

2. You should also ask your representative whether we can trust the Treasury Department and whether your representative is cognisant of the Treasury's devious activities. It is logical that the Treasury Department is also involved, as it have been communicating with the people involved in these activities for a number of years. If so, our government must obviously take steps to see that such activities cease immediately. The US Treasurer, now retired, Larry Summers has been closely in touch with our Treasury Department over the years (reference to him is in the article on Contagion; "How Clinton & Company and the banks plundered Russia in the 90s). Thank you.

If we don't look after own interests no one else will.

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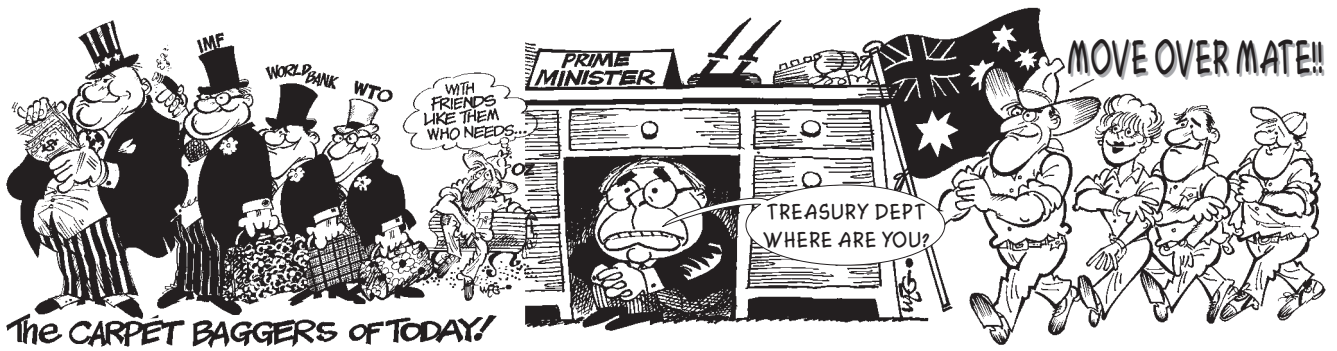
The Great Australians

As a result of hard work and determination, we enlisted 600 members for The Great Australians. This was achieved in a little over a year. The Electoral Commission held us back in a variety of areas, so that we could not compete in their last election. Hardly a word has been mentioned in the media, with the exception of OZNEWS, and yet we think it should have automatically been covered as it was gazetted. We are experiencing a complete blanket from the foreign-owned media, which we expected.

But surprisingly in the last few months, our incoming traffic has increased considerably – more people are talking about The Great Australians. They got to know about it by word of mouth. That makes it much more important. It will continue on, because we told our members exactly what we intend to do and we published it in OZNEWS.

With the unions moving out of the Labor Party, it is to be a rather new ball game. We have a good chance of splitting up the two party system.

As you know, we are having a convention on the Sunshine Coast but because of distances, many of you will not be able to get here. But we do want to make a special effort to emphasise our objectives so that we can move in pace with what is happening. We are asking our members coming to the convention to bring their friends. We have nothing to cover up. There will be nothing political within the Party. We are talking about our objectives. We hope as many of you as possible can get to this event. The people of Australia are beginning to think that The Great Australians will make an impact, and we're damned sure of it.



THE GREAT AUSTRALIANS

National Conference

Open to all - 27-28 July 2002

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Australian Independents and Australian Controlled Parties

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We invite every member of *The Great Australians* and anyone who can help us

To our National Conference 27-28 July 2002. We know it's a long way to come for most of you. But it is important that we all know where we're heading. Speakers will be John Cumming, Lex Stewart and a speaker who will remain secret. A complete outline will be presented on how we plan to get rid of the two incumbent foreign controlled parties.

The Conference will be held on the Sunshine Coast of Queensland in a hall or sports arena. It will also be open to people other than members, for a \$40 fee.

If you are able to attend, please complete the Registration form below and return it to us with payment by mid June. Details of the venue will be posted to you as soon as available. Assistance with accommodation arrangements in Noosa can be provided if requested.

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Nomination for attendance at *The Great Australians'* National Conference, 27-28 July 2002



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Questionnaire

Q1: What reaction will the MNCs and the Treasury have to the 1% debits tax?

MNCs (and foreign investors) will be more than excited about this tax system as there will be no more company tax or income tax imposed on them and their shareholders. The Treasury should embrace this system as it will provide up to three times the tax revenue needed to run the country and pay its foreign debts. L (Why invest in Vanuatu or the Bahamas or any other tax havens when Australia can provide a better return on investments as well as political stability.)

Q2: How much EXTRA tax will Australians have to pay under this system?

None. On the contrary, the domestic taxes currently imposed on Australian residents will be abolished as 1% tax on all transactions will be more than sufficient to run the country to benefit the whole population.

Q3: How will the e.debits tax affect the income generated from taxes on coal?

The country will be better off as foreign shareholders of our coal industry pay no tax presently because our International Double Taxation Agreement and all export (and domestic) purchases will carry a 1% debits tax.

Q4: How will the e.debits tax affect share trading?

There might be some resistance initially as all share trading is completely tax free at present. (One only gets taxed on profits generated from share trading). Under the e.debits tax system all profits are tax free (as there will be no tax on income) and the 1% will be paid by the buyer, not the seller. You buy shares today, pay 1% tax and when you sell the shares in say, 10 years time, there is no tax on your profit or your capital gains.

Q5: How will the e.debits tax affect retired pensioners and their retirement investments?

Once again, the answer is simple. They will no longer have to pay tax on their investments or their capital gains, only 1% of their bank account debits and their will no longer be any GST on

Urgent Reminder - The Great Australians

Your membership may have lapsed. If so, please send your membership renewal fee of \$10 (plus donation you can afford) to The Great Australians, PO Box 173, Noosa Heads Q 4567. In due course we will forward you a membership card.

If you are not sure of the exact date your renewal falls due please contact us (preferably by writing to The Great Australians, PO Box 173, Noosa Heads Q 4567 but alternatively by phone [07 5447 2943] or email: admin@thegreataustralians.com). On receipt of your query we will check our membership database and inform you of the renewal date.

We appreciate and need your continued support which will help us to make an impact and improve the quality of life for all Australians.

their spending.

Q6: How will this system affect the thousands of public servants currently employed by the present tax system?

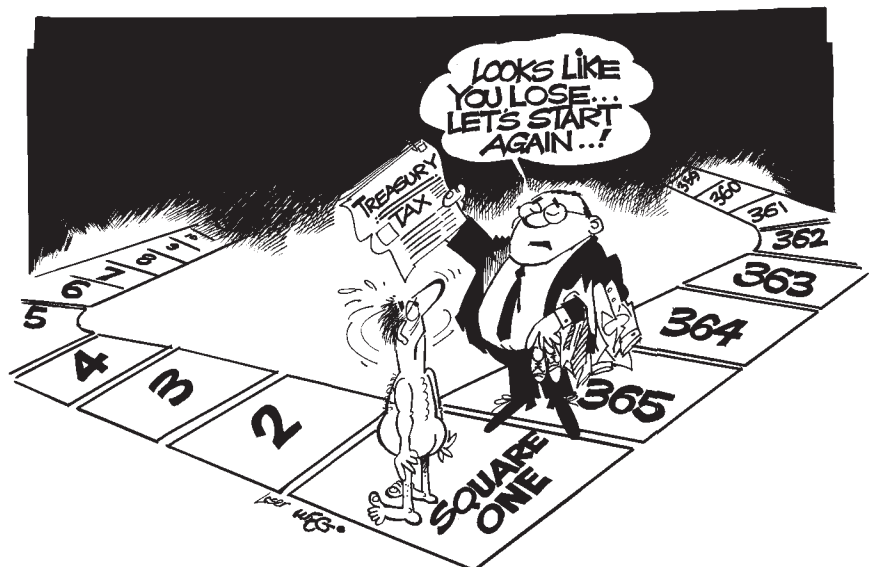
This will be the golden opportunity for our public workers to target the money launderers, the black market economy and other illegal transactions which are currently sucking so much out of our economy. L Also, the new system will be creating so much employment that those who wish to leave the public service will be able to do so to follow their own private ventures.

Q7: How will Superannuation work?

Superannuation will no longer have to be paid by employers. Great news for small business (and the MNCs). As the employees are not being taxed on their income (they only get taxed 1% on their withdrawals – i.e. e.debits tax) the current 8% Superannuation levy will come off their gross earnings and go into a Government Fund which will be managed by the Treasury or a Ministry of Finance to ensure that the returns from

each individual are the same or even better than the Multinational Superannuation funds currently managing these funds. This money shall be invested in local industry, thus providing growth in all sectors including that of employment. Employees will still have the option to further invest in other private Superannuation funds of their choice to increase their retirement savings. This systems will create more jobs as well as guaranteeing the future of the Australian workers.

In brief, an employee who earns \$1,000 a week will invest 8% (\$80) into the Government Superfund and take home \$920. If he or she spends the full amount of the balance it will only cost them a further 1% (\$9.20) thus their NET PAY will be \$910.80 instead of \$670 which they are currently taking home. (You don't have to have a PhD in Economics to realise what this extra net income will do to the economy of any country)





CORE POLICIES – THE GREAT AUSTRALIANS

1 TAXATION: We advocate a 1% Debit Tax on the nation's turnover – we call it AUS.E.DEBIT.TAX. No more income tax. No more GST, no more paperwork. Multinationals pay their fair share.

2 TREASURY DEPARTMENT We will re-structure the Treasury Department so that it functions in the interests of Australians, and not overseas and vested financial interests. We will relieve Treasury of all the Statutory Authorities it controls, placing them with the appropriate Ministers.

3 AUSTRALIANS MUST HAVE A VOICE: This can only be obtained if foreign financial interests reduce their shareholdings in our media to less than 50%. We will subsidise Australian-owned media organisations, film production units, writers, actors and artists - upgrading Australia's image in the world.

4 WE OPPOSE GLOBALISATION, WTO (World Trade Organisation), THE IMF (International Monetary Fund) AND THE WORLD BANK All they do is syphon profit out of all countries.

5 PRIMARY INDUSTRIES: We will help farmers to compete fairly with overseas subsidies and "dumping" by subsidising them to 40%, similar to USA and Europe; this will reinvigorate rural areas. Our quarantine laws will be tougher. Single-desk selling must be changed for maximum farmer benefit.

6 WE WILL RE-FINANCE AUSTRALIA: We will take back control of our currency and establish a Bank like the old Commonwealth. We will make the FIRB (Foreign Investment Review Board) behave.

7 DEFENCE: We must not rely on other nations to help us. Our continent calls for complete mobility, land, sea and air and we must start right now to build equipment based on this philosophy.

8 WE WILL CARE FOR OUR ENVIRONMENT relying heavily on our scientists and specialists. Water usage, salinity and 'drought-proofing' must be tackled properly above narrow States' interests. Our timber resources must be shepherded for long-term sustainable benefit and to avoid timber imports.

9 EDUCATION: This vital function needs more money at "class-roots level". Our education systems must be designed in Australia and integrated on a national, not State, basis. We will abolish tertiary fees.

10 UNEMPLOYMENT: With money targeted to infrastructure, farming and manufacturing, full-time jobs will again become plentiful and unemployment will drop dramatically. Some industries need modest protection in the nation's strategic and defence interests and to provide 'clever country' employment.

11 IMMIGRATION: With more money for coastal surveillance we can control illegal immigrants. Legal migration will have more stringent criteria applied to protect our nation's long-term interests.

12 HEALTH CARE: We will improve hospitals with better management and the extra revenue from the AUS.E.DEBIT.TAX. We will provide better services and incentives for rural area health services.

13 TRANSPORT: This island continent must have Australian-owned and Australian-built shipping. We will create a master plan for all transport, e.g. giving fair returns to truckies and developing rail.

14 LEGAL AID AND THE JUDICIARY: We will make sure the 'punishment fits the crime', that victims' rights are respected and that more legal aid is given to the genuinely needy in the community.

15 SMALL BUSINESS: We will assist manufacturing and the much-neglected small business area, which is the biggest business in our nation.

16 RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT: We will back Australian Research and Development. We excel in this area and therefore we should fund it properly, and protect our intellectual property.

17 SELF-SUFFICIENT - NO GM FOOD: We aim to become food self-sufficient and will not allow Australia to become the testing ground for genetically modified foods or a dumping ground for imports.

18 INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIANS: We will improve the lives of indigenous Australians with jobs, dignity and support for Elders within their communities. We oppose a separate nation within a nation.

19 MINING AND MINERAL RESOURCES: We will progressively return these resources to majority Australian control, and encourage alternate fuels and exploration to make Australia again self-sufficient in oil. We will abolish "import parity pricing" and make fuel cheaper especially in rural areas.

20 FOREIGN DEBT: AUS.E.DEBIT.TAX will provide revenue to pay off our foreign debt over five years, and cheaper finance for Australian industries and farms from sources such as a Government-backed People's Bank like the old Commonwealth. We will discontinue association with the IMF.

21 INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS: can be improved in the national interest with more jobs available.

22 SUPERANNUATION: We will ensure that superannuation investments are confined to Australia.

23 OUR WELL-BEING: We will be dedicated to the well-being of all Australians - young and old, encouraging a harmonious integrated society where people commit to the wellbeing of this nation.

24 INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS: We will examine all international agreements and UN Treaties, and, if they are not of clear benefit to Australia's citizens, they will be annulled.

25 THE AUSTRALIAN PEOPLE Australians have proved themselves in all endeavours. They volunteered to defend many countries. Australians want proper leadership to ensure a real future for our nation and our children. It can be done, but only with your support.

Application for Membership of THE GREAT AUSTRALIANS
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A computer collects the 1% debit tax automatically on the nation's turnover – no tax returns – no paperwork – no bureaucracy.

The mathematical simplicity of this fair system proves we have been swindled for years.

This will disarm Treasury's control over our MPs - Democracy at last!

A 1% debit tax would bring in 3 times the revenue any government needs to get our nation out of trouble (\$520 billion per year), enough to run all current Government programs, and also generate many more jobs, pay off our foreign debt and improve our hospitals etc. It will also save billions in tax collecting costs. We will have a wealthy nation at last – all based on government figures (Budget Outcome 1999-2000).

Tax has been used as a weapon to turn Australians into peasants, and the Treasury Department into dictators, enabling them to give our wealth to multinationals who don't pay tax, and who are buying up our resources out of their petty cash.

The vehicle used is the 'Double Taxation Act' of 1953 which enables the multinationals to not pay tax in Australia. This Act must be rescinded.

Treasury should be only our nation's book-keepers, but they have powerful manipulation and control of all statutory authorities in Australia, even the MP's – whom they control with a silken rein - the "Yes, Minister" syndrome – the two-party system.

Treasury have allowed our national debt to spiral out of control – proof enough!

There would be no need for any other taxes. The Nation's tax revenue would come from a computer

measuring daily transactions – when an individual, company or other body makes a withdrawal from a Bank account then 1% gets automatically deducted from the account and sent to the Government.

It will benefit small and large businesses. Multi-nationals will have to pay tax too. It is a simple system with very low costs of collection.

The other benefits to Australia are important: The Treasury Department will lose the leverage that it has always had in giving foreigners our money. Tax has always been the Treasury's linch-pin.

They will become our book-keepers, as by definition they should be.

They will no longer be able to interfere with the nation's affairs, but will come under control of the Parliament. The statutory authorities that they control will be passed to an appropriate Minister. This is proof of how our Nation has been swindled for many years. Astand, our research organisation, located the problem ten years ago and notified the Treasury Department who finally ignored our several letters and pleas.

Astand hopes that this will be the main policy used by all Australian-controlled parties and independents. We must be prepared for a real attack from the foreign-controlled media on this subject. But if they read the facts they will realise they have no comeback.

The people will be happy to see the last of the GST. It was recommended by the IMF simply to wreck Australia. M Camdessus, then Chairman of the IMF was later dismissed for accepting a \$200 million bribe from a Russian bank.

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