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Let us Fight Against Brahmanic Hindutya Fascism

Bharatheeya Janata Party (BJP) formed by the Rashtriya Swayam Sevak Sangh (RSS) came to power in India for the third consecutive term. More than a success, this is a defeat of BJP. It could not gain absolute majority as expected. However, RSS and BJP will go ahead with their Brahmanic Hindutva agenda in the name of 'new India'. The result of the election shows that the people have severe discontent towards the Brahmanic Hindutva Fascist rule.

In the election to the 18th Lok Sabha held in 7 phases from April to the first week of June, 64.2 percent votes were polled. This includes the invalid and NOTA votes. The expenditure of all the parties put together for this election was Rs. 1,42,000 crores. There was large scale misappropriation of the Electronic Voting Machines (EVM). Selling and buying of votes became an affair of public market. But BJP could not cross 400 votes as it hoped and propagated through its slogan 'ab ki baar – 400 paar' (this time we will cross 400).

The situation in the country for the past decade of the two terms of BJP gave enough experience to the people of the Brahmanic Hindutva Fascist governance.

The RSS, its affiliated Sangh Parivar organisations and its political party, the BJP worked through their entire machinery to propagate its ideology. Since it was in power, the entire state machinery was in its hands. Modi became an icon for the imperialists and the domestic comprador bourgeois, feudal classes to loot the natural wealth and exploit the labour force of the country. BJP and Modi unleashed policies in favour of these classes and its imperialist masters and pushed the people into a miserable condition.

The civil and democratic rights of the people of the states, nationalities and the indigenous tribes were trampled. Revolutionaries, secularist, patriotic and social activists were harassed and foisted false cases. People of the oppressed classes and sections and nationalities lost their rights given in the Indian Constitution through the several Acts made by the government. Criminal codes of the colonial rule, amended as per the Brahmanic Hindutva agenda and proposed as three new Acts. These were brought into implementation since July 1st in this term. This apart, the judiciary, Military and the government administration were transformed so as to serve its agenda. All these structuralize Brahmanic Hindutva corporate-military rule. All through, the imperialist countries, the domestic and foreign corporate companies and feudal forces of the country supported BJP in their interests.

India is a semi-colonial, semi-feudal country where Parliamentary democracy is namesake.

People of few areas in Nagaland boycotted elections on the call of the Eastern Nagaland People's Organization in protest to the negligence of the Modi government towards the demand for separate state of Frontier Nagaland. People of the areas of strong revolutionary movement boycotted elections on the call of the CPI (Maoist) in the direction of strengthening an alternate genuine New Democratic politics and organs of political power. People of areas of nationality liberation movement and anti-displacement struggles mostly boycotted elections in protest to the anti-people and repressive policies of the central and the state governments. People of few villages in UP, Bihar and Tamilnadu boycotted elections in protest to lack of minimum facilities. The recent elections proved that anti-people policies would face strong resistance and this would help strengthen the revolutionary path for change.

In spite of all its attempts for an absolute majority, BJP had to form the government with simple majority together with its allies. NDA, an utterly opportunist alliance of which JDU of Bihar and TDP of AP are the main parties, formed the government. However, RSS-BJP are yet the main danger to the country. The duo will work in the direction of establishing Hindu state by 2047. There will not be any major change in its policies that it unleashes in the interests of the imperialists, comprador bureaucratic bourgeoisie and feudal landlords. Brahmanic Hindutva Fascist agenda will be implemented in a cruder manner.

The majority Hindus are being instigated against the minority Muslims, Christians, North East nationalities, the Dalit and tribal people. We will see a rise in the offensive on the people of the oppressed classes, sections and nationalities and on their revolutionary, democratic movements. The counter revolutionary offensive going on under the name of 'Operation Kagaar' shall intensify.

As the crisis in the world capitalist system is putting more and more burden on the oppressed people of the country, they are increasingly into the path of struggle. The proletariat vanguard of the country must intensify its efforts to further unite the revolutionary, democratic, secular, patriotic forces and the oppressed people and oppressed nationalities of the country against Brahmanic Hindutva Fascism. A broad United Front must be established. The masses must be enlightened towards building extensive people's movements in ideological, theoretical, economic, political, social, cultural and all spheres.

Militant resistance struggles must be built against the Brahmanic Hindutva fascist policies of the Modi government. These struggles are part of the anti-imperialist, anti-comprador bureaucratic bourgeois, anti-feudal struggle. All these people's struggles must be interlinked with class struggle-armed struggle.

The exploiters, counter revolutionaries and reactionaries will be brought down through people's struggle for liberation. This is the rule of social development proved in the past and will be proved in future.

Bangladesh People's Movement -

Resistance to Imperialism and Indian expansionism

Natasha

The political and economic crisis has been deepening in Bangladesh for the past decade and a half under the five consecutive terms of the Awami League government. While the workers, the first affected due to Finance Capital of the imperialists and domestic corporates took the lead in resisting the policies government for the past around two years, the students were the front runners in the present movement. Without the revolutionary alternative yet ready for the people to gain state power, they looked for a regime change. It happened and only due to the people's struggle

In Bangladesh, the struggle of students and youth against the revoked quota system ended in the Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina fleeing the country on August 5th out of fear for life. The eighth most populous country in the world with 17-18 crore people, that largely exports ready-made garments to mostly US, UK and Germany, continues to be in turmoil after the formation of an interim government. The movement for which nearly 560 people gave their lives and one and a half lakh were injured, once more illustrates that people's struggle is the deciding factor in the politics of any



country. This is in continuation to similar developments in Sri Lanka and Pakistan in the past one to two years, where also the ruling classes unleashed proimperialist, anti-people policies. These show that South Asia is the storm centre of revolution. The present movement in Bangladesh is grounded in the onslaught of imperialist Finance Capital and Indian expansionism on the country.

Political and economic crisis has been deepening in the country for the past decade and a half under the five consecutive terms of the Awami League government. Workers were the first affected due to Finance Capital of the imperialists and domestic corporates. They took the lead in resisting the policies of the government for the past around two years. While students started the present movement workers joined them People experienced enough from the Awami League's government. They came into the streets against the

policies of the government in favour of the imperialists and Indian expansionists. They demanded the resignation of Hasina. It happened and only due to the people's struggle.

In fact, the quota system was stopped after a struggle in 2018. The present struggle broke as the continuation to the ongoing crisis, with the government once again bringing forth the quota system putting the future of the students and youth in dark. Students approached the High Court that reinstated the quota system. The case reached the Supreme Court that gave a decision - 30 percent of the jobs go for the families of freedom fighters of the 1971 war, 10 percent each for backward districts and women, 5 for minorities and 1 for physically disabled persons. 44 percent is based on merit. Students did not approve of this and present agitation became intense.

The students started to hold rallies and demonstrations with the present demands on July 1st





following the direction of the High Court on 2024 June 5th. As the protests intensified, the entire government administration came to a standstill. Telecommunication and transport did not work like the earlier. The Awami League (AL) government unleashed all sorts of repression to crush the movement. It banned rallies. It engaged its student's wing the Bangladesh Chhatra League and members of the party against the student protesters. Eleven were killed on the very first day in spite of which protests continued in more numbers to rise on the streets and all over the country. At one point, the students were asked to vacate the University campuses. Apart from demanding against this decision, the students went ahead and occupied the campuses chasing away the antistrikers. The students also demanded against the wrongly intervention of the government in the Universities.

As the struggle intensified, the government started to unleash brutal measures to curb it. With the given crisis in the country, mainly workers and people of all walks gradually joined the struggle. It was no more the agitation of students alone. It became the struggle for right to life of the people of the entire country.

The fascist rule of the Awami League in the leadership of PM Hasina suffocated the people to an intolerable extent. There have been many atrocities on the people in the country for the past decade and a half. In the last few years the government unleashed repression on all kinds of protests. Workers were beaten, arrested and killed during the struggle for their just demands of better working conditions. School students struggling for better educational facilities were fired upon by the armed forces. Thirty thousand members of the opposition party were arrested in the fifteen years of AL's rule. The main Bangladesh opposition Nationalist Party and others boycotted the recent elections that brought Hasina to power for the fourth time, alleging misappropriation. Top leaders of the opposition were put under house arrest, in prison or killed in an extra-judicial manner. Press that criticised the government was harassed. The government controlled media largely propagated that there is no alternative to Hasina to rule the country.

With saturated discontent, the students and workers now took up the slogan, 'Vikalpo aamra' (we are the alternative). Students Against Discrimination

and other such organisations came together and took the lead in the movement. The struggle became wide spread in area and the demand for the resignation of the Prime Minister came forth.

The country witnessed the worst repression from July 16-20. Apart from the demand to reform the quota system, the protesters started to demand accountability of the government for the repressive measures and resignation of the Prime Minister and cabinet. The the government intensified repression on the agitating people. It seized all the media and internet access, arrested or abducted the leaders of the movement. The government banned all political activities. Nearly 500 opposition leaders and people have been arrested for participating in the protests. It declared a curfew for an indefinite time on July 19th after killing 56 people. Army was deployed. Defying the orders people stormed into the streets agitate towards exploitation and oppression of the imperialists, comprador bureaucratic bourgeois and feudal classes.

On August 4th alone nearly 100 people were killed. That day, police fired rubber bullets and tear gas in Shahbagh Square in Dhaka, the capital city. Agitators



in the north western district of Sirajganj attacked a police station in which 13 officers were killed. Few other police posts and stations were also attacked and set on fire. This preceded an attack on a jail in the central district of Narsingdi in which the prisoners were freed. The government imposed 'shoot-atsight' curfew and the streets were filled with police and military. The attackers on the protests were driven away by the students. Some of the agitating student and worker's leaders were beat. The people's anger was unbound. They caught hold of a government officer who fired at the protesters and hanged him from a tree. As repression intensified, resistance intensified and thousands of people marched boldly the next day, defying the curfew.

'Pouncho Dhaka'

The leaders of the movement gave the call 'pouncho Dhaka' (let us go to Dhaka) on the 5th. Many developments happened on this day. The severe anguish and anger of the people brought thousands onto the roads. The residence of the PM was ransacked. People threw sofas, luxury material and other such articles into the streets. They occupied the rooms for a while.

The eparliament building was attacked.

Owing to the people's struggle, the Army on whose support

the AL ruled all these years too, rejected to execute the orders of the government. It also rejected to call the protesters terrorists. With the given contradiction between the ruling AL party and the opposition Bangladesh Nationalist Party (BNP), Hasina called the agitators 'Rajakars', meaning betrayers, meaning the struggle was instigated by the BNP. This added to the anger of the people. On the afternoon of 5th August, the Army announced it took charge of the government temporarily.

All through the movement, the Indian ruling classes were in support of the ruling party. They tried to brand the movement as an attack on the minority Hindus of the country. While on one hand the government stated that the movement was an internal issue of Bangladesh, it sent its National Security Adviser to receive Hasina who fled and approached India.

There were protests outside Bangladesh, in United Arab Emirates, Italy and other places. In UAE Bangladesh nationals held large scale rallies against the

decisions of their government. The UAE government sentenced 3 Bangladesh nationals to life, 53 to 10 years and 1 to 11 years of imprisonment alleging they were 'gathering and inciting riots'. The penal code of UAE prohibits unauthorised protests and criminalises offending foreign states or jeopardising ties with them. In Bergamo of Italy there were large and continuous demonstrations by Bangladesh nationals supported by the PCm Italia. Twenty-five organisations of Bangladesh, Nepal, USA, UK, Europe and Myanmar issued a joint statement condemning the repressive attitude of fascist Awami League, supporting the demands of the students and calling upon the agitating students to work towards "...ousting all imperialism, Indian expansionism and broker ruling class including the US, China, Russia, EU and establish a democratic government of the masses including the workersfarmers-middle class...".

The students of Bangladesh demanded - 1. The Prime Minister must accept responsibility for the mass killings of students and publicly apologise. 2. The Home Minister and the road, transport and bridges minister (the latter is also the secretary general of the Awami League), must resign from their (cabinet) positions and the party. 3. Police officers present in the sites where students were killed must be sacked. 4. Vice Chancellors of Dhaka, Jahangirnagar and Rajshahi universities must resign. 5. The police and goons who attacked the students and





those who instigated the attacks must be arrested. 6. Families of the killed and injured must be compensated. 7. Bangladesh Chhatra League (BCL), the progovernment student wing, which is, effectively the government's vigilante force must be banned from student politics and a student union established. 8. All educational institutions and halls of residences must be reopened. 9. Guarantees must be provided that no academic administrative harassment of protesters will take place.

Although all the demands of the students were not met, the Supreme Court directed to reduce the quota and the people's struggle forced Hasina to flee the country. A bourgeois economist given a Nobel laureate Muhammad Younus became the Prime Minister. The agitators demanded the interim government to release the arrested leaders, lift the military curfew and reopen the universities.

Protest continues in the country. The interim government with major administration in the hands of the Army General does not solve the people's problems. On the 26th of August, 30 people died in police firing. The economic

crisis that led the people to the present movement shall continue until it is solved.

The workers and the students who have been waging struggles for the past years against the pro-imperialist, comprador bourgeois, feudal policies must take forth the struggle towards their liberation in the leadership of the proletariat.

Imperialism and Indian expansionism

Bangladesh is exploited by imperialism and Indian expansionism from the outside and the comprador bourgeoisie from the inside. Let us know few details of the economy of the country so as to understand the present movement.

Nearly 40 lakh workers, mostly women toil in the 3,500 garment factories. Bangladesh is a major exporter of garments only second to China. The country's garments are exported to H & M, Lewis, Primark, Gucci, Zara and such other mega Companies that amount to 60 percent of global trendy garments. It earns nearly 85 percent of the total \$ 55 billion from exports annually. The horrific Rana Plaza accident in Dhaka, 2013, where a nine storeyed garment factory building collapsed haunts the

country even now. 1,134 people were killed and at least 2.000 another injured the in collapse caused by the greed of the imperialists and the domestic compradors to get maximum profits at minimum cost. Even after a decade, majority of affected

families have not been paid any compensation.

Bangladesh pays some of the lowest wages in the world and is in the top 10 nations in terms of restrictive labour laws. This naturally attracts foreign investment. A worker in a garment sweatshop stretches nearly 60 shirts a day. The monthly salary of the worker is less than half the price of this cotton shirt of around Rs. 2,000. There is a rise in workers' struggles since the end of last year and these continue resisting killings, arrests and various kinds of repressive measures. The workers' struggles in the country acted as a fore step for the present struggle.

As a part of the worldwide economic crisis in the capitalist system, inflation touched 10 percentage points in Bangladesh. The prices of food and house rents have nearly doubled during the past few years. As the Bangladesh currency 'Taka' depreciated by 30 percent against the US dollar since last year, the cost of living soared and wages are stagnant. Inequality, poverty and unemployment are on the rise. Ten percent billionaires of the country own 41 percent of the total wealth of the country and any ten percent

poor own a mere 1 percent. Near to 4 crore people are facing food shortage. The ultra-rich of the country took their capital to other countries draining out the country's wealth. A 2017 global Financial Integrity Report ranked the country highest among the least developed nations for 'illicit financial flows'.

There is an acute job crisis for university graduates. According to The Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) unemployment rate in the first quarter of 2024 rose by 3.51 percent when compared to the last quarter of 2023. According to UNDP itself, the Human Development Index of the country is 0.661. Bangladesh lent \$3.3 billion loan from the IMF. The country heavily relies on imported goods. Bangladesh has very low natural gas reserves. During the Ukraine war shortage of energy caused severe inconvenience to the people. Like any semi-colonial,

semi-feudal country, Bangladesh is dependent on the imperialist countries. The fluctuations in the world market suffocate the people.

Hasina is also in close touch with China with which she signed 21 MoUs and 7 more projects to serve strategic cooperative ties in July.

Bangladesh is one of the countries of Indian expansionist interests. India and Bangladesh share a border of 4,096 kms. Both the countries have a transaction of Rs.1342 Arab rupees per year. Adani invested in several projects in Bangladesh. Whoever was in power they had been a close ally of the Indian ruling classes. So was Sheikh Hasina. She was one of the first visitors to the country after Modi came power for the third consecutive term. The two countries decided upon projects facilitating transport of raw material from Bangladesh, to

work together on 'cross-border terrorism' and other such. Projects are going on in Agartala in the state of Tripura of India bordering Bangladesh to establish a transport link.

The garment workers account to 16 percent of the GDP of the country. If organised, they can become a force that would decide the economy and politics of the country. It is now for the proletariat of the country to consolidate the anguish, discontent and resistance of the oppressed classes and sections of the country and lead them towards their liberation from the clutches of imperialism, domestic comprador bourgeois and feudal classes.

Red Salutes to martyr Comrade Wally Agudes of Philippines

Comrade Wally "Km" Agudes of The National Democratic Fron in Rizal was extrajudicially executed and was not killed in an encounter by the reactionary 80th Infantry Battalion in Barangay Burgos, Rodríguez, Rizal. He was severely ill and could not walk. Comrade Auges sacrificed his life for the sake of the Filipino people and his beloved Rizaleño countrymen.

Condemn the counter revolutionary offensive on CPP, NPA and NDFP

Comrade Laila Ramos, a Dumagat women active in defending their ancestral land and resisting the destructive giant dams of Kaliwa-Kanan-Laiban Dam and an organizer of the native movements in Dumagat and Remontadowas was captured in an "encounter". She has been falsely accused of being part of the guerrilla, according to the NDF. She is not only blind but immediately needs to have a surgery due to a tumor. The NDFP demanded her release. Ten NPA fighters were martyred in an encounter with the government armed forces on June 26th.

Celebrate the 20th Foundation Day Anniversary of the CPI (Maoist) from 2024 September 21st to October 20th all over the country with combat enthusiasm and revolutionary spirit!

Let us take up the challenges faced by the Revolutionary Movement! Let us develop Party, PLGA and United Front as the Three Magnificent weapons!

Let us fight back 'Operation Kagaar' going on with the objective to eliminate the Party!

Let us develop mass base and subjective forces, protect the Party, the revolutionary movement, determinedly fight against the enemy and advance in the path of success!

Message of the CC, CPI (Maoist) on the occasion of the 20th Anniversary of the Party in brief -

This is the time of 20th Anniversary of the Foundation of our Party. On this enthusiastic occasion, the Central Committee of the CPI (Maoist) conveys hearty greetings to the entire ranks of the Party, Commanders and fighters of the People's Liberation Guerrilla Army (PLGA), Revolutionary People's Committee (RPC), Organisations, the thousands of comrades holding the Red Flag aloft in prisons and the millions of revolutionary people in the areas of the movement and all over the country, for achieving great successes for the party and revolution through tremendous hard labor amidst innumerous difficulties, misery and losses in the past two decades. Our CC conveys revolutionary greetings from the bottom of the heart to Marxist-Leninist-Maoist parties, the democrats, progressive individuals and minded prominent well-wishing persons of various spheres for coming forward in support and solidarity to Indian Revolution with a bold stand against 'Operation Green Hunt', 'SAMADHAN', 'Surajkund plan' and at present, the

inhuman, cruel, fascist and murderous elimination genocidal war under the name of 'Operation Kagaar' unleashed by the counter revolutionary Indian state.

In this context our CC calls upon the party ranks, PLGA forces, revolutionary organs of the people and the people to take up a campaign for one month on the occasion of the 20th Anniversary of the Party, with the objective to advance the revolutionary movement in the path of great success through taking up the challenges of the revolutionary movement; consolidating the three magic weapons; the Party, PLGA and the United Front; The 'Operation Kagaar' unleashed by the Brahmanical Hindutva Fascist ruling classes government, going on with the objective to the Party and eliminate revolutionary movement should be retaliated with class struggle and guerilla war with the aim of developing mass base and the subjective forces by protecting the Party and the revolutionary movement. It calls upon rank and file of the Party, PLGA,

revolutionary mass organizations and the revolutionary people's committees to make success the Anniversary celebrations in this month and if not possible in this time, at any time this year.

In the past 20 years of the formation of our united Party on 21st September 2004, 5,249 comrades sacrificed their valuable lives including 22 beloved members of the CC (out of which 8 are members of the Political Bureau) in the process of achieving the aim of revolution. One thousands of them are women. 48 of the martyrs are members of SAC/ SZC/SC, 14 RCMs, 167 ZC/DvC/DC, Sub-Zonal Committee members, 505 AC/PPC members, 871 Party-PLGA members, 3596 activists of peoples' organs and revolutionary people. 218 comrades of the Party, PLGA and United Front and revolutionary people became martyrs in the past one year alone. Since the great Naxalbari peasant revolutionary struggle thousands of known and unknown comrades martyred in this revolutionary

movement. Each of these losses and especially the loss of our prominent leaders is a big blow to the Party. The path of Indian Revolution is reddened with the blood spilled by the martyrs. The path of Protracted People's War in India is further enriched. The ideals of the martyrs, their Communist dreams tempered us such as to further serve the people and to fulfill the immediate, main and central tasks including other important tasks of the Party. The CC pays humble homage to these great martyrs who with their martyrdom illumined the Party, PLGA and United Front and the path of New Democratic Revolution. They joined the ranks of the innumerous martyrs along with the founders of Indian Revolution, the founding leaders and teachers of our party Comrade Charu Mazumdar and Comrade Kanhai Chatterjee. Our Central Committee and the entire party gains enthusiasm from their sacrifices and their creative role in building a new power and a new society. Our CC pays revolutionary humble homage to all the leaders and members of various countries across the world who laid down their lives in the path of world socialist revolution. Our CC take the pledge to fulfil their revolutionary aspirations with great determination.

Dear Comrades and people,

In spite of the eagerness and the aggressive cruel offensive to eliminate our party and the revolutionary movement with the support of the imperialists, the Indian ruling classes are drowned in

severe economic crisis. The imperialism and Indian semicolonial, semi-feudal society which is standing as a hurdle in the path of development of society are on the deathbed. The historic lesson is that these turn crueller and shall face the opposition of the oppressed people in a more severe and wide manner. Due to the imperialist globalisation policies, imperialist system is in deep worldwide financial, economic crisis. US and its allied imperialist forces, especially facing the contention from China and Russia they are leading to wars in several countries. This has an impact on our country. The imperialist Multi-National Companies and their comprador ruling classes of various countries that are intensely trying to loot the natural wealth, cheap labour and markets in backward countries of the world like India are taking shelter in fascism (Brahmanic Hindutva Fascism in our country). On one hand fascism is creating social divisions among the people through their divide and rule policy and on the other is unleashing brutal suppression on the people. In our country the Modi government is indulging in unceasing massacres and terrorising to 'subjugate' the people and suppress people's resistance. Especially, deployed more than 7 lakh government, military, Paramilitary and police personnel in the areas of Maoist movement and is causing bloodshed. It is violating human rights and indulging in bombing through drones, helicopters and artillery. But the oppressed people are becoming increasingly clear

about the ill consequences of globalisation policies. They are taking up struggles in various places on various problems. We must utilise this favourable condition, enlighten and organise the people of entire oppressed classes, oppressed social sections, oppressed nationalities and democratic forces of our country. The people must especially aim their struggles against rising prices, for hike in wages and salaries and for livelihood, employment, education, health, drinking water, housing, against corruption, democratic rights, social justice, against untouchability, against atrocities on women, against attacks of Hindutva fascists etc., issues. In such a favourable condition we have ample opportunities to advance by uniting with the international proletariat, with all working people, the oppressed nationalities and the Maoist communist revolutionary forces in fulfilling our task to accomplish New Democratic Revolution and ultimately establish Socialism and then Communism all over the world. for which we must lessen the losses, shed weaknesses and make People's War with taking correct tactics with strong determination and preparedness for sacrifice. The oppressed people are confident in our party that is leading the revolutionary war. Although our revolutionary movement weakened to a large extent, it stands as a bright

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Budget 2024-2025,

A Paper dedicated to

The Big Corporate Houses

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The big corporate houses of India and foreign MNCs were pleased to see the Modi's Minister Finance Nirmala Sitaraman doing hilarious selfpatting of the Modi's regime during the presentation of her 8th Union Budget on July 23rd. In order to fool the toiling masses it carries a veil of "helping the poor". In fact it is a naked antipeople budget that put more burdens on the workers, poor and middle peasants, smallbusinesses and middle-classes. The 2024 General Election verdict is clear, majority of people are against procorporates and Hindutva policies of the RSS-BJP regime. But the Brahmanical fascist regime pays no heed to the election verdict. It has made its intention clear through this budget, serving the monopoly and bureaucratic capital and sucking the blood of the people is its supreme agenda. The Economic Survey Report 2024 stated that the Indian economy needs to generate 78.5 lakhs jobs annually in the non-farm sectors in order to cater the demands of rising work-force. But the prevailing pro-imperialists and corporates policies of the Indian State, Indian economy will continue to face the conditions of 'joblessgrowth' and 'predatory growth'.

Big blow to the farmers and workers

In the present budget, the share of the crisis ridden agriculture sector has declined to 1.4 percent from 4.7 percent in the earlier budget. More than half of the population dependent on the agriculture and feeding the country the

government choose to reduce the allotment for the agriculture sector. Pro-imperialist and probig bourgeoisie policies of the Modi government has broken the back bone of the Indian economy i.e. agriculture sector. Hence, the farmers of the country are out on streets, demanding legal MSP guarantee their produces compulsory state procurement according to Swaminathan Commission). At the same time the farmers are demanding the scraping of pro imperialist and pro corporate policies of Modi rule. But the demands of the farmers' stands rejected and goes neglected in the budget. Adherence to LPG policies, the present budget follows the footsteps of the previous budgets, which made agriculture nonprofitable for the small and marginal farmers. They are not even getting back the cost of expenditure entangled them to the web of debt. Subsidies to the farmers in fertilizers has seen drastic cuts in the present budget. There is a decline of 34.7 percent in the allocations of funds for fertilisers from the previous year. In spite of Modi's jumla of doubling the income of the farmers, the agriculture

sector has been c o n t i n u o u s l y sidelined in all budgets. As a result over one lakh farmers took grave step of committing suicide in the past ten years.

Let us come to fate of the MNREGA. Modi in 2014 before

becoming the Prime Minister stated that the MNREGA will be remained as a living example of UPA regime's failure. But the condition of the country is such that Modi or any other bourgeoisie government come to the power could not scrap the MNREGA. Such acts function like the safty valve for the exploitative ruling classes. Modi is stuck in two contradictory positions first neither he can scrap that act nor encourage more funds for that act under the pressure of corporate houses. With rural unemployment rising and rural inflation standing at the top of urban inflation, the government has hardly moved by the appalling conditions in the Indian rural areas. People are living at a time when food inflation is at sobering height of 9.4 percent. The allocation for MNREGA is lowest in the past ten years in the time of severe economic crisis. Naturally there is no provision in the budget that address the "agrarian distress" in the country. This budget shows the RSS-BJP's attitude towards the farmers who is fighting against the corporate policies of the government.

The magnitude of attacks on the toiling masses' purchasing



power through budget will have dangerous consequences for the Indian economy which will be further entangled them in the imperialist web of exploitation. Pro-imperialist provisions in the Union Budget will paralyze the entire 'home' market. Beside this, the budget also not provides any scope for productive investment. One of the major sources of investment of any country is its public savings. In the past one decade of Modi's rule, the domestic savings is not only declining at a faster rate, but huge chunk of it being tapped by the burgeoning government's debts international to financial institutions.

The economist touts of Modi policies declare that the budget more FDI for the lures development of economy. Contrary to these imperialist astrologist pundits estimations, finance capital rather than entering in the productive sector, today in the phase of LPG policies huge chunk of foreign capital is entering in the speculative markets. As a consequence of this the huge number of small investors elsewhere are been ruined. In fact the amount of profit that they siphon out of the country is much greater than what they invest in the form of FDI. The other hand this is more intensifying the trend of jobless growth.

The reduction in custom duties will led to the floods of import of goods from imperialist countries. This will ravage both agriculture and small-scale industry. For example in the government godowns tons of foodgrains and dairy products are been perished, but instead of utilizing those goods for the needs of the people, and encouraging farmers to produce more the Modi government is

importing foreign goods at higher rates with exemptions of duties and taxes in the budget. Large scale disinvestments of PSUs will lead to retrenchment of labor force and intensify contract labor. The budget has absolute zero allocations for the 50 crore workers of the unorganised sector which contribute 50 percent of GDP. In 2008 the Parliament Standing Committee recommended that the government needs to spend 3 percent of budget for social security to the workers of the unorganised sector. But the Modi's government has no policy for them. The budget did not speak about the platform based Gig workers whose population in the labour force is on the rise. government remains oblivious to the marginalisation and exploitation of millions of Gig workers by big foreign and domestic companies.

Capex expenditure for valorization of corporate profits, not for employment

Lot of false hype in capex has been created in the corporate media. The government allotted Rs. 11,11,111 crore in the capex. Finance Minister in her budget speech commented on the rise of the capex during the Modi's regime. She emphasized on the "multiplier impact" of it on the economy. This tapestry of lies by the Modi's government has been weaved to hide the economic crisis. In spite of massive rise in the capital expenditure outlay, the total budget outlay hardly witnessed any phenomenal rise. Moreover, in the past the four years the rise in the capital expenditure did not led to the rise in employment. In fact, unemployment has touched the sky limit in the Modi's regime. Demand in the Indian economy is in pathetic conditions. Under such circumstances there will be no rise in the private

investments in the production sectors. The massive injection of money in the capital expenditure by the state is simply a gift to the crony capitalists to en masse their profits. If we analyse the data from IIP (Index of Industrial Production) we find that there is hardly any increase in the industrial production. The average annual industrial growth during the Modi years has been just 3.6 percent. The share of manufacturing in GDP has fallen to 14.1 percent in 2023-2024. A country which is touting to become fifth largest economy of the globe, where per capita income is less than \$2,500, spending lakh of crore rupees on bullet trains, airports and other infrastructures with more incentives in the budget to the crony capital houses and MNCs is against to the interest of the people. This budget 'halwa' was served among the corporate houses.

Incentivizing private sector for employment-Subsidizing the corporates

Let us see the measures taken by the central government to tackle the menace of unemployment. Firstly, the FM has announced schemes to provide employment subsidies, either directly or indirectly by Secondly, employers. schemes ranging from subsidized internships to interest subvention for educational loans, in order to make labor force more "skill". All these are not but pampering the private big houses to employ the unemployed youths. Instead of strengthening the Public sectors and filling up the vacancies, the government is giving incentives to corporates. In the end the reason for unemployment has been labelled on the workers for being not "skilled" enough. Most of the employment in India exist in terms of casual employment and self-employment based on the piece-wage system. Unemployment is much higher among the educated youth, who are already skilled but have no jobs at hand.

Attack on the savings of the Middle Class

In a country where according to the Modi's statistics 80 crore people survive on 5 kg. government rationed rice, how we will say about the savings of those nearabout the 60 percent of Indian population? So, now come to the booms of the budget to the Indian middle class. The RSS-BJP has relied heavily on the upper strata of the middle class for its political benefits. It is this class that works as think-tank for the RSS to attract rest of that class for its ideology. Divisive reactionary Hindutva ideology of RSS-BJP diverted continuously the poor and middle class people from the real issues affecting their life. But this budget has opened the eyes of the middle class. Once a diehard supporter of BJP and Modi, today they have become a critique of his budget. The rise in prices of essential commodities heightened the burden on the poor people and has shrunk the small savings of the middle class. The government which has created the problem of inflation with its policies has no solution to come out from this chronic issue. The decision to increase the Long Term Capital Gains (LTCG) from 10 percent to 12.5 percent and in the Short Term Capital Gain (STCG) (this faced huge criticism and the government was forced refer joint to the Parliamentary committee for its recommendation) from 15 percent to 20 percent is to loot the marginal profits that middle class gains by investing in mutual

funds and shares. Directly it will impact the purchasing power of the middle class who are already surrounded with mounds of debts. The government decision to levy 18 percent GST on health, insurance and premiums got backfired from the BJP ministers. The government brought down the fiscal deficit to 4.9 percent by enforcing massive cuts in the social welfare expenditures like health, education and other public services. There is no relief for the middle class in the new income tax policy. Those who are earning more than Rs. 15 lakh annually and whose income is more than Rs. 1 crore per year are kept in the same tax slab of 30 percent. It is the income tax that will account for 19 percent of the government revenue in the financial year of 2025. whereas corporate tax stands at 17 percent. We can see the burden the middle classes of the country are going to have in the coming days.

Move towards massive privatization of education sector

The overall expenditure on education by center and states combined together stands at 2.9 percent of the GDP, which is miles away from the 6 percent target as envisioned by the Kothari Commission.The budget has given a severe blow to education. The allocation for the education in the budget 2024-2025 has come down to RS 47.619 crore from RS 57,244 crore in 2023-2024. Moreover the funding for the University Grants Commission (UGC) has been slashed by 60.99 percent. This policy of funds cut directly serves the big bourgeoisie and foreign finance capital. In the year 2021-22, around 3.5 million students were dropped out from the schools. There is absolutely zero policy in the budget for lowering the rising educational fees. The intention is clear,

handing over the education sector to monopoly capital which will spoil the bright future and dreams of the young generation. The NEET and other students' protests are clear-cut examples of these policies.

Conclusion

The budget in total carries the essence of neoliberalism. Cuts in the subsidies to the poor and farmers, massive privatization of the PSUs, attack on the welfare measures are some of the characteristics of all budgets in the period of neoliberalism. Corporate tax for foreign companies has been slashed from 45 to 35 per cent. This is going to hit hard the government revenue generation which will reciprocate on the living conditions of the common masses. The household debt has increased to 40 percent of the GDP, whereas the financial savings has declined to 5.3 percent of the GDP. When the Modi government came to power in 2014, the Forbes' list of Indian billionaires had 56 names. In the year 2024, their number has jumped to 200. Total budget is of Rs. 48 lakh crores. Out of it 11 lakh crores will go for paying interest to foreign imperialist institutions.

Peasants are on the roads, students are struggling, youths of the country are demanding employment, and workers are raising their voice for fair real wages and job securities. In all, the people are looking for an alternative development model that addresses their core issues and democratic in nature. The revolutionary movement must mobilize the masses on its people centric development model for strengthening and consolidation of class struggle.



Finance capital nurtures fake parliamentry election in India.

The election to the 18th Lok Sabha brought forth the intensity of Brahmanic Hindutva Fascism of the Indian Comprador Bureaucratic Bourgeois and Feudal ruling classes that serve the interests of the imperialists of the world. Finance Capital is ruling the entire world and the country. We give here an article on how finance capital operated in this election taken from internet.

"Everything was sold, right from lies to hatred, and divisivecommunal agenda. Finance capital helps to create vote-bank for the political parties in the name of caste and religion. Each party had star campaigners, hovered from one constituency to another in helicopters. Film stars, star cricketers and industrialists were given the duty to make people aware about the value of vote, election and democracy. But the daily experiences of the people from the past 75 years have taught them that all these have no meaning in their life".

Whenever the election season arrives, the ruling classes and its cohorts start screaming, the mantra of democracy. From

Adani to new landlords and their well-wishers, including various types of gangsters, from US imperialism to their financial institutions, all these vampire classes and agencies, who accumulate super profits by sucking the blood of the toiling masses, delve themselves in mesmerizing the Indian farce democracy and sacredness of election.

The corporate mainstream media holds highly dramatic and cinematic style debates, where the speakers fight, scream, use abusive languages not for the people's cause but in the support of their billionaire and religious bigot leaders. Out of 543 "elected" members Parliament, 511 are from wealthy affluent class and many have serious criminal charges like rape, kidnapping and many other abhorrent crimes. India, is the democracy for the corporate class, Baahubalis (feudal strong men) and mafias. After every five years, new executive is formed, which are nothing but the "committees for managing the common affairs of the whole bourgeoisie", as Communist

Manifesto proclaimed more than 200 years ago.

Finance capital and Indian election

Elections in India is a formal event to get authority to rule the people in the name democracy, which etymological sense means "rule of the people". To contest and win in the elections, major political parties are financed handsomely by the big corporate houses. The political party which promises to implement the corporate policies, receives huge backing from the big corporate houses, like BJP is receiving the financial blessings, massively from 2014 onwards.

And the same happened for the 18th Lok Sabha election but in a new legalized form through electoral bonds, which were openly declared as the world's biggest scam. The total government expenditure for 2024 election was 1.35 lakh crore, making it the world costliest election. It even surpassed United States of America, the world biggest imperialist power election's expenditure tally of 2020. It tells about the farce of the election's model code of conduct. A country which recently reached the 5th largest place of world economy has a poor Human Development Index (HDI), whose 80 crore people live on the government sanctioned 5kg rice, money flows like flood water there at the time of election to grab the voters' votes.

The nexus between the big corporate capital and Parliamentary political parties were exposed to public crystal clear in the world biggest scam, the Electoral Bonds. The biggest benefactor from the Electoral Bond was the RSS-BJP, which used the money to finance the terrorist activities of its storm divisive troopers, and machinations to purchase the leaders of opposition parties country. across the The mainstream opposition parties were making a loud wailing cry, because they received less money than the BJP. opposition parties, those who are in the INDIA alliance, came out openly against the control of election through finance capital.

country which subservient to the interest of monopoly capital, cannot have free and fair election. Neither its democratic institutions can be independent per se. As the final phase of the election was over, the supreme leaders of BJP-Modi-Shah predicted that the share market will rise. Believe it or not, as the exit poll result was out that was conducted by the pundits, which corporate showed BJP crossing 400 seats, the shares value touched the sky. But when the real result was out, the value of share went down like never before in the last four years, ruining the small and medium investors. 58 percent of the shares were bought by foreign investors, who withdrew their shares as the indication was clear of BJP not forming government of its own and their reliable servant, Modi has not become powerful Prime Minister like in previous terms. In spite of all parties following corporate dictated policies, Modi's aggressiveness and charisma in criminal history, makes him the most admired poster-boy of the finance capital by the corporate houses.

The flow of money from the corporate world, was used to advertise the brand leaders of the political parties, like the capitalists advertise their products to sell. Marx was succinctly right when he said that, in a capitalist society everything becomes a commodity, including humane relations. In the era of finance capital, everything becomes a commodity on a steroid.

All political parties were out in the summer of 2024 to sell the brands of corporate houses in the people's name. This is the irony of the ironies. Everything was sold, right from lies to hatred, and divisive-communal agenda. Finance capital helps to create vote-bank for the political parties in the name of caste and religion. Each party had star campaigners, hovered from one constituency to another in helicopters. Film stars, star cricketers and industrialists were given the duty to make people aware about the value of vote, election and democracy. But the daily experiences of the people from the past 75 years have taught them that all these have no meaning in their life.

With 36.56 percent of votes that BJP received out of 642 million votes, it declared itself to be the government of the 140 billion people. Actually, one third voters did not cast their votes in this election. This is the

biggest indication of how people are alienated and have no faith in a farce democracy, existing in a semi-colonial and semi-feudal country. There exists an absolute consensus among the political parties regarding the economic policies of the country. The two biggest parties of India, Congress and BJP, are the biggest agents of imperialism in India. Left parliamentary parties of India are the worst revisionist parties in the entire Communist political history. Their philosophy of development model backed imperialist neoliberalism with a human face. The left parties have been exposed for their adherence to the LPG policies. Their decimation in Bengal and Kerala is highly attributed to their lovalties to corporate development model.

The revolutionary movement by the oppressed classes and sections, under the leadership of CPI (Maoist) is waging an armed revolutionary movement against exploitation of bureaucratic capitalist, feudal landlords and imperialism. It is combating the authoritarian and fascist Indian state and its machinery for more than 5 decades. At the same time, it has given birth to a new alternate political, economic and cultural people's development model. The ruling classes are being haunted by the "specter" of this new alternate development model and framed fascist policies for its speedy elimination.

Violent Indian election

The elected government has given us nothing but violence and genocides for the finance capital's benefits. As the country was immersed in the election mood, and the political parties, and their leaders were busy in

mega road shows in the competition for their democratic approval, another side the Indian state kept itself busy in committing genocides on the indigenous people and the Maoist party in the name of "Operation Kagaar", mainly in central and eastern India.

The Indian state is busy in wiping out the indigenous people to hand over the natural resources to imperialists forces. A country which is poised as an "emerging strong economy", lives on the threshold of genocides. Genocides do not necessarily mean only physical extermination. The worst form of genocidal attack in human history is displacement. Indian "democracy" began its "tryst with destiny" with massive displacement of oppressed masses from their habitat, leading to a modern internal exodus. Just before two months of announcement of elections dates, several MoUs were signed for mining projects by the Indian government with the MNCs, and the new counter-insurgency program in the name of Operation Kagaar was authorized by the Indian state.

legitimize To those genocides and the loot of the natural resources, with the help of finance capital, the facade of election plays a crucial role. But people understand this dangerous game being played out. They are resisting both against the genocide, the loot of the resources and the legitimization of it through elections. The marginalized masses are putting up a fight for their rights and the Indian state in the behest of corporates and crony capitalists, are suppressing those fights with its guns and bombs- the former is called crime, the latter, Vikash (development).

The revolutionary Maoist party is becoming a serious hurdle for the ruling classes development model of loot and plunder for the benefit of corporate houses. Hence, their elimination is made necessary by this fact. All political parties have given their consensus for subjugation of the revolutionary forces with the help of brute armed forces. Left parties or other regional parties, who are aspiring to "save the constitution and democracy", had kept terrific silence during the election over the genocides on the indigenous people of central and Eastern India.

However, this cordon of silence has been breached by the mass organizations, real democratic and progressive forces, writers, intellectuals, students, workers and peasants. Demonstrations, shut downs, seminars were hold across the country against the genocides on the indigenous people and Maoist party. International solidarity is mounting against Operation Kagaar. A huge rally was organized before the summit of G-7, where Indian Prime Minister attended in Italy. Seeing the growing anger against the Operation Kagaar, Congress party in an opportunistic manner, but spoke against the fakeencounters, but did nothing in real terms. Nothing real can be expected from a party that competes with the BJP for serving the corporates houses.

The 18th Lok Sabha election was the biggest militarized election in the world. Companies of security forces were deployed in every booth to conduct election without violence. But there can be no peace under the

gun-point directed towards the people. In Bastar region, 300 companies of security forces, heavily armed sophisticated weapons and combat drones, were deployed to terrorize the masses to cast their votes. In Maharashtra out of 48 constituencies, Gadchiroli-Chimur constituency were the only constituency that saw massive deployments of police forces. This was an excessive militarized effort by the Indian state to quell the political call of the boycott of election by Maoist party with massive mass support in the revolutionary movement areas. The heavy deployments of armed forces amount to be an example of democracy at gunpoint. All these mineral rich regions inhabited by the Adivasi people are utmost important places for the corporate houses. Maoist Party call for the boycott of election has political character and is part of their policy. It has no business with the violence as propagated by the State. When the security forces by inflicting brutal violence, forcefully pick up the indigenous people in the revolutionary areas for voting to counter the Party's call of boycott, then the PLGA under the leadership of Maoist Party with the support of masses, counter the fascist violence with the revolutionary violence. It is understandable now that, how the Indian state was able to achieve the "record-breaking" polling percentage in the "Maoist-affected region".

In the urban and rural regions of India, so many sporadic violent incidents were daily reported in newspaper during the election time. During the Vikasit Bharat Sankalp Yatra, RSS-BJP activists threatened people to vote for BJP and Modi otherwise their government

Sub-classification judgment is the victory of Protracted people's struggle

After waging a struggle for more than three decades dalits and adivasi people, the most "wretched of the earth" have finally won the battle. The Supreme Court of India bowed down before this historic struggle and was forced to give its judgment in the favor of the sub-classification of SCs and STs for reservation on 1st August, 2024. Under the leadership of Chief of India, DY Chandrachud the seven-judge Bench of Supreme Court in its 140 pages judgment ruled that the Justice EV Chinnaiah judgement in November, 2004 (which opined that Schedule Castes constitute a homogeneous category) was erroneous in nature and misinterpreted Article 341 of the Indian Constitution. However, it is the victory of the oppressed castes and the indigenous people, their organizations and leaders. The CPI (Maoist) Central Committee in its press release expressed the judgment of subclassification is righteous in nature. In fact the CPI (Maoist) was an active part and parcel of this struggle for social justice from its inception. Further, it opined that there is an

imperative need to wage a militant struggle by the oppressed castes for the implementation of the apex court judgment and annihilation of caste, as thought by Dr. Br Ambedkar.

For the dalits and adivasis toiling masses that constitute 1/4th of the Indian population, the Indian constitution has incorporated reservation provision in order to overcome from the thousands years of social oppression. inhuman untouchability and overdoes the historical wrongs. For Amdedkar, reservation is a tool for achieving social and economic equality by the oppressed castes as "political equality" has achieved through adult franchise. In Ambedkar's view reservation laid the foundation stone for the annihilation of caste. But within a short span of time, it becomes crystal clear that reservation policy was unable to reach to all groups within the oppressed castes. The Lokur Committee which was established by the central law ministry way back in 1965 in its report clearly remarked about the growing

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speedy differences within the schedule castes. After 29 years, the *Justice Ramchandran Raju Committee* set up by the erstwhile Andhra Pradesh government that submitted its report in May 1997 observed significant disparities among the SCs sub-groups in availing reservation.

As the reservation benefits were availed by the few groups within the oppressed castes and adivasi communities, the majority of the oppressed castes and adivasi communities began movement for an overhaul of the system. The MRPS (Madiga Reservation Poratam Samiti) that took birth in the united Andhra Pradesh in 1994 was an integral part of the sub-classification movement. At a lightning speed, the movement came up in and the various states governments of Punjab, Haryana, Bihar, Karnataka and Tamil Nadu enacted laws for subquota. But the High Courts of these states declared those laws as unconstitutional in the light of Justice Chinnaiah judgment, 2004 and the status quo in the reservation policy. However, the

sponsored ration will be stopped. Bombs were hurled by the party activists on their opponents, leaders were shot, the scene that election depicted was like street-dog fight. Incredible democracy and let us sing, sare jaha se acha democracy hamara (our democracy is better from everyone).

Conclusion

Democracy as practiced in India cannot abolish political, social and economic privileges of the ruling classes as it cannot transform the prevailing social relations. Despite high-voltage campaign, with the massive injection of money and muscle power in the election, the total voter turnout was 65.79 percent. Ambedkar had himself said that "Where there was no way left for constitutional methods for achieving economic and social objectives, there was a great of justification unconstitutional methods." The Brahmanical Hindutva Fascism has been groomed by the socalled democratic institutions.

Parliamentary struggles are not going to uproot Indian fascism and neither one can hope democratization of Indian society by the prevailing Parliamentary system that serves the interest of comprador bourgeoisie and Imperialism. Building mass movements and forming revolutionary organizations with strong mass base with goal of people's democracy can only defeat fascism and build people's center economy, politics and culture.



matter was challenged before the apex court. Reviewing the High Court's judgments, the fivebench judge led by Justice Arun Mishra in its 2020 judgment declared *Justice Chinnaiah judgment* as inappropriate and referred the matter to a higher seven-judge bench. This a brief background of the present Supreme Court's verdict.

One can see a deep split on the several issues in its judgment by the Supreme Court. Majority of the judges in 6:1 ratio gave judgment in favor of the subclassification of the quota. Justice Bela Trivedi was the lone dissenter as she stated that this categorization of the quota is against the constitution. However, CJI DY Chandrachud, who authored the judgment made it clear that classification does not, thwarts the principle of "Equality before Law" of Art.14 of the constitution. But the irony is that the Supreme Court upheld the exclusion of "creamy layer" for reservations benefits for SCs and STs in education and employment in India, which was not the question before the bench. Justice BR Gavai, the lone dalits judge on the bench and who is probably going to be the next CJI gave judgment on exclusion of creamy layer from SCs and STs Reservation. Justice Vikramnath expressed his oneness with Gavai's opinion. Two other judges, Pankaj Mital and Satish Chandra expressed their opinion on reservation in different manner. They expressed that only one generation will be entitled to have reservation benefits. The seven-bench judge split verdict in the **Punjab vs Davinder Singh**

case on 1 August, 2024 not only imploded divisions within the dalits and adivasi communities but also in the entire people's opinion on reservation. Till now those who have not availed reservation benefits population basis are welcoming this judgment. On the other side, several prominent dalits leaders like Prakash Amdedkar, Chandrasekhar Azad and Chief of BSP Mayawati have shown their dissatisfaction with the judgment and have appealed the apex court to review its judgment. They are leading the protests against the Supreme Court judgment. However, the CPI (Maoist) stated in its statement that it is time for waging unity and struggling for the implementation of the present judgment.

country In our every Parliamentary political party have used reservation like a sharp-edge knife for its votebank politics. In the 90's brahmanic Hindutva fascists forces launched and spearheaded anti-reservation movement. Even at present, RSS is not in favor of implementing the reservation policy in just and fair manner. Being antagonistic to reservation in the name of merit, states the brahamnic-feudal mentality of the RSS. Due to its political compulsion, RSS and BJP are forced to include dalits into its fold, so that it can obscure its *Brahmin-Baniya* tag. In order provide reservation for the economic and weaker sections from the savarna castes (which constitute 4 percent of the population), it bestowed 10 percent reservation by grossly misuse of the state machinery.

These are step stones for the establishment of Hindu-Rashtra. First by exposing the hidnutva agenda and second by not becoming scapegoat, the entire oppressed castes and tribes must tighten one's belt for the implementation of subclassification judgment. CPI (Maoist) has appealed the prominent persons in the dalits and adivasi communities like intellectuals, writers, actors, and many others who have high respect in their communities and in society should come forward in the support of the judgment struggle for implementation. Further the CPI (Maoist) in its statement condemns in strong words the creamy layer judgment of the Supreme Court.

The history of legislatures in our country has been to create holes in the reservation policy. Because of the ruling classes parties conspiracy, only few people have till now availed the benefits of reservation policy. In 1951 DoraiRajan opposed reservation in admissions in educational institutes. In 1992, Supreme Court in Indira Sawhney nine-bench judgment stated that reservation is not applicable in promotions. By recognizing dalitss as inferior and not potential for equal status, the judgment clearly reflected its brahmanic mentality. However, the 77th amendment invalidated the judgment. The 81st amendment gave green signals to the states to view the "unfilled posts as a separate category so that the 50 per cent upper limit on reservation did not come in the way". The 82nd amendment in

Article 335, displayed some positive sign "in matters of promotion of Scs and STs". But 85th amendment overturned it. We can clearly see that the mischievous play of the Parliamentary political parties in matter of reservation till 103rd constitutional amendment. Majority of the constitutional amendments in field of reservation speak in one voice, that the life of the marginalized communities is less than the value of the piece of paper. Ambdekar hoped that through the affirmative action by reservation policy in the first 10 years will bring drastic fundamental changes in the life of the down trodden dalits and adivasi communities, which will create the path for the annihilation of caste. But the ruling classes parties have continuously stabbed backed the real intention of the affirmative action as formulated Ambedkar. Since the inclusion of the reservation provisions in the Indian constitution, the ruling classes' parties have been alert that the reservation benefits does not go to the real sufferers. To achieve the goal of reservation and finally work towards its gradual abolishment does not appear in any parliamentary political parties' manifesto. To think about caste annihilation programs from them will be nothing but a daydreaming act.

For the interests and superprofits of imperialists and domestic big corporates, all political parties are privatizing in an intensifying manner the public sectors. Moreover, they are not opening their mouth for the reservation in the private sectors. Despite the implementation of reservation policies for SC and ST categories for 74 years, there is a general decline in the representations of these communities in education, employment and in Legislatures. For example, approximately 90 per cent of professors in Central universities of India belong to the general category, while only about 5.4 per cent are SCs and 1.38 per cent are STs. Instead of protesting against privatization, protesting for a miniscule reservation is nothing but diverting from the real issues. Hence, it is the need of the hour to protest against the corporatization of all public sectors and assets by the oppressed castes and sections. In that direction, CPI (Maoist) has given a call to the dalits and adivasi youth to launch a militant struggle.

In a blitzkrieg manner, the Indian state is doing the corporatization of forests. In this direction, the Supreme Court of India gave an order in 2019 to vacate tribal people from the forests who are not having land certificates. Instead of directing the state governments to provide land certificates, this decision of the highest court of the land depicts its class character. The present judgment of it will take what turn will be very soon clear. As a result the call given by the CPI (Maoist) to build movements for the speedy implementation of the judgment on the proportional representation principal seems to sole means for the oppressed castes and adivasi organizations. There has been no political party other than the CPI (Maoist) in India that has firmly stood for the implementation of reservation policies and welfare of the marginalized communities by spilling its blood for this cause. The oppressed communities are fully confident that the Maoist Party will bring them out from the clutches of brahmanic, bureaucratic capitalist and imperialist exploitation.

Βv directing the state governments to declare the percentage of reservation to be given for the sub castes, the Supreme Court has washed away its hand. In the telugu states there are 61 sub castes in SC and 35 groups in ST. There are overall 1150 dalits castes and 650 tribal groups in the country. As per Article 341 there are 76 subcastes in dalits. In the erstwhile Andhra Pradesh, the state government classified the dalits community in four categories and marked the reservation for them in the following manner: Category- A 1 per cent, Category-B 7 percent, Category-C 6 per cent and Category-D 1 percent. The Tamil Nadu State Legislature had enacted the Tamil Nadu Arunthathiyars Reservation Act, 2009. Section 3 of the Act stipulated that 16 per cent of the seats reserved for the SCs in the educational institutions should be offered to the Arunthathiyars community. A similar law in Punjab gave preference to Balmikis and Mazhabi Sikhs among the SCs. From the latest concluded caste survey in the state of Bihar, we came to know the pathetic conditions of several sub castes in the SCs. Out of every 10,000 educated persons, 124 Dhobis (washer man Community) had basic educational qualifications, for the Dusadh community the number stood at 45 and for the most marginalized community of Musahar caste, it was just 1 per cent. From this data, it became clear that reservation cannot be applied in a mechanical and unilateral manner in the country of 31 states and 5 Union territories. Hence, the Caste census becomes the need of the hour. For their political gains the ruling classes' parties will try to distort the sub-classification category by including several other castes in the list. To prevent such injustice to happen, the reservation should be granted on the data presented by the caste census report, which has to be scrutinized by the committee composed of dalits and adivasi leaders, intellectuals and professors. The Committee will study and analyze the socio, economic and cultural conditions of each dalits and adivasi subgroups.

The dalits and adivasi issue is a land issue, self-respect issue and political power issue. These will not be solved through reservation. Even the subclassification on the population basis will not solve it, though it will help the marginalized communities to get few seats in the educational institutions and in the government employment. But in the period neoliberalism, when there is massive privatization of all public sectors and onslaught on the idea of social justice, reservation has become impotent. The ruling classes parties are spreading illusions among the oppressed castes that their problems is going to be eradicated through subclassification and at the same time, it creating disunity in the dalits community, whereas, the Brahmanic Hindutva Fascism is conspiring to abolish the whole reservation policies. For the implementation of the subclassification on the population basis in private and public sectors, for the ownership of agricultural, industrial and all means of service sectors, and for the capturing of the political power, the CPI (Maoist) party has appealed to all oppressed castes and sections to wage a militant struggle.

has opined that bν overthrowing the oppressive system, the issues of the oppressed castes and sections will be solved. For a radical change it has appealed to marginalized communities to join the ongoing revolutionary movement in India. Dalits and other oppressed communities have nothing to lose but their chains of exploitation and oppression.



alternative and is attracting the broad oppressed masses and oppressed social sections. The reactionary ruling classes know well the danger from our party and revolutionary war. Therefore

they are making indiscriminate utmost cruel attacks to eliminate our party.

There is another lesson in history – a small force can defeat a big force. A weak force can destroy a strong force. The strategy and life of revolutionary war depends upon the broad masses who constitute the absolute majority in

any country in order to seize power from the miniscule minority of the ruling classes and the government mercenary armed forces. The party starts as a small and weak force and strengthens in the process of struggle totally basing on this strategy. It defeats the big, strong enemy force. This is repeatedly proved in many revolutionary wars all over the world.

Let us, on the occasion of the 20th Anniversary of the CPI (Maoist), work determinedly to preserve the Party and the revolutionary movement that lead the New Democratic Revolution with the objective to destroy imperialism that causes difficulties, misery, exploitation, oppression, suppression and discrimination in our country and the semi-colonial, semi-feudal society that represents the Comprador Bureaucratic Bourgeoisie and Feudal classes. Let us fight back 'Operation Kagaar'. Without a revolutionary party, people will unendingly face gruesome exploitation, oppression, misappropriation, injustice, hegemony, suppression and massacres and atrocities by the exploitive ruling classes.

The proletariat in the capitalist-imperialist countries are taking up agitations in a big way against the capitalists of their countries. The struggle of migrants from Asia and Africa against the murder of three young women with knives by the racists in South Port in Britain on 30th July put the country in an internal turmoil.

The revolutionary, nationality liberation and democratic forces are utilising these conditions and widening

The Three New Criminal Laws – Part of the Agenda of Brahmanic Hindutva Fascism

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The Brahmanic Hindutva Fascist RSS-BJP brought into practice from 2024 July 1st the Bharatiya Nyaya Samhita (BNS), the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS), Bharatiya Sakshya Bill (BSB), by giving a cosmetic changes to the Britishperiod colonial laws. This is one more of the Brahmanic Hindutva Fascist actions towards completing its agenda of establishing a 'Hindu state'. The Modi-Amit Shah clique has been talking about 'cybercrime', 'terrorism' and 'Left Wing Extremism' (LWE) for the past years and bringing in new offensive campaigns on the oppressed people and oppressed nationalities of the country. It now says that the new laws will help eliminate these and bring 'peace' in the country. These new draconian laws are badly needed by the ruling classes of India to crush the

revolutionary and democratic movements in the country, expedite their profit accumulation process.

The laws were formulated by the BJP in 2023 August. The Parliamentary Committee on Home affairs was forced to 'formally' approve those. The committee gave its approval within three months, with slight objection regarding the usage of hindi words in the bill. It later proposed the laws in Parliament in 2023 December, It utilised its absolute majority and the speaker misused his power and suspended 148 MPs of the opposition and got the three criminal bills passed unanimously. The opposition parties criticised the government for the process of passing the laws without taking their opinions. As soon as it came to power in 2024 mid-June, BJP that took the reins of the central government for the third consecutive term together with its member parties of NDA brought these laws into implementation.

The colonial period laws were initially made in the decade of 1860 by the British colonial ruling classes to suppress the Indian freedom movements. country and its toiling masses were subject to the brutalities of the colonial power, which were enshrined and legitimatized by its rule of law. After the transfer of power from the colonial rulers to the Indian ruling classes, those colonial period laws were adopted by the Indian ruling classes. The RSS-BJP in the name of "de-colonializing" those laws, in fact has made them more draconian in nature. The sedition act in the erstwhile IPC was included in the section 124A. All the ruling classes parties have not shy away from using sedition

all over the world. MLM parties and organisations are getting organised and strengthened. Few MLM parties of backward countries are intensifying the struggles of agrarian revolutionary class struggles and for making preparations People's Wars. This is the time to make preparations by the revolutionary forces and working class for Socialist revolutions in the capitalist countries. In the same manner we must develop a broad United Front against imperialism and mobilise the oppressed nationalities and oppressed people in united struggles at international level

and in every country. In this background, international movements are further solidarity to widening in People's War in India and Philippines. There is a strong aspiration that the development of People's War in India will strongly contribute to World Socialist Revolution. We must shoulder the great responsibility to make it true.

Several MLM parties and organisations have been demonstrating high plane of proletarian internationalism through solidarity programs for the past above a decade to

contribute to the success of the revolutionary movement and People's War in the leadership of our party. On the occasion of the 20th Anniversary of our party, the Central Committee of the Party affirms that it would determinedly struggle together with the revolutionary organisations and forces, the proletariat, oppressed people, oppressed nationalities and their organisations of the world against imperialism and against the reactionary ruling classes of all the countries to achieve permanent liberation humankind from all exploitation and oppression on the earth.

act to throttle democratic and revolutionary forces. In the past one decade this has taken a big leap. Right now, BJP in a chest-thumbing manner is proclaiming that it has removed sedition law. But it has included in the chapter 7 of BNS and has made it more severe than its earlier version.

The use of Hindi names indicate the Brahmanic Hindutva hegemony that the RSS-BJP want to establish and is an outrightly attack on the multi-lingual diversity of the country. The IPC was named Bharatheeya Nyaya Samhitha (BNS), the CrPC as Bharatheeya Nagarik Suraksha Samhitha (BNSS) and the IEA as Bharatheya Sakshya Adhiniyam (BSA). Let us go into a few details of these.

There were 511 sections in IPC. Now in BNS the number became 358 out of which 201 existed in IPC. 20 new crimes were added. Imprisonment is increased for 33 types of crimes. Fine is increased for 83 kinds of crimes and definite punishment is imposed for 23 kinds of crimes. There is rigorous punishment for begging and kidnapping. Coming to the CrPC changed into BNSS, one important regulation added was to chain the criminals. The earlier 484 sections were increased to 511 sections. Earlier 177 regulations were changed and 39 sub-sections added. 14 sections were removed. Specific time was decided to hand over immediate justice to 35 crimes. While there were 170 sections in IEA, 24 sections are totally changed in the present BSA. 6 sections were removed.

The police remand for 15 days is now extended to 60-90 days in the new laws. This amounts to validifying the until now illegal custody deaths and tortures unleashed by the police, without

producing them in the court. This would severely affect the lives and freedom of the citizens, mainly the poor and the activists. The police now can pass information about cognisable crime even through electronic communication without personally handing it. Criticising the Prime Minister, Chief Minister or the governments can be punishable as per the new laws. The intensifying economic problems, unemployment are pushing people towards suicides. One who threatens to commit suicide is punishable according to the newly added sections in the laws. Senior lawyers commented all these 'anti-national changes as measures'.

Armed struggle and support to armed struggle is punishable according to Section 152 that provides punishment for 7 years of rigorous life imprisonment. This is absolutely against the long time struggle of the people of the country to abolish hanging. One more right that mainly the working class achieved through great struggles is removed from the new laws. Processions and demonstrations are considered crime with rigorous punishments. Since the BJP came to power in 2014, 1100 persons were arrested by the NIA and imprisoned. These apart, freedom of speech that the Indian Constitution provides lost its essence in the new laws.

Whenever a new law is to be made to implement, the central government must give the minimum understanding to the police officers, the judiciary, advocates and intellectuals. In 1969, the Law Commission deeply discussed with High Court Chief Justices about the proposed changes in the

Criminal laws. Only then these were taken up in the Parliament and approved with the changes in 1973 and implemented since 1974. But now the government rejected to do so. The process is being questioned by politicians of other bourgeois parties, intellectuals. The Chief Ministers of the states of West Bengal, Tamilnadu and Karnataka informed their opinions that several aspects of these laws are against the Constitution. An ex-Solicitor General appealed to put these for discussion. Few prominent lawyers of the Supreme Court appealed the centre to rethink on the amendments. Few persons also expressed the need to have a discussion on it. The central government was adamant to all these discussions.

The three new Criminal Laws are totally against even the formal bourgeois democracy. These prove that the ruling classes cannot even practice formal bourgeois democracy in the country and want to turn the country into a police-state. These shall violate the "sovereignty, federal, republic, democratic, secular" nature of the bourgeois governance and lead to fascism. These laws need to be fought against with a unity all the revolutionary, democratic, patriotic, secular forces of the country. This fight will be part of the larger fight against Brahmanic Hindutva Fascism.

Imperialism and Brahmanic Hindutva Fascism playing with the future of the Students of India Maniram

The present leak of NEET papers against which students of the country are protesting is a part and parcel of the Privatization of the education. However, it is not only about the leakage of the NEET exam papers. Since the Modi's government came to power at the center, there has been a spree of paper leakages of various public exams. Common entrance tests like NEET, JEE, NET and many others have strengthened the vicious grip of finance capital. NEET was implemented in 2013 and from then onwards, private coaching centres have mushroomed enormously. The private coaching centres are corporate model of education that favours profits than the future of the students

The new NDA government is faced with a fresh protest, this time by the students of the country, though not for the first in Modi's rule but much more broader and intensive in scale. Many inks has flowed down over the matters over which the students are uniformly raising their voices, and facing the brute police forces of the country; yes we are talking about NEET, NTA, NET, CUCET and paper leaks. The brahmanic hindutva fascist regime consider these matters as miniscule in nature and persist in an absolute denial mode that nothing is wrong with the education system. Instead, it is busy in marketing the fallacious idea that "India is a viswaguru".

India has a long history of Student movements, right from the British colonialism till present. But the ongoing students movement in India is different from all the earlier students movements. present students movements are happening at a time when the political power is in the hands of the brahmanic hindutva fascist forces and at the same time, privatization of education and public sectors (an important source of employment) are happening at a lightning speed facilitate the speedy concentration and centralization of capital in the hands of few monopoly companies and crony big business classes. In a country like India, which has one of the lowest ranking in the Human Development Index and blooming wealth and social inequality, education perceived as a important tool by the oppressed classes and castes to overcome their despair life. But the ruling classes and its political agents has utilised education as a profit-making machine at the cost of the students future.

NEET-NTA, an corporate education model

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There were media reports that just before the NEET exam day, the police arrested few persons relating to NEET paper leaks. However, the NTA denied any allegations of paper leaks.The NEET exam was conducted on May 5 by the NTA. The exam was held in 571 cities and around 24 lakh candidates appeared for the exam. The result of this exam was scheduled to be declared on June 14. However, when the country and its media was busy reporting the election result of 18th Lok Sabha, NTA decided to



announce the result of NEET on June 4. The intention was clear. NTA and the BJP government wanted to silence the malpractices and corruption involved in the NEET in the shadow of election result. But the students continued their protests, demanding the scraping of NTA, re-examination of NEET exam and the resignation of the education minister, Dharmendra Pradhan.

Opposition parties several left and democratic forces joined hands with the protesting students. As the movement illustrates the drawbacks of the education system due to pro-corporate policies, Rahul Gandhi was forced to speak that "there is a systematic failure in the Indian education system". But the fascist BJP government continues to deny that there is any foul in the NEET exam. It got boost by the anti-student judgement of the Supreme Court in NEET paper-leak case. The Supreme Court of India came in rescue of the newly formed NDA government under the leadership of RSS-BJP which came under heavy blow from the students. The Supreme Court rejected the arguments of the students regarding the malpractices in the NEET exam. But the reality is totally different.

As one of the student protestors reported to The Wire "On one hand, they are saying that there's no leak, and on the other hand, they're claiming that they are investigating the allegations and the guilty won't be spared. How can they do this? If they're so sure that there's no leak then why are they even investigating it?" In an interview with the Indian Express, Additional Director General of

Police, Economic Offences Unit, Bihar N.H. Khan said, "We had asked a set of questions to the National Testing Agency, which organises NEET. Our team has just received answers. We may have some follow-up questions. We have been working on some contacts we have received in the course of our investigation, which is very much suggestive of a paper leak."

NEET was introduced to enhance the quality of medical education and resolve the issue of high capitation fees being charged by the private medical colleges. This was nothing but singing of siren song by the ruling classes parties. In the 2024, more than 24 lakh students sat for the NEET exam after paying the application fees ranging from RS 1000 to RS 1700. The testing agency (NTA) got a revenue of about RS 337 cross from the application charges alone. Moreover, each students spends few lakhs of rupees in private coaching institutes to prepare for the exam. NEET and other centralized tests conducted by NTA (National Testing Agency) promotes the interests of bigprivate coaching institutes, which are intrinsically tied with major Parliamentary parties, especially with the present ruling regime. After the introduction of NEET and other centralized competitive exams have lead to the proliferation of private coaching centers, like BYJUS. They charge lakh of rupees for a year by each students to get prepared for the exam. In this privatization of knowledge production, the students and their families are the worst victims. The youths of the country are living under the pressure of burgeoning scams in education sectors along with unemployment and widening

social and economic inequality in society.

In an article published in The Indian Express on July 9, 2024 it was aptly stated that "The initial eligibility for the qualification, 50 percentiles, was diluted to 30 percentiles in 2020 and further to zero percentile in 2023. The reason cited was that several seats are vacant in private medical colleges. However, after the 60, 000 seats in government medical colleges are filled up, people's paying capacity plays a big role in filling up the remaining 50,000 seats in private colleges. This makes the MBBS dream virtually unattainable for the students of the economically weak strata". Prof, Ayesha Kidwai of Linguistic in JNU has pointed out in her article in the daily newspaper The Hindu (July1, 2024) about the Nexus between the NTA, UGC and the Vicechancelors for the dilution of the autonomy of the higher education system just to proliferate the vicious grip of NTA over the central universities of the country.

Imperialist attack on the education

Corporatization the education sector is not a yesterday phenomenon. With the implementation of LPG policies, education sector was handed over to the corporate houses for their endless profiteering. This imperialist onslaught on the Indian education sector has reduced the aim of education for development of scientific temper to mere develop skills that meet the demands of the market. The structure of the syllabus has been entirely changed from the objectives like historical consciousness, scientific temper, thinking to "skills" such as

"teamwork, leadership and communication". These are required to make the workforce that will enter the market as and when the demand and supply movements are favourable.

NEP – imperialist and Brahmanic Hindutva domination on education

The New Education Policy works in this direction to create slavish and communal mentality among the youths. The New Education Policy (2020) is a living testimony of imperialist and brahmanical dominance over the Indian education system, commercialization of the education sector, in a highly unequal and discriminatory country like India, takes away the right to education, which has been formally recognized as the fundamental right by the Indian constitution for only children from 6 to 14 years of age, from the Oppressed classes and communities. The government schools and colleges of the country are in pathetic conditions. Right from the infrastructure of the institutes to the curriculum, everything is in mess here. Most of the government schools are lacking teachers.

RSS-BJP has contractualised the recruitment of teachers by implementing Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA). This policy also incorporates mechanism for the establishment of huge chain private and NGOs schools across the country. The NEP has proposed two parallel courses at the beginning of elementary level of schooling; one for the so-called "merit students" which paves the way to enter into higher education and another of the so-called "weak students" who are destined to become the required workforce for the global **Imperialist** capital.

dominance over the education has made it more exclusive than inclusive in nature. The dropout rates of children's belonging to Oppressed castes and communities have skyrocketed with the privatization of education sector. 90 percent of the students from the Oppressed classes and communities fail to cross class X level.

Education at higher-level is almost out of reach for the marginalized students. The massive increase in the cost of the education has strengthened the grip of finance capital over the Indian society. Students from the toiling classes are forced to take loans to pursue their higher education. Pro-imperialist policies of the Modi government ensures that this practice will continue in the education sector.

Saffronisation of education

The process of saffronization of the education system can be traced with the setting up of Bharatiya Shiksha Niti Aayog by the Modi's government in 2014. It started appointing leaders from RSS as policy makers and key administrators in the education institutions. UGC, NAAC, NCERT, ICHR were polluted with RSS member's whose sole target was to saffronise the knowledge in the name of "decolonizing" it. Academic freedom, the right to have different of opinions were curbed and at the same time pseudo scientific ideas and feudal values are propagated in the Universities of India. For example, there has been 60 percent increase in the investment for research projects for Cow urine benefits. At the same time, the BJP government has slashed 61 percent fund for the UGC in the budget of 2024. The rewriting of NCERT text books from the brahmanic

perspective is happening at a lightning speed. From Darwin's theory of evolution to social history of India have faced the attack of RSS. Exploitative system like Varna and caste have been justified in the fascist NCERT textbooks. What is happening is nothing but fascization of education. feudal values and pseduo-scientific ideas are glorified to create a fascist mindset right from the class VI onwards.

Modi, consider himself not biologically born but the source of his birth lies in some spiritual light. Earlier, he has made most laughable comments in the Indian Science Congress, when he stated that Shiva was the first surgeon of the world. We should not forget Modi has deficit knowledge of science but in the hall of the science Congress, where India's top scientists who cheered such unscientific statements of Narendra Modi. This is what fascism does. It makes our reasoning weak and slowing kills it. This attack on scientific thinking, which is an essentiality for scientific development, is also an attempt to hinder the productive forces from further developing, so that the current production relations remain the same.

Conclusion

The BJP government is continuously reducing the allocations of funds for the education sector. The allocations has been cut by 9,600 crore, decreasing from 57,244.48 crore in the revised estimate for 2023-24 to 47,619.77 crore for 2024-25, while the funding for UGC has been cut by over 60% from 6,409 crore to 2,500 crore. Today our country is having the highest number of educated unemployment in the world. The imperialist exploitation and loot

G7 - Assembly of Imperialist Warmongers And

Policy of Imperialist collusion and contention

"The nation-state, instead of exercising autonomy, eventually serves the capitalist class at a time when capital is highly globalized. Agreements, alliances between the capitalist states are constituted to implement the policies of the capitalist class. In the era of imperialism, such agreements and alliances have taken qualitative changes, directly encouraging politics of war. Without war and politics of war, imperialism cannot exist for a second. All agreements signed by the "democratic" state, in the name of democracy turn out to be a warmongering design. The recently concluded G7 summit in Italy is the latest example of warmongering design in the year 2024"



Introduction

In the past few weeks, the US led imperialist Bloc concluded several summits including G7 summits in a luxury resort in Apulia, Italy. The leaders of G7 other countries, and representing the class interests of corporates and finance capital, gathered to lay down policies to out the capitalistimperialist system from the crisis that it is facing since 2008. Thousands of workers and revolutionary forces gathered from 13-15 of June to protest against the imperialist Warmongers . With capitalism

entering the imperialist stage, war became one of the fundamental means for the capitalist class to establish hegemony over the world market, resources and cheap labour power. The elected governments or the military junta, have all expressed their unflinching loyalties to the capitalist class.

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of the country has made the conditions socio-economic severe. Whatever the employment that exist in India is in the informal sector which has no guarantee of jobs and dignified wages. Privatization of public sectors, contractualization of the labour force for the interest of big capital, have led to massive retrenchment of labour force and papuperization of the toiling masses.

The present NEET issue, NTA and other educational problems are related to the broader crisis of the capitalist-imperialist system. Saffronization of the

education is not solely an attack on the academic freedom but it to make the country economically more subservient to the imperialist forces. The dominance οf brahmanic ideology in the education will subvert all efforts to create independent technological development of the country and the Privatization of education leads to massive profits accumulation for the finance capital. This attack on students and academia needs to be countered through a united movement of the students, intellectuals, progressive and

democratic forces against imperialism and Brahmanic Hindutva Fascism. The students need to join hands with the peasantry and proletariat of the country against this increasing fascisation. The education system is built on the edifice of an exploiting system that serves the interest of monopoly capital. In this education system students are trained to be a cheap source of labour for the global finance capital. Only by abolishing this pathetic and moribund socioeconomic system, the students can achieve their dreams and aspirations.

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The G7 body derived from its earlier manifestation, comprising, US, Japan, UK, West Germany and France. This was formed to tackle on the one hand, the growing political and ideological consolidation of the Communist and left forces among the European working class. On the other hand, to formulate the policies that directly favor the interest of monopoly capital under the leadership of US imperialism. In 1986, Canada and Italy were included in G5 and it became G7 group.

The relative stability that capitalism enjoyed in the period of first world war is long dead and buried deep in the earth. The unevenness of development that characterizes capitalism has further intensified. There exist enormous differences in terms of wealth between the imperialist countries and the oppressed nations. There is unevenness in the political development under the capitalist-imperialist system. British empire on which "the sun never set", lost its position of superpower after the end of second world war. US is undergoing the same fate, which Britain had already tasted.

Policies of collusion and contention

The formation of G7 was designed to facilitate the dominance of US imperialism on strategic locations like "Middle East", Europe, Africa and Asia. Imperialist countries from

Europe that are part of G7, no longer were the super powers, as its economy and resources were greatly devastated in two world wars. They have totally become an appendage nation of US imperialism.

Together with US, the other G7 European countries are on the same boat, when it comes to escalation of proxy war with Russia, unconditional support to Zionist Israel, and tightening the noose around the China's neck. To safeguard the interests of the monopoly class of their countries through protectionists, sanctions and war policies were the key elements that were able to bring unity among the G7 countries. Ιt agreed unanimously, upon a 50 billion dollar deal to fund Ukraine through profits on frozen Russian's money. The communique declared "With a view to supporting Ukraine's current and future needs in the face of a prolonged defense against Russia, the G7 will launch extraordinary loans for Ukraine in order to make available approximately 50 billion dollars in additional funding to Ukraine by the end of the year."

Russia threatened the West with similar moves. Large amounts of western funds remain frozen in Russian banks. The European Union is pursuing its 11 package sanctions on Russia with full force. Recently, it sanctioned Belarus for supporting Russia. US has used unilateral sanctions on several countries in the interest of the US monopolist class. This fact is stated even by the Economist, the supinely pro-US magazine. It has reported that since 1990s, the US has increased its sanctions fourfold. The intention behind this sanction politics, mainly pursued by the imperialist bloc under the leadership of US, is to

"weaken its adversary and undermine his hegemony". Since 19th century, the conflicts among the imperialist countries and corporations surfaced to establish hegemony over the world market which was formed by "hunting down the black skin for commercial plunder" of resources.

Imperialism always thrives for creating Lebensraum, "living space for one great nation". It does this by coercing the oppressed countries through military and economic subjugation. We have seen plethora of leaders from oppressed countries been invited to the G7 summit. Among them was the Brahmanic Hindutva fascist leader, Narendra Modi who had just narrowly won the 18th Parliamentary election and failed to get absolute majority. He is the most valuable asset for the imperialist forces, mainly US imperialism. This is part of the policy of hegemonic dominance and control over the natural resources, which are fabulously found in "third world countries".

Struggle for "hegemony" by powers" the "great considered one of the essential features of imperialism by Lenin. This has redoubled in the multipolar world, where the contradiction among the imperialist powers has escalated. Politically, imperialism everywhere nestles reactionary and violent governments. It encourages militarism and fascism to foster its goals.

The discovery of rare Earth metals in Africa, Latin America and Asia has led to fresh "commercial plunder" of these continents by the imperialist forces. In India, the poster-child of imperialism, Modi is waging

an unjust war on the Indian people, particularly on the indigenous tribe in the revolutionary areas, in the name of "Operation Kaagar". Imperialism reorganizes itself to meet the threat of revolution.

At present, imperialism is reorganizing itself through corporatization-militarization policy. Operation Kagaar is the legitimate child of this policy. Thousands of protesters raised revolutionary slogans against fascist Modi and exposed the Kagaar genocidal war of RSS-BJP regime to the world. Addressing his masters from G7 countries, Modi spoke about collective effort to wipe out terrorism. This is nothing but begging for more help to crush the revolutionary movement and nationality struggles in India in the name of terrorism.

One of the significant developments in this summit was giving consensus to the Washington's growing belligerence towards China by France and Germany. The rise of China's hegemonic power is part of the contradiction among the imperialist countries. Once considered to be a strategic partner, China is a threatening adversary for the G7 monopoly capital. G7 countries came out with a common consensus to intensity trade and economic confrontations with China. US itself is turning its back on its own policy of One China, which was stated by the former president Nixon in his Shanghai communique in 1972. In 2023 alone, 107 large scale war games were conducted by US in and around South China Sea.

Both China and Russia have come forward with alternate payment system to counter the hegemonic dominance of dollar in the international trade. Russia is putting all efforts to develop non-dollar payment system. As

the contradictions of the imperialism are becoming more intense, the contention between the G7 countries and China is about to become more volatile and threatening for the entire human civilization.

Along with G7 summit, several defense meets were organized by the imperialist countries, with the aim to escalate their proxy war with Russia, intensification of war on Palestine and preparing for war with China. The G7 summit was followed by NATO's meet in the month of July. The goal of the NATO's July summit is to involve NATO directly in the war with Russia, taking command over the logistics and training to Ukrainian's army. Most of these are already being executed by NATO, since the war began two years ago. More or less, NATO is planning for a broader war with Russia. That will be nothing but a nuclear, World War III.

Just before the summit, the US president Joe Biden gave green signal to Ukraine to use US missiles on Russian soil, which has gathered support from France, UK and Germany. The New York Times. the mouthpiece of the capitalist class remarked that Biden was the first president to authorize missile strike on a nuclear powered country. During the cold war period with Soviet Russia, US on several occasions threatened to wipe out Soviet Russia by attacking it with nuclear bombs. However, it was a threat to the oppressed countries that were rising against US Imperialism and colonialism.

From the very start, NATO has been a nuclear military alliance. In its 18th Brussels summit, NATO criticized the treaty for prohibition of nuclear weapons. On the contrary, NATO is

replacing its aging B-61-3 and B-61-4 warheads, converting it into the upgrade B61-12 model. "The time has come for allies to consider whether they should lift some of the restrictions they have put on the use of weapons they have donated to Ukraine," Stoltenberg told The Economist.

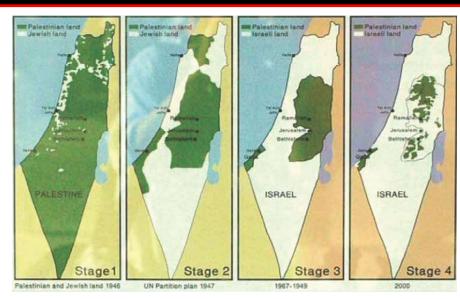
By proxy war with Russia, America is trying to strengthen its grip over Europe, and to achieve this NATO has been a formidable weapon in the hands of US. Europe's belief in NATO and security mechanism for Europe, is a distorted belief. As long as NATO exists, there is no security to Europe. It threatens the working classes with massive militarization of their countries, and most of the country's revenues are diverted for the production of sophisticated killer machines. NATO is not only a military body but it also plays political and economic role. It has militarily intervened in several countries to topple governments that were elected by all the rules of "democracy". It has fiercely advocated neoliberal policies under the barrel of gun. US imperialism, with more than 750 plus military bases around the world is the master of the house.

That economic expansion eventually leads to military expansion, is a well-known dictum to the students of history. Today we have a different scenario, economic competition inevitably leads to military expansion. This is what is happening right in front of our eyes. "To attain its aim of plunder and oppression, imperialism always has two tactics: the tactics of war and the tactics of "peace"; therefore, the proletariat and the people of all countries must also use two tactics to deal with imperialism:

Resistance to Imperialism Alone Will save Palestine

Neelima

Several organisations are engaged in providing aid to Gaza. Many activities are going on against the war. These need to grow into a larger perspective of struggle against imperialism. The proletariat, the oppressed people and oppressed nationalities of the world must further unite, enhance their resistance against imperialism and fight to root it out. A strong and effective resistance of the people of the world alone will save Gaza.



War is looming in West Asia. Gaza continues to bleed. Smoke does not cease. Demolitions continue. Searching for dead bodies and if not found, the body parts of their kith and kin have become a routine feature for the people in Gaza. Every day there are new orphans, widows, widowers, injured and the desolate. Israel was established on the corpses of the

Palestinians. It is being reestablished on the corpses of the Palestinians. While many of the present generation read history that the United States, Australia and Israel came into being by carrying genocides of indigenous tribes and nationalities, the genocide of Palestinians is the ongoing. All of us are witnessing the genocide mainly targeting children and women, with the

the tactics of exposing imperialism's peace fraud and striving energetically for a genuine world peace, and the tactics of being prepared to use a just war to end the imperialist unjust war if and when imperialism should unleash it." Imperialist and reactionary countries are strengthening military-bureaucratic machine of repression.

Conclusion

The rise of neo-fascists parties in France, Italy and Germany are the sign of weakening of social democratic parties and lack of strong Communist movements in these

countries. At the same time, it is the crisis of the finance capital that requires the brute force of fascist regime to overcome the crisis. Reactionary forces have gained upper hand in the history of class struggle only to give rise to a new wave of revolutionary movements. Today the world is facing two aspects of political struggles: struggle for peace and struggle for socialism.

Commenting on the defeat of 1848 revolution, Engels opines in Germany: Revolution and Counter-Revolution: "A more signal defeat undergone by the continental revolutionary party—or rather parties—upon

all points of the line of battle, cannot be imagined. But what of that?... Everyone knows nowadays that wherever there is a revolutionary convulsion, there must be some social want in the background, which is prevented, by outward institutions, from satisfying itself.... If, then, we have been beaten, we have nothing else to do but to begin again from the beginning".

Sooner or later, all unjust wars are destined to face their Waterloos.





clear aim to wipe out the race. This war is showing impact in many ways on all parts of the world.

More than 50,000 have been killed amounting to 10 percent and above 85,000 were injured in Gaza. Few international organisations put the number of deaths near to 1 lakh with unfound bodies under the rubbles of bombed buildings. Facts are yet to be cleared. Palestinians are facing inhuman tortures in Israeli camps. According to the Euro-Med Human Rights Monitor, Israel dropped more than 70,000 tons of explosives on the Gaza strip. Israel occupied 32 percent of the Gazan land. 9 out of 10 children in Gaza lack food for survival, according to the UNICEF. Doctors, nurses and Para-medical staff are dying. There are targeted attacks on schools and hospitals that clearly aim at killing children and the injured being treated. 153 Palestinian journalists were killed during the war. Nineteen lakh people of Gaza were displaced due to the war. Nearly 2 lakh people were displaced from Khan Younis alone. The United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees stated that cleaning of the 4 crore tons of rubble in Gaza would take 15 years and that it might contain unexploded harmful material. The removal of this garbage would cost more than 50 crore dollars and require more than 100 trucks.

People want this war to stop. But this is going on increasing with the US allotting more and more money and weapons to Israel. In the recent past, leaders of Hamas were targeted. The main leader Ismail Haniyeh was shot dead with a missile in Tehran when he went to the

swearing in ceremony of the new President of Iran. Earlier Mohammad Dief, a leader of the Brigades, the military wing of Hamas was targeted in Gaza. He escaped but 90 people died in the attack. A commander of Hezbollah was killed in Lebanon and a commander of the IRGC in Iran apart from a few other commanders of these groups.

In an important development, The International Court of Justice said last week that Israel can no longer occupy power in Gaza, the West Bank and East Jerusalem, noting that its further presence in these areas is unlawful.

The Houthis of Yemen are with the Palestinians. Iran feels instigated. Lebanon feels prompted. These countries have support from Qatar, Egypt and other neighbouring countries. Most of the West Asian countries are increasingly against the western powers. On the other hand, NATO continues its activities of expansion. Russia-Ukraine war is on. Contradictions between US-China are on the rise regarding not only Taiwan but in the South China sea. The

present situation makes clear that the imperialists want another World War. The situation in West Asia is ready to explode and, in all probability, extend to other parts of the world. The ongoing developments indicate so. Israel made above 17,000

attacks in West Asia since October 7th in five countries including the Palestinian territory, Lebanon, Syria, Yemen and Iran according to the Armed Conflict Location and Event Data Project.

The internal situation in Israel is growing against the war not only from the people but also from military and government officials. Families of Israeli people held hostage are increasingly concerned about their where abouts. The Israeli soldiers deployed for fighting in Gaza are growingly demoralised with the deaths and injuries. Many Israelis are leaving the country. There is an increasing gap between the government and the Israeli Defence Forces (IDF). IDF spokesperson stated, "Hamas is an idea, Hamas is a political party. It is rooted in the hearts of people - whoever thinks we can eliminate Hamas mistaken". The Israeli government spokesperson condemned this statement. "The Israeli Army does not have the ability to win this war against Hamas, and certainly not against Hezbollah" said Israeli Army Reserve Major General in an interview with the Israeli newspaper. Meanwhile Israel is militarising its civilians. It gave guns to 18,000 Israeli women, mainly in the West Bank.

Thirty Israeli Generals of the General Staff Forum that includes Chief of Staff and commanders of the army, air





military force, navy and intelligence told the government that they want a ceasefire, even if it keeps Hamas in power. This was in view of the probable war conditions with Hezbollah of Lebanon, which, they think is not affordable with the present ongoing war. Six very prominent Israelis issued a statement on June 26th – 'We are Israelis calling on Congress to disinvite Netanyahu'. The blood sucker Benjamin Netanyahu addressed the US Congress amidst large protests in front of the White House.

In the US too, there are internal rifts. Top US State Department official for Israel-Palestine affairs resigned for 'family reasons'. In fact, this is one of the series of drop outs from the administration since the war began. Senior officials of US administration have been vocal against US support to Israel's war on Palestine and a few resigned from their posts.

While pressure and attempts are mounting for a ceasefire between Israel and Palestine, there is a polarisation going on among the countries of the world. Canada, an ally of the US stated its decision to list Iran Revolutionary Guards Corps (IRGC) as terrorists. The biennial Rim of the Pacific (RIMPAC), the world's largest international maritime exercise was held with around 29 countries around the world, 40 surface ships, 3 submarines, 14 national land

forces, over 150 aircraft and more than 25,000 personnel from June 26th to August 2nd. This shows the attempts of the NATO to expand and strengthen. Germany, a part of NATO imposed a fine of 600 Euros on a woman for giving the slogan, 'From the river to the sea, Palestine will be

free' during a protest last year. It also banned a Muslim group for 'extremism' and ties to Iran and Hezbollah.

The US is not only increasing its financial aid to Ukraine and Israel but is also intensifying its weapons programs. The Pentagon is carrying out a massive plan that would continue for years to build a new generation of nuclear-armed missiles, bombers and submarines. On the other hand China hosted a historic unity meeting of 14 Palestinian political parties on July 23rd. This is in continuation of China's attempts to gain hold in West Asia. The US and UK carried out six air strikes on Yemen. There was rocket attack on the Ain al-Assad airbase of the US in Iraq in which 5 US personnel were injured in the first week of August. Iran is suspected for the attack in the background of Haniyeh's assassination and the following statement that US is responsible for it. US sent additional military forces to West Asia in anticipation of retaliatory attacks.

On the other side, Spain, Norway and Ireland recognised Palestine. France banned Israeli companies from weapons exhibition in the Eurosatory 2024 fair. Turkey, a member of NATO is seen growing more critical on Israel. It cut trade worth 7 billion dollars with Israel. It submitted its declaration to join the South Africa's genocide case against

Israel at the International Court of Justice. A Scottish human rights campaigner said 'apartheid Israel must be completely dismantled as an entity'. Maldives is planning to impose a ban on Israeli tourists.

What is going to happen next is the question that concerns the world. The ongoing genocide in Palestine not only affects it but the entire world. A war on a wider scale will destroy the countries of the area and a World War, if it occurs, the whole earth. Several organisations engaged in providing aid to Gaza. Many activities are going on against the war. These need to grow into a larger struggle against imperialism. proletariat, the oppressed people and oppressed nationalities of the world must further unite, enhance their resistance against imperialism and fight to root it out. A strong and effective resistance of the people of the world alone will save Palestine.

The ICSPWI issued a new joint declaration for Palestine. It is collecting signatures from Europe, Asia, Latin America, US, Australia, China etc. -

"We call all parties and organisations for supporting and signature the deadline for signature is 31 August.

The final text will issue 1th september and this JD will launch an international week of action for 7th October (7-13 October).



A LETTER FROM US PHYSICIANS, SURGEONS AND NURSES

Forty-five US physicians, surgeons and nurses who volunteered in Gaza since October 7th wrote a letter to the President and Vice-President of the US. Excerpts of the letter –

"...With only marginal exceptions, everyone in Gaza is sick, injured or both. This includes every national aid worker, every international volunteer and probably every Israeli hostage, every man, woman and child. While working in Gaza we saw widespread malnutrition in our patients and our Palestinian healthcare colleagues. Every one of us lost weight rapidly in Gaza despite having privileged access to food and having taken our own supplementary nutrient-dense food with us. We have photographic evidence of life-threatening malnutrition in our patients, especially children, that we are eager to share with you.

"Virtually every child under the age of five whom we encountered, both inside and outside of the hospital, had both a cough and watery diarrhoea. We found



cases of jaundice (indicating hepatitis A infection under such conditions) in virtually every room of the hospitals in which we served, and in many of our healthcare colleagues in Gaza. An astonishingly high percentage of our surgical incisions became infected from the combination of malnutrition, impossible operating conditions and lack of supplies and medications, including antibiotics. The pregnant women we treated often gave birth to underweight infants, and they were unable to breastfeed due to malnutrition. This left their new borns at high risk of death given the lack of access to potable water anywhere in Gaza. Many of those infants died. In Gaza we watched malnourished new mothers feed their underweight new borns infant formula made with poisonous water. We can never forget that the world abandoned these innocent women and babies.

- "...Israel's continued, repeated displacement of the malnourished and sick population of Gaza, half of whom are children, to areas with no running water or even toilets available is absolutely shocking...we worry that unknown thousands have already died from the lethal combination of malnutrition and disease and that tens of thousands will die in the coming months. Most of them will be young children...
- "...the death toll from this conflict is many times higher than what is reported by the Gaza Ministry of Health. We also believe this is probative evidence of widespread violations of American laws governing the use of American weapons abroad and of International Humanitarian Law...".





We give here few reports of struggle and resistance from the areas of revolutionary movement -

One-Day Bandh in Kolhan district of Jharkhand Against Operation Kagaar and Operation Clean

The Communist Party of India (Maoist) successfully observed one-day bandh in Kolhan district of Jharkhand. The bandh was in response to the fascist onslaught unleashed on the indigenous people of India in the Central and Eastern India by the Brahmanic Hindutva Fascist RSS-BJP government. According to the press statement issued by the spokesperson Comrade Ashok of CPI (Maoist) Southern Zonal Committee of Bihar-Jharkhand Special Area Committee, the bandh was "in response to ongoing police and para-military operations in the forest areas of Podahat, Kolhan, and Saranda". The statement further stated that due to intensive counterinsurgency operations like Operation Kagaar and Operation clean, there have been heavy loss to people's life and properties, especially in areas such as Lovad and Lipunga. The full cooperation and support of the people in the region made the bandh a great success.

4 brave Red-fighters of CPI (Maoist) were martyred in West Singhbhum District of Jharkhand

In the early hours of 17 June, 2024, huge number of security forces encircled the Tonto and Goilkera area. PLGA guerillas fought heroically with the security forces who were in thousands lashed with modern sophisticated weapons and bombs. In this encounter, one zonal commander, one-sub zonal commander, one area commander and one Party member of CPI(Maoist) lost their lives. After this encounter, the police forces intensified their repression in the nearby villages, leading to innumerable sufferings of the indigenous people of the region.

PLGA carries out counter-offense on the security forces

Under the leadership of the Party the PLGA red fighters carried out few counter-offensive actions, coupled with high repression under Operation Kagaar. On 2024 June 23 the PLGA forces eliminated 2 security personnel from the elite CoBRA 201st unit in an IED blast near Timmapuram village between Silger and Tekalgudem police camps in

South Bastar. In the month of July, the PLGA guerillas executed well-planned and coordinated ambushes on the enemy forces by surprise in many places. In the first week of July PLGA made an ambush on the C-60 Commandos in Bhamragarh tehsil in which two of the Commandos were injured. On the night of 17th July, 2024, when the forest of DK was covered with darkness, the PLGA guerillas took the advantage of time and concrete information of the movements of the security forces, attacked with pipe bomb on the security forces while they were returning from anti-Maoist operations in the forests of Bijapur-Sukma-Dantewada districts. This ambush took place in the Tarrem area. Two security personnel from the Special-Task Force (STF) were wiped out and four other security personnel suffered serious injuries. These retaliatory actions against the armed forces who are taking up combings in the guerrilla zone raised the morale of the PLGA cadres and the revolutionary masses.

PLGA cadre in Kerala protests against inhuman treatment in the dungeons of the Indian state

In a left-wing Party ruled state of Kerala, one CPI (Maoist) cadre Soman protested and raised his voice against the inhuman treatment inflicted on him by the Jail authorities. Janakeeya Manushyavakasa Prasthanam (JMP), a human rights organization, has informed the press that Soman, who was arrested by the Anti-Terror Squad of Kerala police in the end of July, 2024, was on a hunger strike inside the high security prison in Thrissur. In a press statement, JMP said that "Soman's protest is against police torture, including the action of forcing him to remain naked in his prison cell". This is totally against the prison manuals and goes against the fundamental rights of an individual. The issue does not only end over here. When his health deteriorated, Soman was admitted to the Thrissur Medical College, where he was not allowed to undergo proper treatment. His lawyer was barred by the police personnel to see him, even though she was having the court permission, stated JMP.

Political prisoners of Chhattisgarh achieve demands

The political prisoners of Jagadalpur prison of Chhattisgarh, the state known for inhuman prison conditions took up hunger strike. Their demands for interviews as per rule, better and separate kitchen, putting a stop to checking the prisoners

and their belongings and other such were met, with the non-compromising struggle of the prisoners.

Police fight Police in Jharkhand

In month of July this year, the world witnessed a spectacular event in the mineral-rich state of Jharkhand. For more than 17 days, there was a volatile atmosphere due to the contractualization of the government police jobs in the state. The Home-guards were demanding permanent jobs in the police department and better working conditions. This illustrates the chronic economic crisis prevailing in the country, from which police department is not immune. The Home-guards were severely beaten by the police force, when the former decided to march to Chief Minister's residence. At present the movement has been compromised due to lack of proper organized leadership and organization. But the issues are intact.

Jammu - Kashmir

In Jammu-Kashmir, there are frequent incidents of battles between the nationality liberation armed activists and the Indian Army. On July 6th, two Indian Army personnel and four suspected rebels were killed in two separate gunfights in Kulgam district. On the same day one Indian soldier was killed and another wounded after the army said it foiled an infiltration bid in Kupwara in the north, a district along the Line of Control (LoC), the de facto border dividing India and Pakistan.

On July 8, militants ambushed an army vehicle in which five soldiers were killed in Kathua, a district in Jammu.

On the whole 7 incidents were recorded this year until now. This apart, 16 Indian soldiers and policemen were killed in different attacks in the Indian-administered Kashmir this year.

Encounters apart, there are physical clashes between the Village Defence Committees organised and armed by the government and the militants.

Assam

Assam, one of the North Eastern states is disturbed with recent incidents of clashes between communities. The government deployed police to tackle the issue. As a part of it three Hmar men picked up from their homes in Cachar district of Assam in the end of July did not return. The police reported that they opened fire and they countered and that all the three died in the firing. However, the families of the three say they were

killed by the police. While the police say they are involved in 'terrorist' activities, their families deny it. There are videos that show they were apprehended by the police from an autorickshaw on the road. The family members also told the media that the bodies were with bulletproof jackets and helmets at the Silchar Medical College mortuary. They also say the hands of the three men were tied and they were taken to a forest where the encounter was staged.

Bills passed and introduced in the Monsoon session of the Parliament-2024

- The Waqf Amendment Bill, 2024 has been referred to joint Parliamentary committee after the parliamentary opposition parties opposed the bill. Through this bill, the Hindutva forces wants to curtail the religious rights of the Muslim community. The bill gives absolute power to the District collector to manage the Waqf properties mosques, darga and allows a non-Muslim to be a member of the Waqf board. This is an age-old tactics of the ruling classes to create a rift among the people in the name of religion.
- The Lower House passed the Demands for Grants as well as the Appropriation (No. 2) Bill 2024, which authorised the Government of India to use certain sums out of the Consolidated Fund of India for the expenditures of the financial year 2024-25.
- The Lower House of the Parliament passed the Financial Bill 2024 with a voice vote. The NDA government has come under heavy criticism from the opposition parties and democratic organizations for doing nothing for the toiling masses. The parliamentary opposition parties staged a walk out from the Lok Sabha as a sign of protest against the 18 percent GST (Goods and Services Tax) on health and life insurance premiums.
- The Railways (Amendment) Bill, 2024 was introduced in the Lok Sabha by the Union Railway Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw in order to give statutory powers to Railway Board. This is purely a cosmetic cover being given to the Indian Railways, which is facing severe funds, man-power, infrastructures and safety-measures due to the privatization of the railways.

'Operation Kagaar' continues

'Operation Kagaar', the counter revolutionary, strategic offensive launched by the Indian state on the Indian Revolutionary Movement under the leadership of the CPI (Maoist) is continuing with all possible cruelty, viciousness and heinousness. Blatantly proved to be fascist the Brahmanic Hindutva state is into all means of repression on the oppressed classes and sections of the country. In Jharkhand, the operation was named 'Operation Clean'.

The Central Home Minister Amit Shah visited the state of Chhattisgarh in the last week of August. After a meeting with the government and police officials of the state, he stated that they will wipe out the Maoists by 2026 March. This shows the intense need of the government to remove any obstacle in its way of facilitating exploitation and oppression on the people. While the multifaceted operation is specifically being unleashed in the areas of the revolutionary movement, similar situation exists all over the country in regard to the oppressed classes, sections and oppressed nationalities.

In continuation to the report of 'Operation Kagaar' and the protests to it in the earlier issue of 'People's March' (2024 May, Pgs. 30-33), we give here the later incidents and the protests in the country and outside, especially in the campaign taken up by the ICSPWI from July 1st.

On 10th May, the people of Pidiya and Itavar of Bijapur district were plucking tendu leaves, one of their sources of income as usual. They suddenly started hearing gun shots. As they were trying to understand what was happening, they saw personnel of armed forces coming from all sides. They started running helter-skelter when police fired upon them. Twelve of them died, of which two were newly recruited cadres of PLGA. The incident invited heavy protests from the people and the tribal organisations and also equal criticism from the opposition Congress party of

the state of Chhattisgarh. The party went ahead and held a fact finding into the incident. The police tried to stop them on their way at many places. The party made an issue of the incident and demanded investigation into the incident. The Sarv Adivasi Samaj, a tribal organisation observed bandh on the 28th in protest to the incident. It demanded investigation into it. The Bastar Chamber of Commerce extended support to the bandh. All business establishments were closed for half a day. The Chhattisgarh Bachao Andolan, an umbrella organisation of several tribal ones condemned the incident and demanded and demanded a judicial probe into it.

This is the statement of the Forum Against Corporatisation and Militarisation (FACAM) regarding an incident in a village on the banks of river Indravathi. It gives the details of the incident and also the nature of the ongoing operation – "On 12th May 2024, two children, Laxman and Boti Oyam from Gurga village, Bijapur district were unfortunately killed in an explosion after they unknowingly triggered an unexploded mortar shell buried in the soil. The mortar shell was left in the spot after the Indian state's paramilitary carried out heavy mortar shelling in the forests dangerously close to the villages. The explosion happened near forests of Odspara village, Bijapur district on the banks of Indravati river where the children, along with other adults from their village had gone to gather tendu leaves. While they were gathering the leaves, the children were throwing rocks around, one of which hit the mortar shell and triggered the explosion. 20 children were present in the area, out of whom two were killed. The deaths of these children highlight the grim day-to-day reality of turning the larger Bastar area into a warzone in the name of countering Maoism. The villagers had anticipated this and had already requested the police to remove such unexploded mortar shells multiple times".



In Gadchiroli district of Maharashtra, three cadres of the Party including one Divisional Committee cadre and two woman comrades were killed in an attack of the armed forces in front of the villagers on May 13th. They were working among the people of Perimili area of South Gadchiroli division. On receiving information, the armed forces surrounded the out house where the cadres took

shelter. They called out to surrender which they did not.

On the same day in another incident in Odsapara village on the banks of river Indravathi of Bijapur district of Chhattisgarh, a village woman Raje Oyam was shot dead by the patrolling armed forces inside her house.

On the 18th, a villager Dudi Unga was killed in a fake encounter in Polampalli of Sukma district.

On the 23rd of May 7 PLGA comrades out of which one was of PPC rank were killed in Porro Padko of Indravathi area in Maad division. The cadres were running a training session for teachers in the schools of the Revolutionary People's Committee. The police surrounded the premises and opened fire. The villagers also were chased by the police. Above 30 of them were arrested.

On the 25th the President of Area RPC of Gangalur of West Bastar Comrade Neela and another ACM Comrade Vijje, president of DAKMS were caught unarmed in Kamka village, tortured and killed. Two more woman comrades were arrested.

Two Maoists were killed in Bijapur and one in Sukma districts on 26th of May. The party committee of the area gave a call to observe bandh in protest to the ongoing operations of the armed forces.

Two members of the Party, a senior woman comrade of the Madded Area Committee (AC) and a member of the village party committee were killed in a

fake encounter in the South of Bastar on 28th May. The police were informed about the whereabouts of the squad and encircled them. Six others including a member of the same AC were caught.

Seven PLGA comrades including two PPC members of Company – 6 were killed in an encirclement attack in Geobbels village of Narayanpur district on June 7th. There was an exchange of fire for several hours in the day in which 3 police men were injured.

On the 15th of June an armed squad of 8 members of PLGA was surrounded in the forest of Duruveda-Farasveda villages of Maad by the evening. Firing started early in the morning in which all the 8 members were killed. Two of them are of PPC rank and the rest members of PLGA. The Maad Divisional released Committee statement that the 8 comrades heroically resisted the police encirclement until the last bullet and laid down their lives. One police man was wiped out in the firing as per the statement released the bν police department.

On 25th June Comrade Arun Mandavi was killed in a fake encounter in Dhamtari district.

The police went on patrol of the Maad forest area on 2nd July and fired on the people knowingly. The IG of Bastar later came out with a statement that the dead Maoists were of the protection squad Company – 1 of PLGA of the Central Committee.

But the fact is different. The people of Gammidi village went to the district headquarters Narayanpur to get the bodies of their kith and kin. They told the government and police officials and the

journalists who approached them that four of the killed in police firing were from their village. One was a member of PLGA. Like in the ongoing incidents, the police surrounded few villages including Gammidi and killed the villagers, one working in his 'penda' (hill slope cultivated land), one on his way to another village to alert his relatives, one while running and another when he climbed a tree on seeing the armed forces.

On the 9th of July there was an attack on Beenagunda forest of the North Bastar in which Platoon Party Committee Member Comrade Reeta of Company-5 was martyred.

In Maharashtra, 3 units of the Special C-60 Commando force moved on information about armed squads in Vandoli village of Etapalli tehsil in Gadchiroli district in the second week of July. On the 17th, the squads were encircled and a heavy exchange of fire took place. After above 6 hours, 12 PLGA comrades were killed. One Sub-Inspector and a police man were injured according to the press statement of the district Superintendent of Police. All the martyred are cadres of North Gadchiroli division. One is a member of the Divisional Committee rank, 6 of AC/PPC rank and the rest members of Party/PLGA. Eleven weapons also were seized.

Sukki Punem, a member of the Gangulur Area Committee of West Bastar division was caught unarmed and killed in a cold blooded encounter near Purangel-Iralgudem villages of

Bijapur district on July 18th. The Division Committee informed in a statement that Sukki





was suffering from ill health and undergoing treatment. She did not hold any weapon at the time.

A member of PPC of Platoon – 2 working in the National Park area of the same division was killed on the 19th, in the forest area of Ilvidi-Chemaldoddi villages bordering Telangana. The Telangana Greyhounds and District Reserve Guard (DRG) of Chhattisgarh took up joint operation in the area.

On the 20th Comrade Sodi Narsa and Militia Commander Kanna were encountered in Tumirigutta and Singavaram forest of Jegurugonda area in South Bastar.

On August 11th Militia Platoon Commander lost his life in Dantewada district in a police attack.

The martyred comrades in the fake encounters include members of Area Committee, Platoon Party Committee, Village Party Committee, members of the Party and PLGA and revolutionary people. The police are taking up continuous patrols in the villages to terrorise the people. People increasingly becoming hesitant to take up agricultural activities and collection of forest produce. The people are beat, arrested and harassed and women sexually assaulted.

Illegal arrests and adductions in the fascist RSS-BJP ruled state of Chattisgarh

In the mineral-rich state of Chattisgarh, extra-judicial killings and adductions by the security forces are happening at rampant speed due to the militarization and corporatization policy of the Indian ruling classes. On June 8, 2024 just one day after the general election results were declared, the security abducted three activists of Moolwasi Bachao Manch. Sodi Bhima of

Jabbagatta village in Bijapur district, Madkam Joshan of Gudraguda village in Sukma district, and Madkam Joga of Gomaguda village from Bijapur were abducted by the police personnel from Polampalli in the Dantewada district. Following this, on June 13th, Krishna Kumar Kadti

was arrested from the Dornapal police station in Sukma district. These indigenous activists were picked up by the police force, when they were trying to meet administrative authorities in order to hold an event in remembrance of the Silger genocide. In 2021, the police opened indiscriminate firings on the adivasi people protesting against the opening of a police camp in Silger.

The PLGA is retaliating the operation in guerilla actions at varied levels. On the 19th PLGA shelled on a new police camp in Irukubatti in Maad area of Narayanpur district. In an incident in South Bastar in July, two COBRA (Combat Battalion for Resolute Action), the jungle warfare unit of the Para-military CRPF were wiped out and four other personnel of various forces were injured in an ambush. One personnel of Bastar fighter of Nelangur was caught and wiped out by PLGA on the 14th of June. The concerned Party Committee stated him to be one of the informants who lead to the Duruveda-Farasveda encounter. On 16th June one informant of Maspur village in Maad were wiped out by PLGA for his antipeople activities.

The Party Committees of the various Divisions have been giving and observing calls for bandh on incidents at the respective places. On May 30th the Gadchiroli division observed Day of Condolence in memory of the Kakur-Tekametta martyrs. It



was followed by bandh calls in June and July in South and West Bastar divisions.

"Neeyad nella naar"

"Neeyad nella naar" meaning 'Ours is a good village' is a program brought forth by the Chhattisgarh government in Bastar as a part of Operation Kagaar. This is in continuation to the earlier 'lone varatu' meaning come home and other such programs. The present one is 'friendly policing'. The state government announced that in this program taken up as per the second phase of the Prime Minsister Ujwala Yojana, basic facilities will be taken up in the villages in the radius of 5 kilometers of a police camp. The families of these villages will be given gas cylinder for cooking, rice, grams, salt, jaggery or sugar, ration card, irrigation pumps free of cost. They will be also given free electricity, water, community building, anganwadi and other facilities. Roads will be laid in these villages and a primary health centre, primary school, play-ground, bank, ATM, mobile tower, helipad and other such will be provided. The program launched with a proposed cost of Rs. 20 crores will be supervised by the District Collector (the top official of district administration).



The Protests to 'Operation Kagaar' On the rise

Protests to the counter revolutionary strategic offensive Operation Kagaar are on the rise inside and outside the country. Maoist parties, organisations and other revolutionar organisations and individuals extended solidarity to the Indian Revolutionary Movement and the revolutionary people of the country. This is a report of the protests available up till now.

The International Committee to Support People's War in India (ICSPWI) took the initiative to start a campaign on July 1st in protest to Operation Kagaar. It gave a call – 'World Against Kagaar' -

"While the genocide is perpetrated against the Palestinian people by the Zionists of the Israeli government, the Yankee imperialists and various states that call themselves "democratic", in India, the largest "democracy in the world", the friend of Netanyahu and the Zionists, the Prime Minister Modi, continues his genocidal strategy against the Adivasis and the revolutionary movement, this time with the called Operation Kaagar..."

"...We cannot remain impassive in the face of this new fascist attempt by the Indian government to eliminate the only alternative to this system of exploitation and oppression of the people. Therefore, as ICSPWI, we call on all the revolutionary individuals and organizations, political activists and revolutionary masses to struggle and resist the crimes of the reactionary Indian State and expose these crimes.

"For this 1st of July, we launch a call to carry out actions at embassies, consulates and other institutions and interests of India in the world, according to the national and local conditions in each country, to be a fist of unity of internationalist solidarity which hits with determination the fascist and genocidal regime of Modi and the new genocidal operation Kahaar, to show, with our fists unconditional raised, our support for the people's masses of India, for the glorious people's war and the party that leads it, as an inseparable part of the World Proletarian Revolution".

As per the call it took up programs in various countries. In Finland, graffiti were put up in the cities of Vantaa and Tampere demanding a stop to Operation Kagaar. In Turkey, propaganda activities were taken up. In Istanbul and Izmir banners have been hung denouncing the repression by the old Indian State. On Friday 12th of July, Partizan organized along with Die Rote Fahne, a rally before the Indian consulate in Vienna, Austria.

Partizan has also called for a rally in Innsbruck along with Class Theory and Antifa Innsbruck. In Bern, Switzerland, Partizan and AGEB organized a rally against "Operation Kagaar". MLKP and SYKP joined the mobilization.

In Frankfurt, Germany, Partizan organized a rally before the Indian consulate and held a rally. Roter Bund supported the program. There were speeches in German and Turkish and leaflets in German were distributed.

In Strasbourg, France, Partizan and the Ligue de la Jeunesse révolutionnaire (LJR) carried out a solidarity action before the Council of Europe, against the "Operation Kagaar".

In Ishøj, Denmark, a graffito close to the city center in support to the People's Struggle in India and against "Operation Kagaar" has been done.

TKP-ML said in a statement -"...Hostility to the Indian People's War is undoubtedly hostility to the people's struggle for liberation. The people's anger, hatred and rebellion against imperialism, feudalism and the rampant exploitation of the comprador-bureaucrat bourgeoisie will be an invincible force when united under the leadership of the CPI (Maoist). This is what scares Indian reaction. The Indian People's War is being tried to be destroyed because it has the power and ability to make the rebellious spirit of the Indian people's struggle...".

"Today, showing the strongest solidarity with the liberation struggle of the Indian people and the Indian People's War, which is being tried to be destroyed, means embracing the spirit of proletarian internationalism..."

"...We call on all our forces, progressives and revolutionaries, democratic movements, anti-imperialist and anti-fascist forces, all sensitive segments, to consider the period between 7 and 15 July as a week of action and struggle against the Kagaar Operation of the murderous Indian reaction, to take action and to show

solidarity with the Indian People's War for one month.

The Communist Party of Philippines observed solidarity in the context of the operation. It released posters. It stated -"The Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Philippines recently proclaimed June 20 to July 20 as a month of solidarity for the Indian people's struggle, particularly the Adivasi masses' fight against Operation Kagaar. In line with this, the PRWC is dedicating a page to compile all related articles, statements and documents on the struggle of the Indian people...".

"...In the face of fascist suppression, the struggle of the Indian people and the Filipino people continues. Both of them exemplify courage in fighting terrorism and oppression, even when it is fraught with difficulties and sacrifice. Although thousands of miles apart, the struggle of the Indian masses and the Filipino masses serves as an inspiration to one other..."

The Central Committee of People's Democratic Student Unity (PDSU) from Bangladesh expressed its solidarity with Indian oppressed people and Maoist movement - "...The expansionist India and its government are the adversaries to the liberation of the people of South Asia, including Bangladesh. Hence, it is necessary to stand united with the Indian people in this struggle... it calls for a united democratic struggle against imperialism, feudalism, and expansionism in South Asia".

In Chittagong, Bangladesh, the Revolutionary Student-Youth Movement (RSYM) has put up posters demanding the end of the genocide and of the "Operation Kagaar". It issued a statement against this operation, saluting the revolutionaries all over the world who have taken position against "Operation Kagaar" and calling the people in Bangladesh and abroad to join the struggle.

The Coordinating Committee of the Anti-Imperialist League (AIL) gave a statement with a call to oppose Operation Kagaar and defend the People's War in the leadership of the CPI (Maoist) and the resistance of the indigenous people. The statement said —

"...As the Coordination of the Committee Anti-Imperialist League, we call upon all anti-imperialists of the world to protest against Operation Kagaar of the reactionary Indian State and to show solidarity with the indigenous peoples and the CPI (Maoist) who are being subjected to these attacks. The reactionary Indian State is continuing its anti-people operations against the poor peoples of India with the aggression created by the failed attempt to put an end to the People's War of the CPI (Maoist)...

"Despite the brutal terror and manipulation they attempting, the Indian reaction and their imperialist masters can neither legitimize their massacres and aggression nor prevent the development of the CPI(Maoist) People's War. The cadres of the CPI (Maoist), the militants, the guerrillas of the PLGA and the indigenous peoples of India are struggling these counteragainst terrorist revolutionary operations, even if they lose their lives in the process. All the anti-imperialist forces of the world must join this struggle and show solidarity with the CPI (Maoist) People's War".

The Revolutionary Front for the Defense of the Rights of the People – Brazil (FRDDP) of Brazil took up a program against the killing of 29 people in Aapatola-Kalpar of Kanker district of Chhattisgarh on 2024 April 16th. Its stated, "FRDDP calls for a campaign in solidarity with the PLGA fighters killed by the old Indian state. The campaign joins call made by International Communist League (ICL) in solidarity with the Communist Party of India (Maoist)".

The Red Sun of Mexico's statement – "We, Current of the People Red Sun, call on all democrats and revolutionaries of the lands of Anahuac to carry out a Week of Solidarity from July 15 to 22 in support of the peoples of India and the Communist Party of India (Maoist) in their struggle against the old Hindu-Brahmanical State which leads genocidal campaign "Operation Kagaar" against the peoples of India and the People's War"...

The Revolutionary Student's Front issued a statement - "...The Adivasis of Bastar have always seen very brutal offensives being brought down upon them... But all these military offensives have been met with the bravest of heroic resistances. In front of genocide, the Adivasis of Bastar have stood tall for almost fifty years. Today it is the duty of the revolutionary, progressive and democratic people of the world to come forward and resist this war launched by the State. Let us observe July 1 as International Day against Operation Kagaar...".

It also released a poster on the occasion.

Central Committee of the Communist Party of China Proletarian Alliance

The Communist Party of the Chinese Proletarian Alliance adheres to proletarian internationalism and supports the comrades of the Communist Party of India (Maoist) with the strongest attitude, allowing the Indian fascist government and all imperialist reactionaries to see the power of proletarian unity. We call on all progressive forces and all Marxist-Leninist-Maoist parties to support the international appeal of the Communist Party of India (Maoist) and establish July 1 as the International Anti-Kagaar Day of Action.

In India, civil rights organisations and forums of wellwishers of the indigenous people are continually opposing the killings in the name of Forum Maoists. Against and Corporatisation Militarisation (FACAM) described the ongoing incidents as genocide. In one of its statements, it said -

"...The Communist Party and the popular masses under its leadership represent the greatest threat to the profits of imperialism and its lackeys who want to exploit the lands and keep their rule on throughout India...".

FACAM, together with few organisations from other countries appealed to the UN in person to stop the genocide in the name of Operation Kagaar.

The Revolutionary Writer's Association (RWA) of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana commented – "Dandakaranya, in its decades of revolutionary

journey, pioneered several social and cultural experiments that India needs. It has been bearing the brunt of unparalleled violence for four decades. But now, it is in the midst of a ruthless battle for the past three months. Operation Kagaar (The Final Mission), with more than a hundred thousand paramilitary forces supported by drones, helicopters, and satellite surveillance, reminds us of an invasion of the poorest of poor indigenous people. It resembles a war of aggression as if the Mission were on a hostile nation. Unquestionably, it is a gory, and an uncivil war".

"...Operation Kagaar is meant to be the final assault to remove its last and most formidable obstacle for bringing in the inhuman Corporate Hindutva state. Indian people's common future depends on how best we can resist and fight the onslaught. Otherwise, India will be under a new dystopia called a corporate Hindutva state".

The RWA also released a book on Operation Kagaar in English.

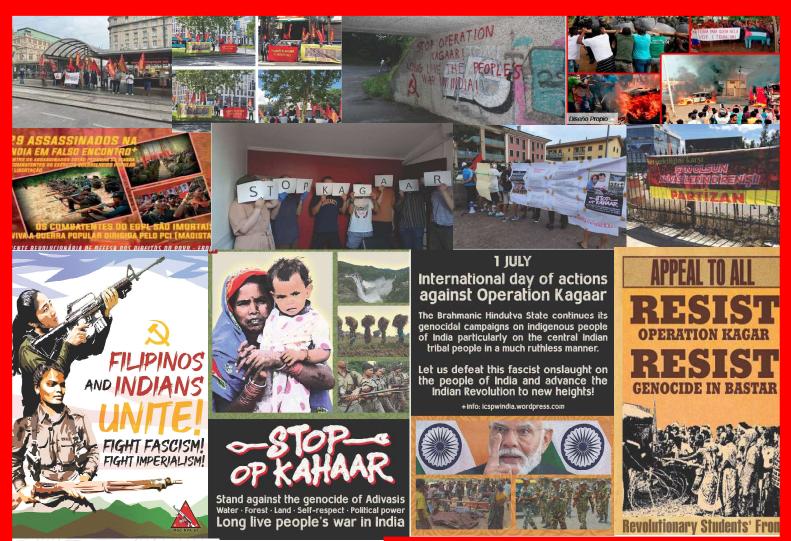
Manushyavakasha Bahujana Kuttayma of the state of Kerala released a poster in its propaganda program against the operation. it also took up a signature campaign to send a mass petition to the President of India. In its statement —

"...We need to break our guilty silence against this 'democracy' which is killing the tribal farmers of Bastar district who are protecting their land and water, celebrating harvest and cultivation on their soil, alongside the Maoist revolutionaries fighting against corporates, Brahminical Hindutva fascists, brokers, landlords, and mining mafias"...

"...This hidden war is a genocide of tribal farmers under the guise of neutralizing Maoists. A wide range of weapons, including airstrikes by Israel made drones, have been used in the area. This January, the Air Force bombed villages in Bastar for the fifth time. The armed forces and police in this region have a clear objective in eliminating Maoists. Hindutva powers also aim to eliminate communist revolutionaries and tribal and religious minorities in India...".

These apart, meetings, statements, webinars and panel discussion in Y-Tube are being held against Operation Kagaar.

The ICSPWI issued statement saluting all the activities in the campaign against Kagaar and particularly the CC of the CPP for launching a month of solidarity. The statement said -"...ICSPWI considers the support to PW in India and to CPI (Maoist), one of principal tasks of internationalism today, and in the same time works hand to hand with CPI (Maoist) for the proletarian revolution in the world. ICSPWI works for affirming in all context of class struggles the support international and internationalist to PW in India today Palestinian international movement, in anti-Imperialist movement against imperialist in the war, movement against repression for the freedom of political prisoners, and this is truly important in the workers and proletarian struggles, that see migrants participant particularly Indian and South Asia migrants in imperialist countries...".



JUNE 20-JULY 20

Month of Solidarity



Solidarity with the Indian people's struggle, particularly the Adivasi masses' fight against Operation Kagaar.



STOP OPERATION KAGAAR! INTERNATIONAL CAMPAIGN FROM 2024 JULY 1ST AND SOLIDARITY PROGRAMS



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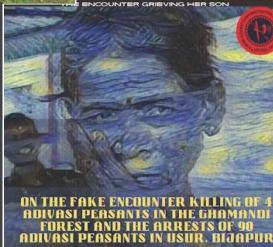




Conduct an independent judicial inquiry into the fake encounter killings in the name of Operation Kagar.

Commemoration of Revolutionaries, Tribal Farmers and Children Massacred in Operation Kagar. Protest Day Conference

Inauguration: Adv. P.A. POURAN Keynote Address: Adv. P.O. John



Socio-cultural and political activists participate.