

Peru's President: New World Order Necessity for Survival

Oct. 1 (NSIPS) — The following are excerpts from a speech by Peruvian President Morales Bermudez before the Diplomatic Corps in Lima, Peru Sept. 25. Morales Bermudez' unequivocal support for a new world economic order represents a 180 degree turn-around for the Peruvian president who is currently under a destabilization seige directed by Sec. of State Henry Kissinger:

We live in times in which national and international events are ever more interrelated. Thus the events and the structural transformations which take place inside a national society affect the international arena, which likewise affects national societies.

The exponential progress of science and technology and the growth of the productive forces on the world level have woven together ever more closely the economies and policies of the various countries....

The man of the late 20th century, although circumscribed within a national State, thinks in planetary terms, since the world is ever more interdependent and since this century poses us with very grave problems, which, if not completely solved, will seriously affect the very existence of mankind....

New Economic Order

The Revolutionary Government of Peru is the government of a developing country which not only has contributed in declaring the necessity for a New International Economic Order, but which also has made substantial contributions to its creation....

An awareness of this leads to the profound conclusion that those developing countries which are authentically committed in favor of their national majorities find that no matter how great internal efforts they make, in one way or another, to a greater or lesser degree, find themselves (adversely) affected by an international economic reality which they can not control and which impinges on them through a market structure which combines a drop in the prices paid for their exports with a ntable increase in the prices for food, for industrial inputs and for capital goods, and ever more onerous payments of the foreign debt and outflows of capital for foreign investments and services.

In the specific case of Peru it is necessary to clearly observe the complex reality of a society in transition, which is hit by a world crisis caused by an international economic order ruled by irrationality and injustice.

Change the World Economic Order

In this order of things, it is an unchallengeable necessity for the world economic order to be changed to facilitate the indispensable transformation of the traditional societies of the

developing countries to be made with the least possible social cost. Thus we will create a more just and egalitarian international community. If this is not done, we will be faced with the paradox of a world which is ever more interrelated, but politically ever more disunited by the deepening of poverty, by the arms race, by local conflicts, and by menaces to international peace and security.

The need for a more just New International Economic Order thus is not only a moral imperative, but is also a scientific categorical imperative for survival...

Commitment to the Third World

The impact on international relations of the national phenomena of the Peruvian Revolution brings it to make, as a result of the revolutionary humanism it practices, a commitment to fight relentlessly alongside the other Third World and Non-Aligned countries for forming of a New International Economic Order having the characteristics which I have described and within which the highest priority is place on our commitment to integration and peace in Latin America.

Wills Coverage:

World Press Nearly Silent On Wills UN Speech

Oct. 1 (NSIPS) — The U.S. Labor Party and the New Solidarity International Press Service has acted as the main source of coverage of Guyana's Foreign Minister Frederick Wills' United Nations speech calling for debt moratoria for the developing countries (Group of 77) and Non-Aligned nations and international development banks.

Radio stations throughout the country have recorded statements from U.S. Labor Party candidates and spokesman outlining the Wills speech. So far radio stations in Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Detroit, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Seattle, North Carolina and New York City have aired these statements.

Associated Press and Dow Jones wire services put out a joint wire on Sept. 30, which has been picked up to date by the International Herald-Tribune and the Charlotte News. The wire reads:

"France warned developing countries yesterday that if they declare a unilateral moratorium they would 'kill themselves.'

"Foreign Minister Louis DeGuiringaud's warning came two days after Guyana's Foreign Minister Frederick Wills called in a United Nations speech for a generalized moratorium on debt servicing by developing countries."

The United Nations correspondent for National Black Network which services 81 major cities across the country, also put out a story on the Wills' speech, which concentrated mainly on Wills' support for the black African countries in their struggle for independence.