

URP 1992 MANIFESTO

MANIFESTO OF THE UNITED REPUBLICAN PARTY

This 4-page supplement of the United Republican Party of Guyana gives the Manifesto, the statement of beliefs and the programs envisaged by the Party, that would save the Guyanese nation from its present state of chaos and offer hope to the coming generations of Guyana's sons and daughters.

The URPG has been founded outside of Guyana by Guyanese patriots who have suffered under those that are now ruling the country. The URPG has heard the cries and moanings of Guyanese at home and is determined to come to the aid of this nation that we were all once proud of. The URPG has heard the cries of Guyanese abroad who have fled for their own survival and who are eager to return and serve their nativeland.

The URPG opens its arms to one and all — Guyanese of all races, all classes, all ages — inviting you to become a part of the process towards the rescue and transformation of our beloved country.

We recognize that both Guyanese abroad and Guyanese at home have significant roles to play in this process. We may not have all the answers, but we have the zeal and the commitment and love for our dear country. The URPG feels that if we join hands together, we would throw off the shackles that bind our countrymen.

The URPG has spent a very long time preparing itself for the mammoth task of rescuing Guyana from total and irretrievable loss. This mission of ours has now moved from and overseas base, to the place where it rightly belongs — Guyana's soil. We call on all Guyanese, at home and abroad to examine our programme and to get involved in a battle that is essentially ours.

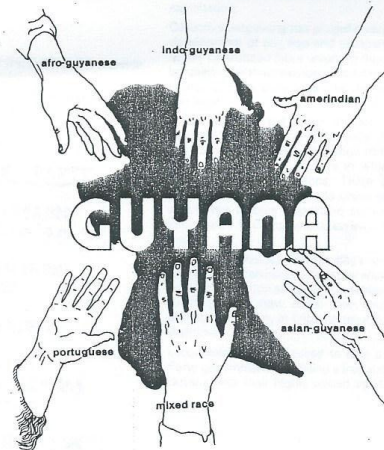
Remember, others will help but only if they are satisfied that we ourselves care enough to assert and defend what is ours.

For over 3 decades those who wielded power in Guyana consistently made the same mistakes that plunged the country into greater and greater tragedy.

The URPG manifesto shows that we are aware of those mistakes and are not prepared to repeat them!

THE UNITED REPUBLICAN PARTY OF GUYANA

THE NEW BEGINNING



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WHAT WE BELIEVE IN

1. A Free Nation
2. Freedom of the Press and Radio
3. Freedom of Speech
4. Freedom of Worship
5. Freedom of Choice
6. Free and Fair Elections every four years
7. Free Enterprise
8. Restoration of Law and Order
9. More accessible and modern medical facilities and a better education system
10. A Reduction in the size of the government
11. Foreign investments with safeguards in the Constitution
12. The development and encouragement of Tourism
13. A re-introduction of duty free agricultural machinery, equipment and petrol, and the lifting of the ban on food items and imports.
14. The parallel development of Agriculture and Industry.
15. Joint development between Guyana and Venezuela within the disputed area in Guyana until such time as the dispute is settled.
16. Making available accessible land for development.
17. Bursting open Guyana with roads, electricity and pure water supply, and the re-introduction of the railway system through the coastlands.
18. Providing better unemployment benefits and social security.
19. Denationalization of all nationalized industries.
20. Trade unions should be able to organize and function without influence or intimidation from government.

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PREFACE

Guyana, this land once known for its hospitality, high standard of living and education, freedom and equality, law and order, and abundance, is now a country void of these benefits with a total absence of the free enterprise system that was at the root of the country's prosperity.

This atmosphere of freedom was given to us by our fore fathers, who fought the miseries of slavery and indentureship so that we could live a free and dignified life. But our freedom and dignity have been taken away through the treachery and deceit of the country's two major political parties ever since they appeared on the scene.

Today, every form of human rights violation is carried out on the citizens of this country by a fascist dictatorship that fraudulently took control of the government decades ago. Because of this situation, the United Republican Party of Guyana was formed. Its purpose — to effectuate a change of government from the present dictatorship to a system of democratic rule with free enterprise as its foundation.

Any sound political programme offered to the people of Guyana must include a clearly defined and a determined strategy to reinstate democracy in the country. Guyanese should be assured, in unequivocal terms, that their government would not deprive them of their God given right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. To this end, we of the United Republican Party of Guyana are committed.

Our manifesto, **THE NEW BEGINNING** is presented in general terms and as concise as possible. Its aims and objectives, we are convinced, provide the only answer to Guyana's problems. To detail the mechanics of our policy and programmes would involve several volumes which we would present to you in modules in future publications.

It should be clearly mentioned that this party does not advocate or believe in acts of violence or racial discrimination, and would not condone either of these evils if practised by its members, supporters or any other political party or organization. We are a land of many races and creeds, with one nationality, and yes! a nationality that was once respected. It is up to each and every one of us, as Guyanese, to reinstate that respect and dignity we once enjoyed.

We hope that through the grace of God and our joint efforts, the time will come when Guyanese will have that opportunity to cast a meaningful vote thereby giving ourselves, through the medium of the United Republican Party of Guyana, the mandate to manage the affairs of our country — with democracy as its form of government.

A GENERATION IS TOO VALUABLE AN ASSET TO WASTE
Thank you and may God bless you.

A NEW BEGINNING FREEDOM

We believe that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by God with certain inalienable rights which include the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

We believe that it is the responsibility of the Government to ensure that these rights and liberties are not violated by any force or forces be it foreign or domestic. That whenever the Government fails to preserve these rights, it is the responsibility of the people, through the democratic process of free and fair elections, to remove that Government and install a new one.

We believe in the adoption by parliament of a Bill of Rights to ensure adequate protection of the inhabitants of this country against harassment, persecution, intimidation, coercion, illegal entry into one's private property and the carrying of arbitrary search on one's person or possession, etc.

We believe that free and fair elections should be held every four years; that such elections should be supervised and conducted by an independent elections commission whose members are representatives of various sections of the community.

We believe in the freedom of assembly and the freedom to hold peaceful demonstration as long as such assembly and/or demonstration pose no unconstitutional threat to the Government or do not constitute a hazard to public safety. We believe that the news media should be free from Government control and/or interference and that censorship should only be exercised when the national security of the country is in jeopardy or where its absence would hinder the enforcement of law and order.

We believe in the freedom of worship, freedom of choice, freedom of speech, freedom to assemble, and the separation of church and state.



We have considered all aspects of the national life and found that it is afflicted by the very same malady which is the result of incorrect policies by the government.



LABOR

The United Republican Party's economic policy of free enterprise will mean a boom in labor with the creation of thousands of new jobs.

This may lead employers or prospective employers to believe that the opportunity to exploit labor is at hand, but it should always be remembered and known for sure, that this party is committed to the eradication of any form of oppression or exploitation.

Collective bargaining has played a very important role in the development of any free and prosperous country. To stifle legally constituted labor unions in their practise of collective bargaining for their members would be a contradiction of our policy, and certainly unfair to the working man and his employer.

H.N. Critchlow, the father of trade unionism in Guyana dedicated his life to the furtherance of the trade union, and this party feels it is our obligation to honour his endeavors and maintain an atmosphere in which trade unions may operate without inhibitions. There should be no manipulation and control of trade union executives and unions should not indulge in political strikes. There should be a structured T.U.C. representation in all matters affecting labor issues.

We believe that an honest day's work should be compensated with an honest day's pay and that unions should be in a better position at bargaining tables to determine to what extent and for how much they could negotiate without putting a company in financial trouble, or cause inflation to skyrocket.

Labor unions will be asked to help a United Republican Party government in building a free and economically strong Guyana with their highly valued input.

AGRICULTURE & INDUSTRIES

Food is one of man's most basic and essential needs for survival, but still there are millions and millions of people all over the world who are starving every day — some due to natural conditions and/or disaster beyond man's control, while others starve because of (1) Government's lack of financial resources, (2) Government's inability to approach the problem in a realistic manner, (3) Government's policy of discouraging peasant farming, and last but by no means least (4) Government's lack of protection for the small farmers.

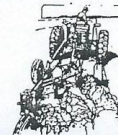
Under the United Republican Party's policy on agriculture it is our commitment to ensure that this nation is fed properly with the best quality food that man can produce, and at prices, he can afford. A United Republican Party government will also reintroduce duty free fuel and spare parts for use in every agricultural sector. We will set up regional training centers for young farmers. We will make available low interest loans to farmers, ranchers, etc. and secure guaranteed markets at favorable prices for their produce. We will build regional fresh and salt water fisheries, create a special agricultural pest control center, and develop new lands accessible to homesteaders.

With the proper drainage and irrigation of Guyana's agricultural lands, the application of the most modern and sophisticated methods of agriculture along with the development of new produce, Guyana could become a major exporter of food to other parts of the world.

Agricultural and Industrial development should run parallel to each other in terms of progressive development, to avoid social and economic burden being placed on one or the other, and should be adequately distributed among the three counties. The emphasis placed on agriculture should be as important as that placed on industry with commerce as the forerunner that would result in a balanced economy.

Guyana could attract dozens of industries ranging from computer microchip to automotive assembly plants. But the government must be able to offer (1) Measures to increase investor confidence, (2) Stability of infrastructure and services, (3) Availability of labor and employment incentives, (4) Investment regulations, (5) Favorable trade policies, etc.

These would all be possible through the political and legislative stability under a United Republican Party's government.



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LAW AND ORDER

The United Republican Party of Guyana is committed to the swift restoration of Law and Order and to correct the injustices being perpetrated upon both the citizens and police personnel of Guyana.

The rights of honest and decent people will be zealously protected whilst the criminal element will feel the full force of the legal system. To achieve this our Police Force must once again enjoy its enviable reputation of integrity, efficiency, discipline and service. Members of the Police Force will be encouraged to divest themselves of all political affiliation (even to that of the United Republican Party of Guyana) thus ensuring that the execution of their duties will be without favour or affection, malice or illwill to any particular group, organization or race.

Divisional Commanders, not below the rank of Senior Superintendent will have total and complete responsibility for the preservation of peace and good order in his/her division and will be answerable to the Commissioner of Police.

Salaries of police personnel will be brought to levels consistent with the onerous responsibilities carried out by them. This, in addition to other benefits such as low-interest government-sponsored loans for homes, adequate pensions at retirement and intense training of new recruits, will bring morale in the Police Force to standards existing during the fifties and sixties.

We would ensure that qualified Gazetted and Non-Commissioned Officers are trained overseas as instructors until such time as proper training could be done locally. We would undertake the retraining of members of the force who had not completed the required six months basic training at the police training school.

Guyana, as a former British colony, inherited a sound judicial system. But, because of corruption and blatant acts of discrimination against a hapless section of the population, the rule of law is no longer the norm and political affiliation influences the outcome of the judicial process.

A United Republican Party government will take all and every step necessary to correct this situation. Jurists will no longer be coerced and pressured into corrupt practice.

Under the United Republican Party of Guyana the rule of law will be strictly adhered to and justice will be served. No individual or group of individuals, political party or organization will be above the law.

The advent of lawlessness, now a way of life for those in Guyana who have a virtual licence to commit crimes, will be a thing of the past under the banner of the United Republican Party of Guyana.

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FREE ENTERPRISE & DENATIONALIZATION

FREE ENTERPRISE

The United Republican Party's economic policy is based primarily on the free enterprise system that we are committed to reintroduce in Guyana because of our strong conviction that the ownership incentive (which includes the free will to pioneer and be competitive), is the only practical solution to this country's economic problems.

Among the many economic systems in the world today, there are two that are dominant. One is the free enterprise (or capitalist system) which has proven successful in every country in which it was introduced and practised. Through this system one has the opportunity to reach any height he or she so chooses, be it financial or otherwise. The other system, characterised by government's ownership and control of the entire economy (the communist system), has proven disastrous, and has subjected its adherents to hunger, malnutrition, lack of adequate housing and medical care, and, in the final analysis, stripped its supporters of the will to live and be free.

A third system, introduced and practised in Guyana in the late sixties, is a combination of communism and a fascist dictatorship where the wealth is shared among the government and a minority elite. Since this system was introduced, the standard of living of most Guyanese has fallen to an appalling level never before experienced. The cost of maintaining a decent livelihood in the country rose beyond the earning capacity of families while the government plodded on with its "belt tightening" measures. The government took over private industries in its attempt to harness all profits and to control the destiny of all citizens who would now have to turn to it for handouts and favours. Thus, the basic incentive to produce which is at the root of the capitalist system, was eroded.

Only through a reinstatement of the free enterprise ethic with its incentives and optimism, with its system of rewards and recognition for honest labour, will there be any hope for this nation to experience economic growth once again.

No government can, nor should attempt to do everything for its people. When a government sets itself up as lord and master of all, it eventually develops the tendencies that alienate it from the people it professes to govern and the experience for both the government and the populace is wholly counterproductive. We believe that government should stop meddling in areas of economic growth which is the domain of private enterprise and which they have never been successful in managing.

DENATIONALIZATION

We firmly believe that those companies which were nationalized by the government and which, as a result of the government's bankrupt policies, have inevitably reached the point of bankruptcy, should be turned over to the hands of free enterprise to be rehabilitated and to yield some benefit to the nation, instead of being the perpetual liability in the hands of the government.



FOREIGN INVESTORS

Guyana needs money for a comprehensive development program. But since the coffers of this country are empty and foreign exchange is non-existent, this much-needed money would have to come from outside.

The International lending agencies have declared Guyana a bad risk, and incapable of repaying its outstanding loans even though moratoriums were granted on several occasions. This situation would have to be corrected by reinstating our credibility in the eyes of the I.M.F., the World Bank etc. and this can only be achieved by repaying these loans that fell in the bottomless pit of Guyana. Towards this end, we have to make money by investing money. At this point, our only alternative is to attract foreign investors.

To encourage these investors certain criteria must be met, which include (1) A democratically elected government, (2) Political and economic freedom and stability, (3) Legislated tax holidays and concessions with safeguards in the constitution, and (4) The ability of the government to provide other basic necessities and requirements for industries.

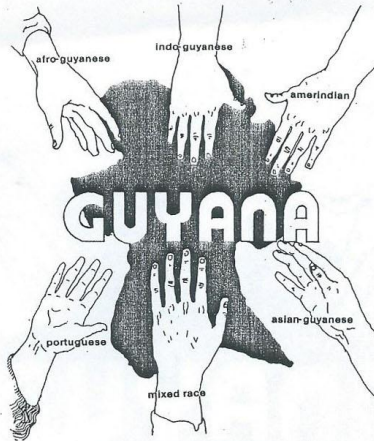
After these criteria are met, Guyana would experience through the next ten years, a financial implosion estimated at one half a billion dollars U.S. which would result in an economic growth explosion thereafter.

If this country is to get off its knees politically, socially, and economically, we must be bold enough to face the situation here in Guyana in a realistic manner, and honest enough to accept the fact that we cannot do it alone. If we are to succeed we will need both financial, and technical help from outside.

Guyana must take its place prominently in the free world, and make its contribution to the benefit of mankind now and for our future generations.

Guyanese have demonstrated the resilience to face up to difficulties and to come out smiling. In the face of real hardships and extremely traumatic circumstances, they have edged their way to make ends meet, to keep their heads high. Such a people now deserve to have a better deal for their decades of sacrifices.

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ROADS, RAILROADS WATERWAYS, ELECTRICITY & PURE WATER SUPPLY

Guyana's wealth lies in its interior — wealth that has not been tapped with any significance to date. If Guyana is to be developed, then this wealth that has been lying somewhat dormant must become active. This will mean putting it within our reach by means of infra-structure.

The wealth we speak of are in the lands which are very suitable for different purposes — land for growing different types of crops, land for ranching, mining, logging, fisheries, industrial site, and wild life refuge (or National Parks). Once these lands are made available, and accessible through infra-structure provided by government, people with the pioneering spirit, along with the entrepreneurs will take the opportunity of realizing their dreams by settling on and developing these lands.

Infrastructure covers roads, electricity, pure water supply, with railways and waterways where ever practical, and the reintroduction of the coastline railway. Once these basic necessities are provided, and with encouragement from the government, towns and villages with schools, churches, and up to date medical facilities will start popping up.

The means of making a decent living for yourself and family with proper education and medical services inclusive, should not only be concentrated in the city or coastline, but should proliferate throughout the country. It is no hidden secret that the tremendous wealth in Guyana's interior, if approached in the right manner and made to work for us, could lead to the transformation of this country from poverty to wealth and abundance.

We should never let history record that Guyanese are lesser educated, intelligent, or capable than other nations who have made their countries free and prosperous.

EDUCATION

Education is an investment by today's mature population in its youth, so that future generations may have a better life available for their enjoyment. Education provides our young people with the tools necessary to maintain the standard of living our country enjoys and provides an environment which fosters new ideas that may improve our life. No developing nation will ever be able to raise itself above its present state without a sound educational system — a system that provides our young with the fundamentals of learning as well as an environment that encourages creative and independent thought.

Where does education fit into the priorities of a developing nation? Clearly, one cannot expect outstanding scholarship as the product of a people that are hungry and homeless. Thus, a developing nation must place emphasis on the satisfaction of the basic human needs as a prerequisite to attaining high educational standards. However, one must understand that in the long term, a poor education system will have devastating effects on that country's ability to provide for these basic needs. Therefore, we must create a balanced system that produces a stream of young people who can, at worst, maintain a good standard of living within the country.

The education system that will be provided to the people of Guyana will strike this balance. This system will be developed with the following objectives:

- (1) Provide the population with the professional, technical, academic and non-academic training necessary to satisfy current needs as well as provide for future development of the country.
- (2) Raise the literacy level of this country to a level more appropriate to a developing country.
- (3) Establish a level of excellence that is recognized in the international community so that our young people may be able to benefit from the higher education available under more mature systems. The skills acquired from these systems would be made available to subsequent generations.
- (4) Encourage the development of both private and public education systems. Private education systems must be encouraged so that the special needs of the gifted, the handicapped etc. can be met.
- (5) Provide free education of acceptable quality at all levels.
- (6) Re-establish respect for both academic and non-academic excellence by providing appropriate incentives for our youths to strive for the best.

Development of an education system in isolation from the international community will be both futile and inappropriate. This is true because we need to set standards for learning at each level that are compatible with all other nations.

- (1) Determine acceptable standards for each level of learning in all areas by examining the standards found in developed countries.
- (2) Develop a national curriculum of courses for each kind of training. Produce detailed description of material that should be taught, establishing minimum, average and outstanding standards for each program.
- (3) Develop a decentralized, but synchronized national testing structure, so that standards of learning can be validated and compared nationwide.
- (4) Develop incentive systems so that students of demonstrated quality get the kind of opportunity necessary to foster excellence. Re-establish scholarship programs with foreign schools so that higher levels of learning not available in Guyana can be made available to our students.
- (5) Establish an independent commission with investigative powers to police the education system to protect against corruption and cheating in all areas of the system.

A strong education system cannot be developed overnight nor in isolation so we must be willing to learn from others and be patient. However, for Guyana to lift itself out of its current state of chaos and degeneration, we must develop a strong system which encourages and rewards excellence in all spheres of learning.

Our history of slavery and indentureship, of fighting off our colonial masters, of asserting our rights to a decent living and a place in society for our children — is an emphatic endorsement that we as a nation, have the will and the know-how to determine what's best for us.

Why is it that today we have allowed ourselves to become beggars in our own country?

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MEDICAL CARE

Just as air, food and water are necessities of life, so is medical care. Medical care should be every Government's priority, but in the past two decades of Guyana's People National Congress' rule, health care for the sick has become a nightmare.

A United Republican Party government will make medical care available to all people in Guyana by encouraging qualified physicians, nurses and technicians to practise there. We will also set up with American and Canadian Universities' Medical Schools, a program for new graduates to do part of their residency training in Guyana. This will encourage the Universities of Guyana to establish a Physician and other Medical Science programs for educating its people.

A United Republican Party government will provide a MED-A-VAC helicopter service to people living in remote areas, and trauma centers for seriously injured patients. Medical aid would be encouraged from the Red Cross, U.S. Aid, and medically oriented corporations.

Massive improvement will be made at all clinics, general hospitals, and community hospitals. A program will be instituted for educating people in illness prevention, also a program of health care for those who are unable to travel to Medical Centres for attention.

SOCIAL INSURANCE

The United Republican Party intends to restore the morale of workers and offer greater incentives to encourage increased productivity. To this end, the party will radically reduce the onerous tax burden now imposed on Guyanese workers to support wasteful expenditures and will introduce a voluntary social insurance program to provide retirement benefits. The party will also provide a minimum income guarantee to the aged and disabled without resources to support a minimal standard of living. Workers will be encouraged to participate in the social insurance scheme through voluntary payroll deductions. Their contributions will be pooled in a trust fund and invested in areas offering the highest rates of return to pay out maximum pension benefits. Workers will be guaranteed a legal and moral right to their pensions. Workers will be able to afford to participate in the scheme because with a growing economy, there will be no fear of unemployment and with low taxes they will have income to provide for themselves and families for future years.

The Guyanese worker will be rewarded for efforts to increase production and will be adequately provided for in their retirement years without the need to live in fear of the whims of the present uncaring political regime.

JOINT DEVELOPMENT - GUYANA/VENEZUELA

Approximately two-thirds of Guyana is being claimed by Venezuela. Unfortunately, this portion happens to be the richest part of our country.

Because of the inability of the PNC regime to settle this dispute one way or the other which has resulted from their fascist dictatorship policy and their close ties to the Soviet bloc, they have thrown the economy into retardation.

Eighty three thousand square miles of fascist dictatorship in South America could mean a decisive blow to democracy in this hemisphere.

The development of the disputed area which this party finds pleasure in referring to as the treasure chest of Guyana should have started in the mid to late sixties. But the PNC instead, spent their limited resources on the military which does not contribute to economic growth. This treasure chest sits on an abundance of wealth, and under a United Republican Party government, one of our priorities is to bring this dispute to a final determination. But in the interim, joint development of the treasure chest will be carried out by Guyana and Venezuela. As it stands now, neither of these two countries is gaining anything, but with a joint undertaking in developing this area irrespective of what the final determination would be, both countries will gain significantly. This approach, in our case, will enhance our economic growth boom.

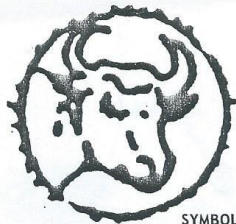
Venezuela could be of tremendous help to us financially and otherwise, only if this threat posed by the PNC and Jagan's Communism is removed from the political scene in Guyana.

Apart from democracy being the only fair and just system for our society today, it is also obvious because of Geo-politics, with Canada and the United States on our north, and Brazil and Venezuela bordering us, that democracy should be returned to Guyana and be protected by every government elected through the democratic process thereafter.

Guyana has been kept in the dark for too long, and we of the United Republican Party are convinced that the time has come for us to put the light on instead of cursing the dark.

Let the trek to foreign lands cease!
Let us make a home at home for our children, lest we remain perpetual immigrants—nomads as it were, in a modern world.

Let us build lasting structures for ourselves and our heirs.



SYMBOL

MOTTO

"ONWARD, UPWARD

MAY WE EVER GO"



TOURISM

For many years, there has been a misconception about tourism in Guyana, and the lack of tourist attraction.

Many of you are led to believe that tourists help to plunder a country of its wealth and resources, along with transmitting different types of social diseases. These beliefs are distortion of the truth.

In reality, tourism is a sure way of boosting a country's economy and building its foreign exchange, especially a country such as ours that so desperately needs foreign exchange.

The only attraction that Guyana lacks is white sandy beaches and clear blue waters. What we have is an abundance of other attractions, some are natural while others have to be groomed. To ignore this, will mean turning our backs to millions and millions of dollars annually which we cannot afford. There are countries in the world today that depend solely on tourism to run their economy. We in Guyana could, and should attract our share of this lucrative business to boost our economy, and at the same time, make our country a more beautiful place to live and enjoy for ourselves and future generations.

There is little consolation and a mere fleeting gain to join with our oppressors whose only objective is to bleed the nation dry.

REDUCE THE SIZE OF GOVERNMENT

Government in every country is the largest institution that generates the least revenue and has the healthiest appetite for spending the most.

Ours is a country with a population of less than three quarters of a million, and a government that is three times the size necessary.

The size of this government is attributed to the fascist dictatorship policy they have been practising since the early sixties. Fascism means the centralization of the economy imposed and maintained in a regimental manner, the suppression of the opposition, etc. which, in other words, means to have dominant control of the people, stripping them of their wealth. Note: POWER STEMS FROM WEALTH: whoever has wealth will have power, and this was easily shown in Guyana by the government destroying those who were the producers of the country's wealth..

Since this government is three times the size necessary to manage the affairs of this country, it also costs the already overburdened taxpayers three times as much to keep them in office with a maximum output of 33.1/3 percent of what they should really produce.

It is the policy of this party, as a matter of priority, to reduce the present size of the government by 2/3, and to return the excess fat to the people of this country.

Where is our self worth when we know we are mere slaves serving those whose appetites for power are unfathomable?

How can we look at the faces of the children of this nation and with empty words and false action, betray them for our own immediate ends?

Come forward, Guyanese, and answer the call that every great nation must answer — if it is to achieve greatness at all.

SUPPORT THE U.R.P.G.

JOIN with us to fight for a Guyana where there is Freedom, Democracy, Fair Government, a return to Justice, Free Enterprise, Restoration of the people's rights, Protection from fear, and a place we can once again call HOME.

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