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Terrorist Tricontinental in Chiapas

There was talk of creating "other Chiapas" at the Zapatistas' witches' sabbath—targeting Brazil.

Supporters of the narco-terrorist Zapatista Army of National Liberation (EZLN) concluded their week-long international gathering in Chiapas, Mexico on Aug. 3. The assembly was an attempt to relaunch Fidel Castro's old "Tricontinental" terrorist international. Hundreds of people from Europe (including Danielle Mitterand, the former First Lady of France), Australia, Africa, Asia, and Ibero-America came together for meetings, indoctrination, and planning sessions, sponsored by the British intelligence-fabricated EZLN.

The pompously named "International Forum Against Neo-Liberalism and for Humanity," brought together the São Paulo Forum continental apparatus (fresh from their sixth continental meeting in San Salvador on July 26-27), non-governmental organizations, and the international human rights apparatus from Europe, especially France, to rally behind British-sponsored "globalism," and to rant against the role of the military in defending the nation-state. It concluded with a call by the EZLN's "Subcommander Marcos" for the establishment of a leaderless "Intercontinental Resistance," in which "we all resist," without a central leadership, and reiterated the call made by several delegates throughout the meeting, for "one, two, many Chiapas" throughout Ibero-America, particularly in Brazil.

Marcos also announced a second intergalactic forum, to be held in Europe in 1997. Targetting the "national armies" of the hemisphere, he said that they are "merely units of a larger army,

the one that is armed by neo-liberalism [free trade] to deploy against humanity." The EZLN's attempts to become a political force are being blocked by what he claimed to be the "growing militarization" of Mexico. This is forcing the guerrillas to remain in the jungle longer than planned, he said.

That line was also retailed on Aug. 8, during a visit to Argentina by Samuel Ruíz, the schismatic bishop of San Cristóbal de las Casas, Chiapas, who lied that "the violence was introduced by the presence of the Mexican Army."

As shown by the Chiapas forum, the purported anti-neo-liberalism of the EZLN, the São Paulo Forum, and the rest, is a smokescreen to aid their oligarchical controllers to destroy the sovereign nation-state and replace it with a one-world government. For example, according to press reports, the delegates resolved that a moratorium on the payments on illegitimate debt was no solution. Instead, they proposed that military budgets be cut and the money used to fund social services and programs for the poor. The same proposal was put forward a few years ago by Robert McNamara, the malthusian former head of the World Bank.

Also calling for the destruction of the nation-state was Danielle Mitterand, widow of François Mitterrand, the late President of France. "To destroy the nation-state, is at the same time to destroy degraded forms; it is the decay of corporatist and authoritarian forms," she said.

The Chiapas assembly also called

for the legalization of drugs.

Brazil loomed large in Chiapas as the probable next target of the narco-terrorist Tricontinental. According to *Istoe* magazine, a report prepared by Brazil's security agencies says that the delegates from the Landless Movement (MST) at the Chiapas forum, announced on their return to Brazil that they will be carrying out a series of land occupations that will force the government to negotiate "from its knees." According to the report, Gilmar Mauro, one of the top leaders of the MST who attended the Chiapas forum, said that his organization plans to set up a "Liberated Zone" in Brazil, similar to what the EZLN has done in Chiapas. The report also documents the payments the MST has received from European organizations, as well as the training it has received from other guerrilla groupings, its involvement in arms trafficking, and so forth.

The leader of the Brazilian Workers Party (PT), Inacio "Lula" da Silva, also attended the meeting in Chiapas, where he invited the EZLN to send representatives to visit Brazil this fall.

Meanwhile, in Brazil, two congressmen from Lula's PT, Luiz Gushiken and Eduardo Jorge, put forward their own proposal for globalization and limited sovereignty, in an op-ed in the July 30 *Folha de São Paulo*. What is needed, they wrote, is a "world democratic federation," with its own "world parliament, a court to deal with global problems, and an executive with its own peace forces . . . that is, a democratized UN, a new type of federation."

Already a delegation from Colombia's Revolutionary Armed Forces (FARC), known as the "Third Cartel," has gone to Brazil to meet with the PT (which, like the FARC, belongs to narco-terrorist São Paulo Forum) and the MST.