
Change History

Implement the Four Powers!

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April 22—We have a dying world system today. This is no recession, no depression—it is a collapse, a failure, of the entire present economic system, globally. I am proposing that we immediately take up Lyndon LaRouche's Four Powers initiative to replace the currently failed system. It is only through the action of the United States, Russia, China, and India, teaming up as sovereign nations to get rid of monetarism and globalization, that society could ever survive, presently.

In order to understand the origins of the current collapse and the necessary remedy to save civilization, we must understand the history that has brought us to this point today.

In the late 1970s, the United States was engaged in a Cold War with the Soviet Union, operating under the fraudulent doctrine of Mutually Assured Destruction, otherwise known as MAD. Within that environment, no collaboration between sovereign nations for joint economic development could take place. LaRouche, through a series of Presidential campaigns, beginning in 1976, as through the Fusion Energy Foundation, and with the collaboration of scientific and political leaders internationally, worked on a strategy to eliminate the doctrine of mutual destruction. He proposed to replace it with a policy that would bring together the best of the United States with the best of the Soviet Union for mutual defense and economic cooperation.

That doctrine became known as the Strategic Defense Initiative, or SDI. This Apollo-style science-driver program would not only mean the end of the Cold War; it would mean the end of the British imperial policies of globalization and free trade. Through the SDI, we would build up the industrial and productive capacities of the developed and developing nations, by

surrounding the Soviet Union with a “wall of steel” and industry, and creating millions of new jobs in manufacturing, energy production, mining, and agriculture.

In a famous televised address to the American people in 1983, President Ronald Reagan proposed the SDI to the Soviets. That same year, LaRouche forecast that, were the Soviets to reject the SDI proposal, the Soviet economy would crash within five years. The government of Yuri Andropov, in a rejection of the SDI offer, led the U.S.S.R. into the collapse of 1989. So, the world experienced the fall of the Soviet system—just as LaRouche had foreseen, just six years earlier.

At that point, the free-trade system that dominated the West, a system that rejected physical productive development, was blowing out as well. What kept that world system afloat, was the intentional policy of resource-looting of the former Soviet Union, and the creation of Alan Greenspan's bubble economy.

So, Russia, under traitorous governments led by Yegor Gaidar and Victor Chernomyrdin, with Anatoli Chubais holding top positions throughout, underwent “shock therapy”: Russia was subsequently privatized and looted of its resources by free-trade companies such as Goldman Sachs, and infiltrated by networks associated with the International Institute of Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA). From then on, Russia was steered down the path of economic self-destruction, zero growth, and the looting of the creative minds of its population.

That traitorous factor still exists in Russia today.

The Fraud of the BRIC

Once again, to combat the demise of the present world system, LaRouche has put forward the Four Powers initiative: to take the few remaining sovereign nations on the planet, the United States, Russia, China, and India, and bring together the best of these cultures for the creation of a new world credit system, the elimination of the present globalized monetary system, and the rebuilding of economies across the planet in a series of science-driver, international infrastructure projects, including a 50-year mission to land the first man or woman on Mars.

In opposition to LaRouche's Four Powers approach, ironically enough, Jim O'Neill, head of Global Economic Research at Goldman Sachs, a company that formerly looted Russia, put forward a new economic proposal—the BRIC (see p. 24). Rather than bringing the United States into cooperation with Russia, China, and



Summer Shields' campaign for Congress, against the hated Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi, is centered on rallying the voters in California's 8th C.D. to fight for Lyndon LaRouche's Four Powers solution to the global economic crisis, which requires the soonest-possible eviction from the White House of Barack Obama. Shields is shown in these two photos (above: center; below: left), organizing in the district.



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its own populations, to sustain the existence of Wall Street and London's usurious speculative practices.

Therefore, I am campaigning to carry out La-

Rouche's Four Power initiative—to eliminate the current world system entirely. We currently have, in both Russia and the United States, treasonous factions, including President Obama & Company in the United States, who have seized control of these nations for the moment. We have the Gorbachov-Chubais faction controlling Russia's finances. We must foster cooperation according to the patriotic traditions within both of these nations. We must bring them together with those traditions in the world which would: 1) collaborate for mutual economic development in the footsteps of LaRouche's SDI proposal; 2) usher in a global Glass Steagall; and, 3) create a new world credit system to fund the necessary rebuilding of the entire world.

I urge you to join my campaign to impeach Obama and implement the Four Powers solution today!

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India, as LaRouche had proposed, Brazil was put forward as the up-and-coming power to replace the United States in the BRIC "new world system."

The BRIC proposal is a complete fraud. Look at Brazil: What are the assets that Brazil supposedly holds? Recall, the only income flowing in and out of Brazil is the looting of its population through the carry trade, run by the Rothschild-controlled Inter-Alpha Group of banks. As LaRouche has pointed out, the "B" in BRIC really stands for the British Empire, rather than lowly, little, Brazil.

The BRIC proposal represents no shift in the world system. It represents the continuation of the 40-year-old system of globalization which is currently collapsed, and the only role that the BRIC would play would be as the instrument for the financial looting of