



## **The socialist revolution in Europe and the socialist European Union**

### **Future Draft of a Socialist European Constitution**

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**We want a *voluntary* union of nations – a union which precludes any coercion of one nation by another – a union founded on complete confidence, on a clear recognition of brotherly unity, on absolutely voluntary consent. Such a union cannot be effected at one stroke; we have to work towards it with the greatest patience and circumspection, so as not to spoil matters and not to arouse distrust, and so that the distrust inherited from centuries of landowner and capitalist oppression, centuries of private property and the enmity caused by its division and re-divisions may have a chance to wear off” (1919, Lenin, Collected Works, Volume 30, page 293, English version)**

**“We are striving towards the complete abolition of frontiers” (1919, Lenin, Collected Works, Volume 30, page 293, English version).**

We are internationalists.

Our struggle for a socialist Europe is part of our struggle for a socialist world.

Stalinism-Hoxhaism is the doctrine of solving the European question in the course of the revolutionary struggle for world socialism and world communism.

Stalinism-Hoxhaism in European means: fighting for the socialist revolution in all European countries, for the establishment of the European dictatorship of the proletariat, for the transition of the imperialist Europe into the socialist Europe.

The socialist revolution in Europe is part of the socialist world revolution. Victory over the imperialist Europe can only be guaranteed by means of the victory of the socialist world revolution. The European army of the proletariat is a detachment of the proletarian world army.

The relationship between the European state and the socialist revolutions in Europe directly corresponds to the relationship of world state and world revolution. They both depend on each other and can neither be separated from each other nor be put against each other.

We must connect the question of state and revolution with the destruction of the whole system of world imperialism, the destruction of the global power of the financial oligarchy, etc.. To the extent as every bourgeois state is intertwined internationally, the whole system of financial enslavement must be globally destroyed.

Therefore, and to the same extent, the integration of the proletarian socialist revolutions in Europe within the world revolution is necessary. We live -not alone- in the European Union but also in a global system of states. The destruction of the global network of the imperialist states is the one thing, however, the destruction of the states of the European Union is something quite different. For this purpose, the world revolution and the revolutions in Europe must form a complementary unit. And this is also valid in regard to the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat on a European and global scale, and also concerning to the establishment of the socialist state in Europe and the establishment of the socialist world state.

The fate of the European proletariat is invariably linked with the fate of the whole world proletariat. We can not struggle for a socialist Europe without the struggle for the world revolution. This would mean to abandon communism and to slip into the camp of the bourgeoisie. We fight against both the imperialist, cosmopolitan European "Great"-power chauvinism and the reactionary narrow-minded nationalism in every European country. We will defeat both bourgeois tendencies by means of the proletarian internationalism, implemented by the European proletariat in unity with the proletariat in every country of the world, in unity with the whole world proletariat.

We stand for the close union and the complete amalgamation of the workers and peasants of all European nations in a single European Soviet Republic.

The Socialist Republic of Europe is part of the Socialist World Republic.

Any evasion from the question of the dialectical relation between the European proletarian revolution and the European proletarian state is an evasion, which both promotes anarchism (question of the indispensability of the European state) as well as the total distortion and flattening of Marxism-Leninism through the revisionists (question of the violence of the European revolution and the character of armed European state – dictatorship of the European proletariat).

European capital reigns through the European counter-revolution. Therefore the socialist European state is needed as the European countervailing power.

The socialist state apparatus of Europe will be built on the ruins of the European capitalist state system.

Only with the help of the socialist European government, the socialist European economy will develop according to the aim of maximum satisfaction of the constantly growing

material and cultural needs of the entire socialist society of Europe, through continuous growth and improvement of socialist production on the basis of the most advanced technology and careful handling of the natural resources.

We struggle for the dictatorship of the united European proletariat:

- 1) The socialist European state is the Soviet state form of the dictatorship of the proletariat. The socialist state is the organized armed proletariat which is governing as a class all over Europe.
- 2) the dictatorship of the European proletariat is a special form of the class alliance between the proletariat and the peasantry under the leadership of the proletariat, as the supreme principle of the dictatorship of the proletariat.
- 3) the dictatorship of the proletariat is the highest form of democracy in class society - the proletarian democracy.
- 4) The dictatorship of the proletariat in Europe is the European domination of the working class, and it is based on the centrally organized cooperation of the proletarians of all European countries.
- 5) The dictatorship of the European proletariat destroys the imperialist European state system that exploited and oppressed nations outside from Europe and supports the proletariat of all these nations in the spirit of proletarian internationalism.

Stalinism-Hoxhaism is elimination of the antagonistic contradiction between the European nations, the elimination of the exploitation of the European nations through other nations, the achievement of the equality of European nations, solidarity and friendly cooperation and association of European nations, the overcoming of the capitalist law of inequality of the development of the one European nation opposite to the other European nation - all this relates to the implementation of the internationalist law of transition from capitalism to socialism.

Stalinism-Hoxhaism is elimination of non-antagonistic contradictions between European nations - and even eliminating the contradictions between European nations, and the fusion of the European nations as a pre-condition for the gradual abolition of European nations - all this serves the implementation of the general law of transition from socialism to communism.

The doctrine of the European union of socialist states, the doctrine of the socialist republic of Europe - is based on the Stalinist-Hoxhaist theory of the state, namely on the internationalist character of the European state which serves not only the European proletariat but the entire world proletariat. Thus, the European state of the proletariat is not an end in itself, but destined to contribute to the creation of socialist nations across the globe, to the creation of the socialist state of the world proletariat. The world-socialist state is surrounded by a socialist world whereas socialism in the European countries is encircled by the capitalist world.

With the world socialist revolution, the world proletariat becomes the ruling class in the world.

The socialist world state that is: the organized armed world proletariat as the globally ruling class.

The victory of socialism in Europe is not a self-sufficient task. The revolution which has been victorious in Europe must regard itself not as a self-sufficient entity, but as an aid, as a means for hastening the victory of the proletariat in all countries ... the beginning of and the precondition for the world revolution.

The world socialist state can only be created by the world proletariat itself - whereas the Soviet Union can "only" be part of it.



## **Future Draft for a Constitution of the Socialist European Union**

It is in the nature of things, that a constitution can only fulfil its purpose, if the material prerequisites are already given. The concrete formation of the future Union of European socialist states are not yet clearly foreseeable. Nevertheless it will prove to be useful even to imagine at least our raw notions of a possible "constitution".

### **THE FUTURE ORGANIZATION OF SOVIET SOCIETY OF EUROPE**

#### **ARTICLE 1.**

The Socialist European Union is a federal system of socialist states. This is indispensable for the subsequent transformation to a proper socialist European state of the workers and peasants.

#### **ARTICLE 2.**

The Soviets of Working People's Deputies, which grow and attain strength as a result of the overthrow of the landlords and capitalists and the achievement of the dictatorship of the proletariat, constitute the political foundation of the Socialist European Union.

#### **ARTICLE 3.**

In the Socialist European Union all power belongs to the working people of town and country as represented by the Soviets of Working People's Deputies.

#### **ARTICLE 4.**

The socialist system of economy and the socialist ownership of the means and instruments of production firmly established as a result of the abolition of the capitalist system of economy, the abrogation of private ownership of the means and instruments of production and the abolition of the exploitation of man by man, constitute' the economic foundation of the Socialist European Union.

#### **ARTICLE 5.**

Socialist property in the Socialist European Union exists either in the form of state property (the common possession of the peoples), or in the form of cooperative and collective-farm property (property of a collective farm or property of a cooperative association).

#### ARTICLE 6.

The land, its natural deposits, waters, forests, mills, factories, mines, rail, water and air transport, banks, post, telegraph and telephones, large state-organized agricultural enterprises (state farms, machine and tractor stations and the like) as well as municipal enterprises and the bulk of the dwelling houses in the cities and industrial localities, are state property of the Socialist European Union, and serve equally all the peoples.

#### ARTICLE 7.

Public enterprises in collective farms and cooperative organizations, with their livestock and implements, the products of the collective farms and cooperative organizations, as well as their common buildings, constitute the common socialist property of the collective farms and cooperative organizations. In addition to its basic income from the public collective-farm enterprise, every household in a collective farm has for its personal use a small plot of land attached to the dwelling and, as its personal property, a subsidiary establishment on the plot, a dwelling house, livestock, poultry and minor agricultural implements in accordance with the statutes of the agricultural artel.

#### ARTICLE 8.

The land occupied by collective farms is secured to them for their use free of charge and for an unlimited time, that is, in perpetuity.

#### ARTICLE 9.

Alongside the socialist system of economy, which is the predominant form of economy in the Socialist European Union, the law permits the small private economy of individual peasants and handicrafts-man based on their personal labour and precluding the exploitation of the labour of others.

#### ARTICLE 10.

The right of citizens to personal ownership of their incomes from work and of their savings, of their dwelling houses and subsidiary household economy, their household furniture and utensils and articles of personal use and convenience, as well as the right of inheritance of personal property of citizens, is protected by law.

#### ARTICLE 11.

The economic life of the Socialist European Union is determined and directed by the state global economic plan with the aim of increasing the public wealth, of steadily improving the material conditions of the working people and raising their cultural level, of consolidating the independence of the S.W.U. and strengthening its defensive capacity.

#### ARTICLE 12.

In the Socialist European Union work is a duty and a matter of honour for every able-bodied citizen, in accordance with the principle:

"He who does not work, neither shall he eat."

The principle applied in the Socialist European Union is that of world socialism:

"From each country according to its ability, to each country according to its work."

## ARTICLE 13.

All Socialist States of the European Union commit themselves voluntarily, to base their own constitution on the Constitution of the Socialist European Union.

## ARTICLE 14.

The Constitution of the Socialist European Union protects socialism throughout the historical era between world capitalism and world communism:

Protection of the socialist property of Europe: of land, forests, mills and factories and other means of production and - instruments;

Abolition of exploitation and elimination of the exploiting classes in all countries of Europe;  
Elimination of poverty of the world population and the profligacy of their minority, which has lived in luxury;

Elimination of unemployment on a European scale;

The right to work, e.g., the right on employment is guaranteed on a European scale.

European-right to recreation and regeneration

European-right to education, professional training, cultural and scientific activities

Active participation in the creation of all achievements of world socialism and use of all achievements of world socialism (measured in an equivalent value).

## ARTICLE 15.

The Constitution of the Socialist European Union is a constitution of the dictatorship of the proletariat, a constitution of the hegemony of the European proletariat, is an internationalist constitution of the ruling workers and peasants. The defence of the dictatorship of the proletariat against attempts at restoration of the European dictatorship of the bourgeoisie, against the restoration of capitalism, is constitutionally enshrined.

The Socialist European Union enshrines constitutionally the leading role of the Communist International and also Marxism-Leninism-Stalinism-Hoxhaism as the only valid ideology all over the world.

The Socialist European Union unceasingly develops the socialist world revolution by adhering to the global class struggle and aims at ensuring the final victory of the socialist road over the capitalist road, at achieving the complete construction of world socialism and world communism.

## ARTICLE 16.

The Constitution of the Socialist European Union. ensures the compliance with the rules of socialist internationalism between the Socialist European Union and the single socialist states, on the one side, and among the socialist states on the other side. Above all, the internationalist solidarity of the world proletariat and its allies is the highest duty, greatest honour and of immeasurable value for the whole European system of socialist states.

All socialist European states are equal.

The compliance with the equal treatment principle is obligatory. To be specific:

No difference, whether in the skin colour or language, whether cultural or other differences between the socialist countries of the European Union may ever justify any legal inequality.

The Constitution of the Socialist European Union ensures the same rights to all European nations, regardless of their past and present situation, regardless of their strength or weakness, in all spheres of economic, social, political and cultural life of the socialist society .

## ARTICLE 17.

The Constitution of the Socialist European Union guarantees human rights on an European scale.

The Constitution of the Socialist European Union protects proletarian democracy in Europe.

The Constitution of the Socialist European Union protects nature and natural resources, and watches over its harmonization with the needs and wishes of the world population. There is no distinction between active and passive citizens. All citizens of the Socialist European Union are politically active - namely in the sense and spirit of its constitution. The Constitution of the Socialist European Union guarantees equal rights of men and women on an European scale.

Repugnant to the Constitution, are distinctions such as "residents" and "non-residents", "strangers" and "natives", "possessors" and "dispossessed", "educated and uneducated", etc.

Throughout Europe, all citizens are equal, and thus their rights and obligations.

Not the locational advantage of a country over another, not the financial situation, not national or social origin, not gender, not the service position, etc., etc., but the personal skills and the personal work of each citizen in Europe determines its position in the socialist European society.

## ARTICLE 18.

The Constitution of the Socialist European Union ensures all the needed means for all round development of all the people who are living in the socialist world society.

Socialism in Europe is like a "single office" and like a "single factory" - with equal work and equal pay.

The Constitution protects health, food and prosperity of every citizen of the world.

## ARTICLE 19.

The Socialist European Union is a voluntary union of equal nations. This includes the right of leaving the Socialist European Union.

What distinguishes the federative Socialist European Union from the actual socialist European state ?

The type of government of the Socialist European Union (comparable with the Soviet Union of Lenin and Stalin) is based on an extensive decentralization, without which no all-encompassing foundation can be built on the centralization of a unified world government. The Socialist European Union is characterized by two key components:

first:

the first time, equal participation at the socialist government of the European nations - who were oppressed by both the world imperialism and the own bourgeoisie - and thus their centuries-long discrimination are ending.

second:

the first-time subordination of the former great powers under the common will of the nations and under the government of the united nations, the end of the epoch of the privileges and abuse of the dominant position of the great imperialist powers.

The Socialist European Union is a federal union of largely independent socialist countries, which gradually grow together and which foster their unification to a one single Socialist European State.

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## The Socialist European Union, is an inevitable building block of transitional forms of a global structure of states

The problem is this:

The socialist European state can not be established in one blow, such as world socialism can not be constructed in one blow. All the remains of the epoch of imperialism can neither be eliminated nor abolished, at a stroke. This is a stepwise global process for which a whole historical period of transformation will be needed. And within this long time, the socialist European state can only be developed stepwise. The Socialist European Union, is thus an inevitable transitional form of a global structure of states, all of which create conditions for their development towards the holistic and centralized world state - towards the first and last world government. In the course of the development of the Socialist World Union, the decentralized elements of the world federation will be phased out - in favour of the unitary, centralized elements of the states .

The Socialist European Union may neither be equated with the centralized socialist European state, nor be counter-posed. The Socialist European Union corresponds to the Soviet Union of Lenin and Stalin - on an European scale, which in turn was not yet developed towards a unified nation state - it was a Union of Soviet Republics.

At first, we strive for the destruction of antagonistic capitalist frontiers, and later on, for the abolition of the non-antagonistic socialist frontiers. We strive for world communism which needs no frontiers, no states. Our world politics aims for the realization of a free world without borders - a world without exploitation and oppression of men by men.

The world-proletarian state and its global ownership is a decisive lever and base for the construction of world socialism and thus for the creation of the precondition for the stateless world communism.

The state system of world capitalism decays because it can do nothing against its capitulation related to the unsolved social question - neither on a global, nor on a national scale. The reason: The state system of world capitalism has inseparably chained its own existence by means of its global exploitation and oppression.

The state system of world socialism wins, because it is a state system of the dictatorship of the world proletariat, which solves the social and the national question by means of the global elimination of exploitation and oppression.

The conditions for the victory of the state system of world socialism over the state system of world capitalism are:

the non-existence of contradiction between exploitation and oppression in general and the non-existence of the exploitive and oppressive states in particular;

the non-existence of the globalized, world-imperialist exploitation and oppression;

the elimination of its main imperialist manipulators, who fuel the ideology of world domination and mutual nationalist hatred;

the world proletariat is in power all over the world, which is an enemy of slavery and the unyielding carrier of the ideas of internationalism;

the actual realization of the mutual assistance of all peoples in all areas of the world economy and world social life;

finally restoration of the national culture of the peoples by means of the activities of the

Socialist World Union - formally (still) national (but no longer in the old capitalist forms), and world-socialist in content.

By all these and similar factors will change fundamentally the habits of the peoples under the conditions of world socialism.

The feeling of mutual distrust and above all the bitter feeling to be again enslaved by a new bourgeois world power - will gradually disappear. And these changes shall open the door to achieve truly brotherly cooperation among nations in the socialist world system of a unified federal state, the S.W.U..

In this way, the state-relations within the Socialist World Union will become a great impetus in favour of the whole development of world socialism. The result will be that we shall establish a strong and fully constructed socialist world state. It will bear all tests, and will coronate the glorious Great Soviet Union of Lenin and Stalin.

The antagonistic contradiction of capitalist states will be transformed into a non-antagonistic contradiction of socialist states, by means of the world dictatorship of the proletariat. These non-antagonistic contradictions are contradictions between big and small socialist states, more developed and less developed socialist states, etc.

The proletarian world dictatorship is the armed world power of the workers against the restoration of the old imperialist powers, against the restoration of world capitalism, against all counter-revolutionary remnants of world imperialism.

The key for the solution of this problem is the strengthening of the world state of the whole world proletariat in the spirit of socialist internationalism, is faith to the invincible teachings of the 5 Classics of Marxism-Leninism, is strengthening the global class-struggle, is continuation of the socialist world revolution ! The strength of the world state lies in its variety and diversity of the united socialist states, combined with high communist ideological content.

## The socialist European state as part of the socialist world state and its withering away.

The world-proletarian state can never die before the epoch of world communism.

It is a cornerstone of Stalinism-Hoxhaim that the consolidation of the global power of the Soviet state is indispensable for the fulfilment of our mission of world communism.

Postulations of the prematurely "withering of the state" - in midst of the international arena of class struggle, means nothing more than to disarm the world proletariat, and to betray the socialist world revolution. Because our Marxist-Leninist theory of the state was openly and hiddenly attacked by Tito, by Trotskyites, by revisionists etc., we need to defend it unconditionally.

The Marxist-Leninist state theory teaches that the state - as a special apparatus of coercion against people - will wither away, only there and then, when and where the division of society into classes, the division of physical and mental work, the division of city and country etc. etc. - withers away.

The tendency of the unification of socialist states (with the aim to form their common socialist world state), must be brought in compliance with the tendency of the unification of all countries by means of the centralized world state, because the driving force of the abolition of the States is based in the merger of states.

The state is transformed from the realm of necessity (to overcome the class antagonisms), into the realm of freedom of association of a humanized society (liberated from the state). Man is free only without a state. While the State exists, there can be no freedom. Freedom only exists when the state is abolished on a global scale, so in the society of world communism.

The socialist European state as part of the socialist world state is thus a state which will wither away in the period of world communism.