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HELLO ALL (The Group of 8,510+ and growing):

QR770 RADIO INTERVIEW
Here is the link to Bob Iverach’s interview on QR770 Radio. Go to September 20 at 1:00 a.m., then go to the 4:30 minute mark. It will lapse in seven days. Click here

THE CYNICAL DESPICABLES!

The current federal election campaign has a lot to offer; mostly manure of varied consistency, aroma and flavour. There is a noticeable lack of debate and information on issues that really matter to people who will be voting.

The NDP and Green Party are particularly nauseous. Neither has any hope of governing. Instead, one or both hope to prop up a minority government in return for acceptance of some wild policy positions they have taken. That is cynical and revolting. Neither party can attract more than a low (currently 13.6% and 7%) portion of electors, but they hope to jam their policies down our throats as part of a minority government. Their intent is to disrupt our political system in a quest for unearned power.

Jagmeet Singh shot the NDP in its foot, possibly fatally, by announcing a separate party policy for Quebec. Jean Chretien was the last prime minister to employ dual party policies (one in Quebec, another for elsewhere) and that did not end well. Quebec has less than 25% of Canada’s population and its own federal political party; the Bloc Quebecois.

Resentment against federal language policy run high outside of Quebec. Declaring the NDP not on side with English speaking Canada is a strange position.

Elizabeth May’s determination to make her party more stringently “green” than Al Gore and David Suzuki combined is not comforting. Ms May is strongly opposed to any mining or petroleum development - no drilling; no exploration; no pipelines. It does not occur to her that the federal government lacks jurisdiction. Natural resource development is a provincial jurisdiction.

Both the NDP and Greens are touting a national pharmacare program including dental care. We do not have a national health care program. We have ten separate provincial health care programs and a federal program to take
ten separate provincial health care programs and a federal program to take care of the territories, indigenous people, federal prison inmates and military personnel.

Very few jurisdictions have pharmacare programs and those who do offset enormous costs with annual deductibles, per procedure costs and co-payments; costs of services are reimbursed in part, ranging from 50% to 80% and not just on drugs and dentistry but on all health care services.

Both parties are touting free post-secondary education. The concept is appealing, expensive and open to abuse. Does the program include the costs residency and meals for out of city students? What about residents of one city who want to be educated in a university or college in a different city? What about a student who enrolls in a program and fails to pass? Why should the public subsidize failure? Then there are the perpetual students who earn a degree, like the university atmosphere and start over in a different discipline. Do we also provide free master’s degrees and doctorates?

The Green Party election platform runs to 88 pages: Click here

The NDP election platform runs to 109 pages: Click here

These are not election platforms; they are somewhere between policy documents and wish lists. An elected government has real problems to deal with, including creating a fair and even climate for business investment; ensuring that business tax rates are competitive with the USA; reviewing and reducing non-essential spending; simplifying our personal tax structure; confining federal spending to matters in constitutional authority; and respecting provincial constitutional authorities amongst other things. No government can be effective without paying attention to the fundamentals first.

We cannot continue to expand federal services until we ensure that the current basic programs are funded into the future or amended to ensure they are sustainable over the long haul. We cannot continue to squander funds on support for the United Nations and foreign aid until we are certain that fundamental federal programs are funded, and the books are balanced.

We can be certain that the Trudeau liberals have minority governance with NDP support as their fall-back position.
A **conservative minority** will produce **chaotic parliament** and a potential **resurrection** of the 2008 attempt to hijack parliament with a Liberal/NDP/Green/BQ coalition (not unlike the mess the UK is facing today).

**Nothing less than a conservative majority can protect the interests of Canadians.** The grasping interests of minority political parties are playing a key role in this election. Their willingness to **prostitute themselves for political power** must not be rewarded.

**Democracy is participatory; every election is decided by those who show up.**

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**OUR READERS' COMMENTS SECTION**

1. From a Reader (in Calgary):

   Accidents they happen
   Hence Trudeau did arrive
   Now the Burning Question
   Can Canada Survive??
   Trudeau a Drama Teacher
   And Drama what we got
   A Sick Fragmented Canada
   Seems to be the Plot

   He won with Broken Promises
   He never meant to keep
   Had no skills and faked the Role
   Now we’re in trouble deep
   Four years pass and he’s exposed
   A vain and hapless man
   Our Nation quickly breaking up
From Failure Ridden Plans

More and more now coming out  
His True Self more exposed  
So many once conned see the light  
And now turn up their nose  
We cannot let him win again  
So gather up all friends  
This battle much like Normandy  
The Stakes so much like then !!

Written by Paul Saks (Calgary, Alberta)

2. From a Reader: OMG!! What next and what can I say?? Can you imagine any other world “leader” performing in his India visit where even the P.M. of that country would not meet with him and the taking photo op’s in a gay parade, etc. etc. This guy is a nut case and yet the people in the East seem to still support this idiot?? What is happening to this once proud country when we now have an embarrassment as our so called leader. This guy needs to leave permanently. Click here

You no doubt have seen the video above many times but I send it on especially to our fellow Canadians in the East who just don’t seem to get!!!!!

3. From a Reader: Canada does have a chance to do well in the tumultuous times ahead; however, not under the current government and certainly not under its vision for our nation. We need to distance ourselves from such foolish ideological nonsense and become once again a place of sanity, respectful governance, rule of law and safety. If we can achieve this, we will be the envy of the world and this will bring with it a great prosperity. Elizabeth May is looking to do the opposite in sacrificing Canada and its people on the altar of global climate change activism. Such behaviour can only be called treason!

4. From a Reader: The people in Quebec and Ontario have always held the economic power in this country. In the late seventies and again in the 2000s, there was a distinct shift in economic power and influence towards the West and specifically Alberta. The flow of foreign and Canadian investment poured into Alberta and Canada’s big banks and decision makers could see their ability to control the nation beginning to erode. Trudeau #1 actually said on occasion that it was important for Quebec to retain its position and the
occasion that it was important for Quebec to retain its position and the creation of Petro-Canada and the National Energy Policy were intended to do just that. The creation of the Canada Space Agency in the 1970’s and the decision to locate it in Montreal instead of Winnipeg was another Liberal decision intended to support its base. It was hotly opposed by the Manitoba Government of the day. The environmental movement has provided a convenient opportunity for the Liberals to again go after Alberta to ensure it will continue to be a resource and financial supplier to the East without becoming too influential. While it makes total economic sense for the East to get its energy from the West, they fear it would provide the West too much leverage and a hammer to be used against them when the next Quebec referendum on separation comes and it will. They are simply waiting for the right economic conditions. Legault and many others remain separatists seeing an independent Quebec as the only way to preserve their culture, particularly in the face of an increasing Canadian population driven by immigration of non-francophones!

ADDITIONAL READING/ VIEWING

In closing, here is additional information on the problems we are facing and the need for us to take remedial action immediately to right our sinking ship.

1. TRUDEAU MAY BE ON YOUR NEXT BUS Click here

2. CONRAD BLACK: TRUDEAU’S NOT A RACIST, JUST A HYPOCRITE AND A WEAK LEADER Click here

3. JOHN BAIRD: CANADA IS QUICKLY LOSING FRIENDS IN A WORLD OF SHRINKING TRADE Click here

4. REX MURPHY: FOR ANYONE ELSE, RESIGNATION WOULD BE UNAVOIDABLE AND APPROPRIATE Click here

5. THE GREAT WHITE DORK - MAKES NEWS IN THE USA! Click here

ACTION ALBERTA - WHO WE ARE

We are a group of deeply concerned, unpaid Alberta resident volunteers. Our work is intended to educate, inform and motivate all Canadians to be visible and vocal regarding the unequal, unfair and discriminatory treatment of Alberta
by our Federal Government. Alberta’s energy sector is the most important
driver of the Canadian economy and its health directly impacts the standard of
living of every Canadian. Unfortunately, that is not happening under our current
Federal government!

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**Thank you for ALL of your support and interest!**

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