**THE NEW WORLD ORDER IN ACTION**

**War and economic violence: from the Middle East through Greece to Ukraine**

(450 WORDS SUMMARY)

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The function of the Transnational Elite is to facilitate the full integration of every country in the world into the NWO of neoliberal globalization, which implies the phasing out of their economic and national sovereignty. This integration is usually achieved through economic violence and only exceptionally through military violence. It was in fact the emergence and rapid expansion of Transnational Corporations (TNCs), a few hundred of which today control the bulk of global revenues, which has initially led to an informal opening and liberalization of markets, later on institutionalized by Thatcherism and Reaganomics. It was this development, which, together with the decay of the labor and socialist movements in the aftermath of de-industrialization in the West, signaled the collapse of social democracy and the rise of neoliberal globalization.

Therefore, neoliberalism is not just an ideology, but, instead, the inevitable outcome of a capitalist globalization based on TNCs, which could only be neoliberal. This means that the cause of the present crisis is not the austerity policies, as the globalist “Left,” maintains, since they are simply a symptom of globalization. It was the intellectual failure of the Left to grasp the real significance of globalization and its consequent political bankruptcy that were the ultimate causes of the rise of a neo-nationalist movement in Europe, which is embraced by most of the victims of globalization, particularly the working class that used to support the Left.

Today’s social struggle is not anymore just a struggle for social liberation, as it used to be in the past but, also, a struggle for national liberation. This implies a struggle for the creation of a new international community of sovereign and self-reliant peoples, as a precondition for any systemic change that would lead to a new form of internationalism inspired by the principles of solidarity and mutual aid, rather than the catastrophic principles of competitiveness and profit-making, as at present. -

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