

## The US and Israeli Crimes Are Crimes against Humanity!

### **The Crimes Committed by the US imperialists and Israeli Zionists against the People of Lebanon and Palestine Are Crimes against Humanity!**

It is nearly two weeks that the racist and Zionist regime of Israel is bombarding and slaughtering the people of Lebanon and Palestine. In this war against humanity, the Israeli regime has unconditional support of the US imperialists, has no respect for internationally recognized norms, and has closed its ears on world's public protests. The "civilized" and terrorist Israeli Zionists have waged a full-fledged war against defenseless civilians of Lebanon and Palestine and are exposing their barbarity by bombardment of the cities. According to the reports, more than 500 Lebanese have lost their lives, more than 2000 are injured, and more than 700,000 are displaced. The barbaric violence against the Lebanese and Palestinians still goes on and the inhuman conditions are deepening.

The barbaric Israeli and the US aggression against Lebanon and Palestine is responded by the anger and disgust of the people of the world. It is now clear that this military operation is a planned war of aggression and, contrary to the US and Israeli claims, has nothing to do with the capture of 3 Israeli soldiers in Lebanon and Gaza Strip. It is now for a while that the US is stuck in a quagmire in Iraq and Afghanistan and there is no clear way for the US and its allies to get out of their crisis. The US authorities are trying to divert the public attentions away from Iraq and Afghanistan and to Lebanon and Palestine with the hope that some window is opened to them. Furthermore, it is a while that the US and Israel have been considering the military invasion of Iran. By accusing Iran of having hands in the events in Lebanon and Palestine, the US and Israel are now preparing the ground for more dangerous adventures. After the occupation of Lebanon and disarming of Hezbollah's movement, it will be Iran and Syria's turns. The diplomatic statements made by the Bush administration indicate that they have planned aggression against Iran and Syria.

For the strategic goal of grabbing the energy resources of the Middle East and for imposing supremacy over the rivals, the US imperialists need Israel for creating enmity and dispersion in the region, for facilitating the US domination of Caucus and north Africa and the Middle East, and for having a reliable base for the suppression of the revolutionary, communist, and liberation movements.

The Israeli Zionists have attempted to imprison and enslave the entire Palestinian nation, but the people of Palestine have fought heroically against the Israeli oppression. It is clear today that the Zionist policy of uprooting Palestinians and of occupying Lebanon, under the pretext of "security" and "right to live", has faced a disgraceful defeat. One cannot use the pretext of "Nazi crimes" to commit "Nazi crimes" against the Palestinians and Lebanese. The state terrorism of the US and Israel and the interests of the imperialist monopolies are the sources of the deplorable conditions in Iraq, Afghanistan, Lebanon, Palestine, the Middle East region, and in the world. One must stand up to fascism, imperialism, and Zionism.

The Party of Labour of Iran (Toufan) demands an immediate halt to the Israeli destruction of Lebanon and Palestine. Our Party demands that the Israeli occupying forces to be withdrawn from all occupied territories immediately and unconditionally and that Israel pay reparation to the people of the region. We believe that Zionism is racism and expansionism. We condemn the Zionist-imperialist aggressions against Lebanon, Syria, Iran, or any other country in the region and demand an end to all hostilities against the people of the region. Our Party supports the legitimate and just struggles of the people of Palestine and Lebanon for their freedom and national independence. We condemn the massacre and

physical elimination of the people of the region under the pretext of "security" for Israel. The Party of Labour of Iran (Toufan) is for the security that recognizes the rights of all people of the region. The flames of the struggles of the people of Iraq, Afghanistan, Lebanon, and Palestine keep burning until their rights are recognized and are achieved.

It is the task of the Party Comrades to defend the legitimate and just struggles of the people of Lebanon and Palestine, to mobilize the freedom loving people of the world for anti-imperialist and anti-occupation demonstrations, and to expose the sinister goals of imperialists and Zionists gangs in the Middle East.

**The US imperialists and Israeli Zionists hands off the people of the Middle East!**

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