

Spot the Difference, 3rd Election in-lay Interview with the WRP

Interview questionnaire with the Workers Revolutionary Party represented by its Commissioned Representative & Political Secretary Mr. Hewat Beukes



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Your publications contain serious falsifications of our party in relation to the following facts:
The WRP was founded in 1984 as a Marxist (Trotskyist) group by a group led by Hewat Beukes. It published "The Worker" (now "Die Werker") as its (Marxist) newspaper since 1987.

If you were to predict the elections outcome, which will likely be true?

- 1. Your party wins majority seats in the National Assembly**
- 2. Your presidential candidate wins the majority vote**
- 3. 60% of Namibian youth will cast their vote**

Answer:

The Elections are a farce. See forwarded correspondence of the WRP in this regard.

What motivated the formation of your political party?

[The formation of our party was motivated by] National self-determination, workers' rights and workers' political power.

What philosophies/principles are at the core of your party's identity?

Marxism: dialectical materialism and political determination.

How do you think history will remember your party?

As the party which stood in defense of the working people of Namibia – workers, poor peasants, lower middle classes - on all levels in practice.

In what ways do you think your party has changed since its formation?

It has grown in the depth of its knowledge of Namibian society and its complex struggles.

What is your party's stance on the following issues?

Unemployment amongst the youth

Unemployment will continue to rise under this comprador state.

Access to resources for young entrepreneurs

With the level of theft by dysfunctional tribal regime small and medium enterprises is an illusion.

Gender equality and Women empowerment

Gender equality and women empowerment can only become a reality under the political ascendancy of the working people. In the Namibian situation with a tribal regime foisted on society it is an illusion.

The Land Question in Namibia

The Land Question must be addressed by restoring legality. The disposed communities will never rise to a level of human dignity without the restoration of their collective land possession.

Nation-building amidst gender-based violence, ethnic heterogeneity

Nation building can only be achieved by a programme to restore the right to self-determination of the communities and their rights. Tribalism is kindled under the present tribalist regime. The only factor tending to unite communities is the collective horror at the State's depravity.

Government procurement processes of goods and services

The regimes' organization into domains of pathological thievery is what is farcically referred to as "Government procurement processes of goods and services". It is the root of State bankruptcy, but it is continuing unabatedly nonetheless.

Corruption and Accountability

Corruption is institutionalised, open and transparent. The State is dysfunctional and cannot account.

Decentralization: Devolution to Regional and Local councils

Decentralisation and devolution are workshop terms for spreading systemic corruption to localities. The only way to alter the *status quo* is through the organisation of the working people led by the working class.

What is your party's short and long-term vision for Namibia?

If society cannot succeed in organizing itself against the ravages of international capital through this comprador State, it will socially disintegrate and face deepening crisis of extreme poverty and human degradation.