

Call for counter attack on insults against CSOs and some other sabotages to reinforce the ongoing peacebuilding by peaceful means in Ethiopia

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Dear Civic Community,

I am writing this email in order to call for counteract against Birhanu's insult during his press conference (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JO5p2vXcedE&t=951s>.) which reads as “የኛ ሃገር NGOs ፈረንጅ የገገራቸውን ብቻ ይዘው ማዘግጠጥ ይቀናቸዋል ወይም የፈረንጅ ተላላኪ ናቸው ምና ምን፣ ምና ምን...”

In pragmatic terms, we, CSOs are always not only being by the side of poor, excluded and affected peoples regardless of their diverse social origins but also placing ourselves in their shoes in order to raising their concerns.

However, in recent decades, these types of insults accompanied by some other degenerative terms such as NGOs are corrupts/ thieves, lords, the lungs of their masters, etc. are recurrently amplified and declared in new formats or versions. I do believe that there are very few NGOs that deserve such insults. However, generalizing NGOs in one size-fit-to-all terms are not acceptable by any measure.

“.....ወጣቱ ጋዜጠኛ ተዎድሮሰ አሰፋው አዛውንቱን ፕሮፌሰር መከረ፤ ወቀረ እንዲሁም አነወረ (ቆሞ ቀር.....የሎጥ ሚስት.....)..”.....LoL, LoL, LoL, LoL, LoL,.....

For a lesson, I have shared you the voice of Tewdros Asfaw (The Youngest Local Journalist) (Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F2rTf717miY>) against Brihanu's press conference in a view to condemn such kind of speeches and some other unethical concepts as well as the genesis of conflicts and chaos in Ethiopia, who instigating these conflicts, who stands to gain from them, etc.

Frankly speaking, in his press conference with Ethio Selam Media, Tewdros Asfaw has boldly exposed him including his party as one of the systemic stakeholders or designers/architects and drivers of the Northern civil war and other civil unrests in Ethiopia.

How long do professionals remain neither true nor wrong? (Source: Gebeyehu, "I WANT TO GET BIG THINGS DONE" Administrator Samantha Power (Samrawit Hailu, in local language. Wed, Aug 4, 2021)

Moreover, Tewdros Asfaw endorsed that Birhanu including his party are among entities who are completely offended by the recent Pretoria peaceful agreement and its progress Abiy Administration and TPLF have firmly demonstrated.

Further, Twdros Asfaw systematically disclosed that these groups are doing their best directly and indirectly to spoil the ongoing Abiy Administration and TPLF commitments to sustain peace and stability in Ethiopia rigorously by simmering mistrust and some other vices which will be a signal to all peacebuilding practitioners.

A body of literatures reportedly state that below the thin layer of nationalism, racial and ethnic chauvinism, vicious brands in the name of religions and politics, the real reason for many conflicts is the struggle for the access and control of money and materials.

"The world is too dangerous...not because of the people who do evil, but because of the people who sit and let it happen." -----Albert Einstein

“ተረት-ተረት/Storytelling....5....

የዚህ ጥናት አዘጋጅ መርሃቤቱ አካባቢ ለዚህ ጥናት ለወይይት ከተመረጡ የፖለቲካ አባል ከሆኑት ለጥናትና ምርምር ስነ-ምግባር ማክበር ሲባል በተነሳ ስማቸውን መጥራት ያላስፈለገውን ለመርሃቤቱ ወረዳ የኢይማ ተመራጭ የሆኑ የጥናት አዘጋጅ የቅርብ ግለሰብ ከዚህ ቀጥሎ ላቀረበላቸው ጥያቄ የሰጡትን መልስና ሌሎች ውይይቶችን እንደሚከተለው ያቀርባል፡

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እና አቡሽ ይህ ሁሉ የምረጡኝ ሳይሆን ዘመቻ፣ ሽኩቻ እና ፉክቻ የፈረደበት የመረጠውን ድሃ ህዝብ ሊያገለግል መሰለህ... እባክህ ይህን እንቶምሲያወሩት ሆድ ባዶ ነው የሚቀረው፡፡ (Source: ገበየሁ፣ ሐምሌ 2014 ዓ.ም፣ The Portfolio BILL, Page 93 of 212)”

At this point in time, as I amplified in my recent email regarding the Pretoria peaceful resolution, Abiy Administration and TPLF have evidently brought a cross-cutting solution to end up the Northern Civil war fundamentally by signing a peaceful agreement and act accordingly which I have acknowledged.

Truly speaking, the civil war in Ethiopia which has been surrounded by a tug of war between very polarized discourses among diverse old elites or wolves, mainly, has caused unimaginable anguish and brought the country nearly to the verge of collapse.

Accordingly, I underscore that at this particular hard time, we badly seek any entity who is ever committed to a neutral ground for the promotion of cultures of peace characterized by the spirit of forgiveness, a willingness to listen to others, to dialogue, to encourage healing and reconciliation.

“...Underpinning and sustaining the ongoing peace process through family education, academic education, social education and religious education, country or nationwide so as to nullify the conspiracy of some conflict entrepreneurs including their extended lunges of arrogant medias (Source: Gebeyehu Pretoria Peaceful Resolution, December 2022)...”

In strong terms further, we badly seek any entity who is ever committed to raw and organic concepts that repairs our broken hearts stemmed from the Northern civil war, our madness as well as other chaos in Ethiopia which have systematically been crafted by few guilds who are badly chained to accumulate excessive money and materialistic accumulations in the expense of poor blood or blood-letting.

“ማሪያም እየሱስ ወደ ነበረበት ቦታ ደርሳ እንዳየችው፤ እግሩ ላይ ተደፍታ ጌታዬ አንት እዚህ ብትኖር ኖሮ ወንድሜ ባልሞተ ነበር” አለችው።ኢየሱስም እርስዎ ስታለቅስ ተከትለዋት የመጡት አይሁድም ሲያለቅሱ ባየጊዜ መንፈሱ በሃዘን ታወከ፤ “የት ነው የኖራችሁት” ሲል ጠየቀ። እነሱም “ጌታዬ ሆይ መጥተህ እይ” አሉት። እየሱስም እንባውን አፈሰሰ።” ዮሃ 11፡ 32-35
(Source: ገበየሁ፣ ሐምሌ 2014 ዓ.ም፣ The Portfolio BILL, Page 27 of 12)”

In conclusion, we have to support the ongoing peaceful efforts by peaceful means through reversing the old vices of greed, corruption, selfishness and blind pursuit for power and all the privileges that come with it as they can continue to be powerful forces to bring cyclic ills/evils, while the universal values of justice, integrity, compassion and love are sacrificed.

Thus, I am writing this email so as to call for counter attack such type of insults against CSOs and some other sabotages in order to stabilize our country and people as well as maintain the prestigious of the wider CSOs by shunning such a narrative and legacy of pointing fingers to the victims.

“...በተለይ ዓብይን የወለደውን አባቱ ኢህአድግን ስም በማጠልሸት፤ ሰዎችን በሰው ስራሽ ማንነታቸው በማግለል፤ ኢህአድግን የሚያስታውስ ቁስ ነገርም ሆነ በድርጅቱ

ውስጥ አብረው የነበሩት ሰዎች ጭምር ላንዴና ለመጨረሻ ጊዜ ከምንግስት መዋቅር ውስጥ ተጥረግርገው መጥፋት አለባቸው በሚል ትርፍ ባገኘ ሃረግ በስውርና በቀጥታ የለውጥ ጠላፊ ሙሰኞች፣ ባቋራጭ የስልጣን የመያዝ ናፋቂዎችና የእነሱ-መሰል የውስጥና የውጪ የስርዎ መንግስት ጥገኞች የአንድን እናት ልጆች እጃቸውን በእጃቸው እንዲነካከሱ በማድረግ ዛሬ ሁላችንንም በያለንበት የሚገጠን ስቃይ ውስጥ መውደቃችንን ይህ ጥናት ያረጋገጠው የሚያሳዝን ክስተት መሆኑን የጥናት አዘጋጅ በተጨማሪም ያረጋገጠው ጉዳይ ነው።

በተያያዘ ሁኔታ የግብይ አድሚኒስትሬሽን በተለያዩ ባለ ድርሻ አካላት ማለትም የተለያዩ ተፋላሚ ቡድኖች፣ ከሸኔ፣ ከወያኔ፣ ከኤርትራ፣ ከሱዳን፣ ከሶማሊያ ወዘተ ውስጥ ያለውን ስር የሰደደና የቅርብ ጊዜ ጦርነትና ግጭቶችን ለአንዴና ለመጨረሻ ጊዜ ከአሜሪካና ከተለያዩ ተጽዕኖ ፈጣሪ የውጪ ሀይሎች ያለውን ጥገኛ ሰራሽ መጠነኛ ያለመግባበት ክፍተት ጭምር በሰላም ሊፈታው ታችና ላይ እያለ ነው (ምነው እግዚአብሔር ለድሃ እናት ሲል ባደረገው - የጥናት አዘጋጅ ምኞት ነው) በሚል የረከሰ አረመኔያዊ ስሌትና ቅሌት እነዚህ የሚታወቁት ከላይ የተጠቀሱት የውስጥና የውጪ ስርዎ አዘማሞች ወይም ተኩላዎች ዛሬም በተለያዩ ቅርፅና የእስሰት ቀለም በተለይ የሃይማኖት፣ የግብረ ሰናይ፣ የብሄር፣ የነገድ፣ ወዘተ ጭንብል በመልበስ በድሃ ደም ዳግም ለመነገድ እንደ ቀትር የከሰም ወንዝ አደገኛ እባብ ወይም እንደ አማላኩ ድራክላ (Dragon, a mythical biblical creature represented a monstrous winged and scaly serpent with a crusted head very enormous claws/nails) ሲከለፈለፉ እንደሚውሉ ይህ ጥናት አስቀድሞ ያየውም ጉዳይ መሆኑን እንደሚከተለው በድጋሚ ማጋራቱን በማስታወስ ነው።” (Source: ገበየሁ፣ ሐምሌ 2014 ዓ.ም፣ The Portfolio BILL, Page 84 of 212)

Sincerely,
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