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A WORLD FOR ALL, A WORLD WHERE ALL HUMAN RIGHTS ARE RESPECTED

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RIGHTS

GLOBALISATION: THEIRS AND OURS

ALL HUMAN RIGHTS ARE INDIVISIBLE

*All Human rights - **political, civil, economic, social or cultural** - are universal and indivisible.*

The right to work is as fundamental as freedom of speech; the right to education as important as the right to a fair trial.

No right is more important than any other.

THE GLOBAL ECONOMY WE REJECT

The **market-driven globalisation** underway has nothing to do with our aim of abolishing frontiers between peoples.

The present globalisation leads to:

- . increased inequalities;
- . new ways of violating **civil liberties**;
- . impunity for multinationals and international financial institutions;
- . contempt for the people's rights and the **undermining** of democracy.

The result of this process constitutes an assault on human and civil rights

Market driven globalisation reduces the capacity of individual States, and the European Union, to act independently, **without permitting** the international community to establish common rules which are accepted by all. It transfers power to the WTO, the IMF and the World Bank but fails to require these institutions to respect human and civil rights.

The most powerful States, the European Union and its Member States have thus given up fundamental rights in the name of "free trade".