## Statement from the NDPC

## 'Gorbachov demanded LaRouche's head'

Warren Hamerman, chairman of the National Democratic Policy Committee (NDPC), issued the following statement on the Leesburg raids at a Washington, D.C. press conference on Oct. 7:

No federal paramilitary raid like that which occurred against LaRouche in Leesburg yesterday could have happened without the approval of the White House. Gorbachov demanded the head of LaRouche on a platter, before the Iceland presummit this weekend. Did the President blink? Or did his Chief of Staff throw a hood over his head and go around his back?

The high-level view from Europe is that William Weld, the mass perjurer from Boston, and Don Regan of Merrill Lynch conducted a raid which was timed as a signal of capitulation from the President to Gorbachov, as part of the price for the Iceland pre-summit. Does the President have the moral fiber to now resist Don Regan's plan for him to out-do Neville Chamberlain in Iceland? If Ronald Reagan personally does not intervene to call off William Weld and Don Regan's vendetta against Lyndon LaRouche, a thoroughly innocent man who is publicly identified by the Russians repeatedly as their public enemy number one, then the President shall be forever known as a symbol of shame and weakness

The President's Chief of Staff, Donald Regan, is a personal enemy of Lyndon LaRouche. He opposes Lyndon LaRouche's economic policy, LaRouche's war on AIDS, and LaRouche's war on drugs.

One high-level source in the Church in Europe commented on yesterday's raid in Leesburg, as follows: "Remember the section of the Bible before Armageddon. Remember the biblical passage on the Apocalypse: The evil ones seek to slay those who do not have the mark of the beast on their brows." Gorbachov has the mark of the beast on his forehead. Lyndon LaRouche does not worship the image of the beast. Gorbachov, who has the mark of the beast on his forehead, has thus demanded LaRouche's head on a platter in the days before the pre-summit.

Lyndon LaRouche represents a political force, a growing force in this country, of 20% to 30% of the Democratic Party electorate, which will be tested on the ballot in a few weeks. The timing of the raid on the eve of the general elections in November, is most significant.

We know for a fact, from an informant high in the government, that not only does Don Regan fear LaRouche's general policies, but he quite specifically fears Lyndon LaRouche's campaign to end the Centers for Disease Control's cover-up of AIDS. He fears the LaRouche-backed Proposition 64, which is on the California ballot. He fears that Lyndon LaRouche will succeed in blowing the lid off the CDC cover-up of AIDS in Belle Glade, Florida, and the global tropics. We have received from an informant, a quite specific and detailed report, that sometime in the past two weeks, a call was placed from the Chief of Staff's office in the White House under Donald Regan's personal command, to call off an investigation of the Atlanta CDC for its sabotage of research on AIDS, and its continued cover-up the nonhigh-risk cases in Belle Glade, Florida, and elsewhere. Donald Regan is personally committed to backing up this CDC's lies on AIDS and the CDC's cover-up on AIDS.

Why did the Chief of Staff, who was formerly and still is the czar of economic policy in the Reagan administration, back up the CDC cover-up of AIDS, their stinking cover-up and lies about the way this disease is spreading? First and foremost, it is because Don Regan fears that if the American public finds out the truth about AIDS, that this disease is species-threatening, could wipe out every man, woman, and child on the face of the Earth, that the American public will demand emergency action, the American public will demand a public health emergency, a national research effort, and a change in the economic policy which has caused this calamity. This program, which the American people, and any rational person would wish, will cost more money than Don Regan wishes to spend. This program of Lyndon LaRouche would blow up the entire budget which Don Regan is trying to maintain.

LaRouche knows the details of Don Regan's "AIDS-gate." We have documentation that the CDC is lying about the no-identifiable-risk cases in Belle Glade. Take your camera crews to Belle Glade, and see the results of Don Regan's economic policies. You can see first hand, the results of the policy of this administration.

Donald Regan does not want to spend money for defense, or a war on AIDS, or a war on drugs. His crony, William Weld, the walking conflict of interest in the Criminal Division of the Justice Department, conducted the \$10 million panty raid in Leesburg for this purpose.

Gorbachov is laughing all the way to Iceland. And he is eagerly awaiting to see if the Chief of Staff can induce the President to kiss his Gucci shoes in Reykjavik. The situation is that simple. That is why William Weld and Donald Regan pulled off their multimillion-dollar raid in Leesburg yesterday. There is no evidence of any wrong-doing in the case of Lyndon LaRouche. On the table is merely a demand by Gorbachov, on the eve of a summit, before a U.S. general election, to give a symbol of capitulation to their Empire, and their Empire's demands, as a price for that pre-election summit. This is the issue on the table.

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