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16.01.19 – Arthur Scargill’s statement on Jeremy Corbyn’s rejection of ‘No Deal’ Brexit

Jeremy Corbyn’s statement that any discussions with the government will only take place provided that ‘no deal’ is taken off the table is not only deplorable but an act of betrayal of both socialist principle and a betrayal of the democratic vote of the British people and the 60 per cent of Labour constituencies who voted to leave the European Union including its corrupt Customs Union, it’s rigged Single Market and it’s unacceptable Free Movement of workers and Capital. His appalling abandonment of his previous position would have been condemned by the late Tony Benn, Michael Foot and is condemned by me who for over 40 years regarded him as a comrade and friend. No More.

18.01.19 – Response by Takis Fotopoulos

I just heard Arthur Scargill’s statement on the disgusting (though far from unexpected) siding of Corbyn with those in the Labour Party and the Establishment at large, who desperately strive to rule out “no deal” ie the only outcome of the deliberately created Brexit crisis that really frightens them. I fully agree that Corbyn’s stand is an act of betrayal of both socialist principle and of the democratic vote of the British people who voted for Brexit. I would add that it is also a betrayal of the struggle for social liberation going on all over Europe at the moment, as it is particularly shown by the gilets jaunes (Yellow Vests) movement in France, which faces today the same brutal state repression as the miners’ movement in the 1980’s that led to the collapse of the working class movement and of the Left in general. The aim of the elites today is similar: to crush the movements for national sovereignty as a precondition for social liberation, which, starting with Brexit, have flourished all over Europe and beyond, inspiring the victims of globalization everywhere!

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