

### **UN Boss: Use "Climate Action" to "Transform World"**

KATOWICE, Poland — As the most important United Nations "global warming" summit since the 2015 confab in Paris kicked off in Katowice last week, UN Secretary-General Antonio Guterres (shown) declared that socalled "climate action" offers a "compelling path to transform our world." Even your "mind" must be transformed, he said. Many other proud socialists, communists, and globalists have also called for using the manmade global-warming hypothesis to transform the world. And they are not kidding.



In fact, the man-made global-warming theorists in attendance at the UN summit here are working to exploit alarmism over the "climate" to restructure every aspect of human life. This includes the economy, industry, governance, and even your thinking, Guterres declared. The sought-after global transformation will also involve more government promotion of feminism, planetary taxes on emissions of carbon dioxide (CO2), a total transformation of governance, and so much more, explained Guterres, a longtime socialist leader who led the <u>Socialist International</u> before becoming UN boss.

But as the <u>wheels come off the bandwagon with top world leaders such as President Donald Trump</u> <u>rejecting the UN alarmism</u>, UN leaders are becoming even more alarmist. One UN chief, UN General Assembly president Maria Espinosa, even claimed mankind was "in danger of disappearing" if humanity refuses to submit to the UN agenda. "We need to act urgently, and with audacity," she exclaimed. "Be ambitious, but also responsible for the future generations."

The World Wildlife Fund, a radical group promoting tyranny and globalism under the guise of "environmentalism," has billboards and fliers here claiming humans are an "endangered species." Asked whether this was due to abortion and population control, a WWF representative at the booth in the COP24 venue responded that no, it was because of "climate change."

Guterres, a fervent globalist, ludicrously claimed hurricanes that struck the Caribbean last year were "emergencies" that "are preventable," as if hurricanes were caused by refusal to submit to carbon taxes quickly enough. Speaking some days afterwards at the COP24 summit, former U.S. Vice President Al Gore made similarly dishonest claims, pointing to everything from snow fall to bad weather to argue that human activity and choice needed to be further curtailed.

"It is hard to overstate the urgency of our situation," Guterres continued in his fear-mongering speech. "Even as we witness devastating climate impacts causing havoc across the world, we are still not doing enough, nor moving fast enough, to prevent irreversible and catastrophic climate disruption. Nor are we doing enough to capitalize on the enormous social, economic and environmental opportunities of climate action."

In America, socialists are using virtually the exact same rhetoric. Speaking last week alongside selfdescribed Socialist Senator Bernie Sanders, self-styled "democratic" socialist Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez

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<u>called for using the "climate" agenda to implement her fringe vision for America</u>. "[We] can use the transition to 100 percent renewable energy as the vehicle to truly deliver and establish economic, social and racial justice in the United State of America," she exclaimed.

Indeed, globalists and socialists have made clear on repeated occasions that they view the phony "climate crisis" as an "opportunity" to achieve their "social" and "economic" goals — namely, wealth redistribution, government controls over ever-larger swaths of human activity, social engineering, and more. And throughout the conference, that was clearly on display as every globalist special interest group came to link its totalitarian agenda to the "climate" bandwagon.

"Climate action offers a compelling path to transform our world for the better," Guterres continued. "In short, we need a complete transformation of our global energy economy, as well as how we manage land and forest resources. We need to embrace low-carbon, climate-resilient sustainable development." For those who are unfamiliar with UN-speak, <u>"sustainable development" is code for governmentdirected development and global technocratic rule.</u>

All of this can be accomplished through the mechanisms agreed to by Obama and other "leaders" in 2015 at the UN "climate" summit in France. "The Paris Agreement provides a framework for the transformation we need," Guterres said, calling for "concerted resource mobilization" and "transformative climate action in five key economic areas — energy, cities, land use, water and industry."

According to the UN boss, all of this transformative action must be geared toward shackling humanity to what is euphemistically <u>dubbed the "green economy."</u> Reading the descriptions given of this "green" economy, it becomes immediately apparent that it is a lot like the "red economy" of yesteryear. The difference: the justification is primarily "environmental" in nature, rather than relying on the discredited communist "ideology" so tainted in the public mind following the institutionalized mass murder of over 100 million people just in the last century.

The "green" economy "means embracing carbon pricing," Guterres continued, arguing that the gas exhaled by every human being is "pollution" that must be taxed and regulated. This "green" economy also means vastly increasing the scope of the welfare state and the level of dependence on government among individuals. Those workers whose "sectors" face "disruption" must have "retraining" from government, as well as a "social safety net." In other words, when you lose your job due to the "green" economy, the government will take care of you and your family — maybe.

Spending some \$100 billion per year will provide a "positive political signal." This money is supposed to go into the UN Green Climate [Slush] Fund to help bribe Third World governments into cooperating with the scheme. More will be required later, naturally. At the moment, the U.S. government is prohibited by law from providing money to this fund, <u>but Obama did it anyway</u>, and the next president may try to do it as well.

"Decisive climate action today is our chance to right our ship and set a course for a better future for all," Guterres continued. "The transition to a low-carbon economy needs political impetus from the highest levels.... We need a full-scale mobilization of young people. And we need a global commitment to gender equality, because women's leadership is central to durable climate solutions." Gender policy, feminism, and the indoctrination of children are all key, as countless other UN leaders have also made clear.

Shortly after his initial speech, Guterres gave another, focusing on similar themes, including the

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"transformation of the real economy" that the UN and its member governments must oversee in energy, industry, nature, cities, and much more. "I count on multiple new transformational commitments from governments, business, finance and civil society in each of these areas," he added. "To achieve genuine transformation in the real economy, we need national governments to play a crucial role in each of the robust coalitions which will deliver concrete transformative outcomes."

Finally, the UN Secretary-General made clear that even your mind was in the UN's cross-hairs. "The Paris Agreement is not a piece of paper. It is a historic compact among nations, a compact to ensure our survival," he said, as if mass murderers who enslaved nations — Kim Jong Un, the Castro regime, Islamic dictatorships, and others like them — were actually nations. "This coming year we must put it to use to transform our economies, *our minds*, and our future." This has been <u>a recurring theme with the UN</u>.



All sorts of companies, non-profit groups, "religious" leaders, "civil society" organizations, Big Oil, and others were tripping over themselves to sign on. At an event featuring Guterres and other top UN bosses, for example, a number of globalist mega-banks with trillions of dollars in combined lending vowed to "put their balance sheets to work" in advancing the warmist agenda. "It shows that banks are becoming increasingly ready to take the bold steps needed to play our part in achieving a low-carbon economy," said ING CEO Ralph Hamers, one of many cronies jumping on the bandwagon.

Critics and scientists, though, were outraged at all the talk of transformation, citing the pseudo-science underpinning the whole effort. "Why do all the scientists and politicians and rent-seekers continue to play the games of the urgent need to stop CO2 from rising by changing to 'renewable' energies while Paris is literally burning because people cannot afford to pay more taxes for nothing in return?" wondered astrophysicist Dr. Willie Soon of the Solar and Stellar Physics (SSP) Division of the Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics.

In a statement to *The New American*, Dr. Soon slammed the anti-energy movement for attacking reliable, cheap and abundant energy while people are in dire need. "How about the energy needs of Africa, India, China and South America: can they all really live purely from the 'clean' energy of the Sun and Wind?" he asked. "This is truly a sad tale of third rate scientific studies and fake evidence dressing up to rob the world of cheap and abundant energy."

Even President Trump slammed the effort to fundamentally transform the world under the guise of climate, too. "The Paris Agreement isn't working out so well for Paris. Protests and riots all over France," said Trump on December 8, trolling the UN summit and embattled French President Emmanuel Macron. "People do not want to pay large sums of money, much to third world countries (that are questionably run), in order to maybe protect the environment. Chanting 'We Want Trump!' Love France."

As the UN global-warming alarmists finalize their "rule book" for implementing the UN Paris

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<u>Agreement</u> and restructuring the world, opposition is growing in tandem worldwide. Trump, incoming Brazilian President Jair Bolsonaro, the anti-warmist tax revolt in France, and other developments hung like a cloud over the COP24 in Katowice. But as has become clear, a wide range of totalitarians from all over the world — socialists, globalists, communists, Islamists, and others — are all hoping to weaponize the "climate" alarm they cooked up to advance their dangerous agenda.

It is not too late to stop them. But Americans must act now.

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