

Vote for Self-determination May 22nd 2014

at the European elections



Tamil Eelam



Panjab



Kashmir



Kurdistan



National Liberal Party Election Manifesto for the European Parliament 2014

South Azerbaijani Turk



North Borneon



England



Matabelen



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in the European
Parliament

NATIONAL LIBERAL PARTY – Spearheading Self-Determination in London

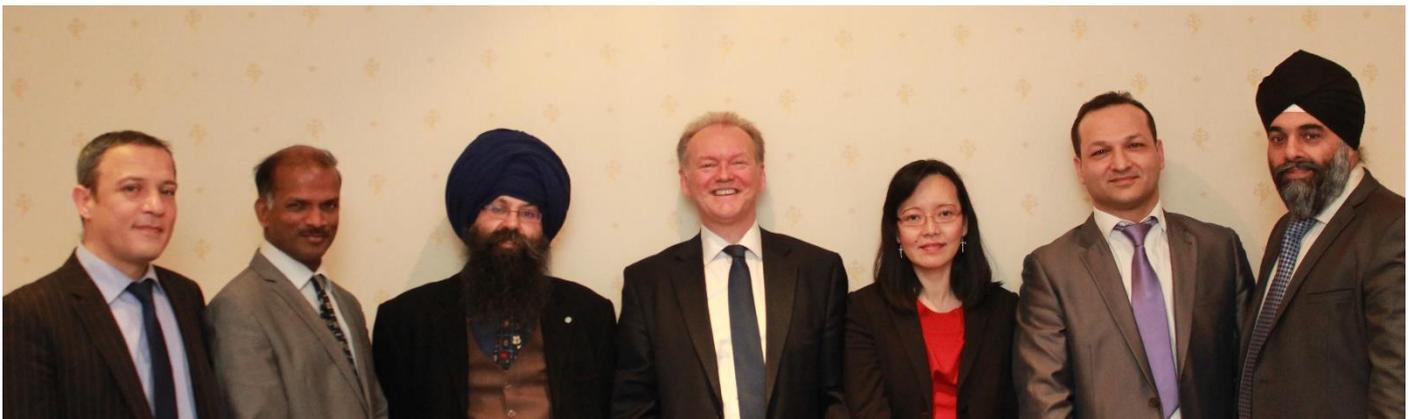
Giving the self-determinist communities of London a direct voice in the European Parliament!

London is a complex and diverse mix of communities, peoples and nations from all around the world. Indeed, with 8 million plus residents, London is the most populous city in Europe. Furthermore, it has the most ethnically and racially diverse mix anywhere in the world. LONDON IS THE WORLD!

Within that mix there are many peoples who, or their families, escaped persecution, discrimination or worse, in their homeland, because they dared support a desire to determine their own governance, something we take for granted here in the UK.

Standing for self-determination!

For 22nd May 2014 European Parliament Election, the NATIONAL LIBERAL PARTY is putting forward a team of 8 ethnically and racially diverse candidates – Tamil, Sikh, Azerbaijan, Kurdish, English, North Borneo (Sabah-Sarawak), to represent the real grassroots London.



There are at least 200,000 Sikhs in London, 100,000 Tamil, 80,000 Kashmiri, 60,000 Kurds, and perhaps some 200,000 others from smaller Diasporas, who wish that their brethren 'back home' could enjoy the same freedoms we enjoy here.

Right: 10,000 Sikhs massacred in 1984 while British Government keeps silent for next 30 years.





Our election campaign will be spearheading the message of *Self-Determination for all!* for nations without states. Many peoples from those nations are substantially represented in numbers, but not politically, in London life and society. Even amongst the English there is a growing call to have their own national Parliament as Scotland already has and we support that call.

Left: Campaigning against the Sri Lankan Genocide of May 2009

Across the world, multiple mini-wars within states like Sri Lanka, India, Pakistan, China, Nigeria, Iran, Turkey, Morocco, Yemen, have or are taking place on the question of peoples' rights to determine their own affairs, form their own parliaments, government and laws, and decide their conditions of life, whether as autonomous areas or even in Independent states.

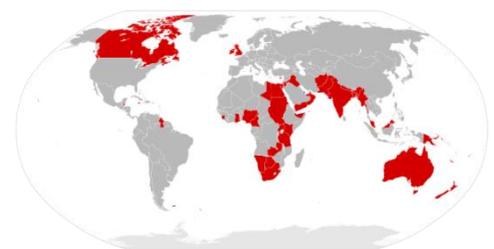
Many oppressed peoples are deliberately misrepresented by Governments and media e.g. branding them as extremists or terrorists. In the UK, even Shia Moslems are lumped together with some Sunni terrorists, even though the former regard themselves as peaceful and loyal British citizens.

The very same critical right of SELF-DETERMINATION is being played in the domestic and international politics of Britain too. We have the Scottish referendum in September 2014 and we have the big question of the European Union and its overarching powers pressing and intruding into the life of Britain. **The difference is, whilst we will ultimately be allowed to VOTE on our future, in many countries that right is DENIED on pain of imprisonment or death.**

Struggles for SELF-DETERMINATION and freedom, liberty and human rights directly affect and define the lives of many settled and substantive communities in London – the Tamils, the Sikhs, the Kurdish, the Kashmiri and many more.

Legacy of Empire

For many of these peoples the problems first erupted after Britain (and others) began to dismantle her Empire. Unfortunately, they did not ask the inhabitants of the territories they were leaving what they wanted. This was vital because many had been forced to live within artificial borders with very different peoples and sometimes were even divided by these borders.



Right: The height of the British Empire in red

Thus Britain has a moral responsibility to help put right a wrong of their making, let alone give an apology, by calling for the right of self-determination for the peoples it once ruled over. It is not sufficient to merely offer a haven for the persecuted without attempting to address the problems that forced them to flee in the

first place. Thus, because our Government has repeatedly failed to deliver, the peoples of the Britain, especially London, must **speak out** for these dispossessed people!



Left: Kashmiri`s campaigning against the ‘disappearances’ of their citizens. A problem replicated in many other countries. Right: Nations without States campaigning for Kashmir.



The NATIONAL LIBERAL PARTY is committed to fighting for justice, freedom and the human right to self-determination for all nations around the world.

Now for the first time ever, in the history of British politics, SELF-DETERMINATION will be the driving, primary message of a dedicated election campaign.

This is your chance to make your voice heard and your voice count!

VOTE TO MAKE LONDON THE CAPITAL OF SELF-DETERMINATION AROUND THE WORLD!

Your Vote is your voice in the European Parliament.

Vote NATIONAL LIBERAL PARTY and make 22nd May 2014, SELF-DETERMINATION DAY!

The NATIONAL LIBERAL PARTY - Committed to helping OTHER communities in London

We are committed to:

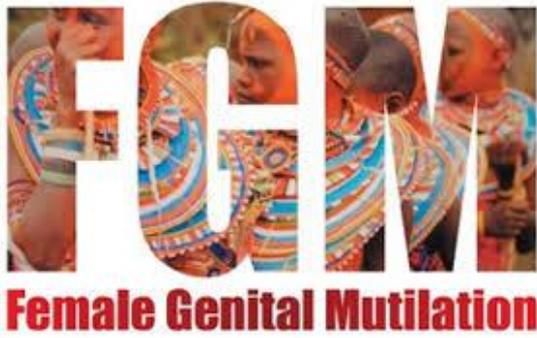
NATIONAL MINORITIES – All nationalities should have the right to identify themselves in all censuses and questionnaires by their nation and not necessarily by their country of origin (if different).

RELIGIOUS MINORITIES – There are many refugees who have escaped religious persecution in their homelands. We shall be their voice in the European Parliament.

DALITS (low-caste South Asians) – We are committed to fighting back against the apartheid of ‘low-caste’ designation against tens of millions of South Asia in India and Nepal by reason of ‘caste’. We are committed to making ‘caste’ discrimination and sectarianism unlawful in the UK, along-side other discrimination and



hate practises. Caste is a hidden and socially embedded evil affecting thousands of lives in the UK. It has escaped public and international attention for far too long. It must stop NOW!



WOMEN – Females across the world communities, are seriously damaged and down-trodden through physical violence and social imprisonment. Multiple communities continue to practise honour violence, female genital mutilation, social constrictions and various other forms of female oppression. This injustice against females clearly affects hundreds of thousands in the UK, spread across the ethnic communities. This evil is disguised and legitimised as a ‘culture’ and ‘tradition’. It must stop NOW!

SENSIBLE & HEALTHY IMMIGRATION – The UK is a wonderful place to live, providing jobs, freedom, security, law and order, free education, free health services and much more. Many communities, including self-determinists, from around the world have settled here, and enriched Britain with their culture, food, communities, work, commerce and more. Communities like the Sikhs have made a huge contribution to Britain in the two world wars. Indians and Bangladeshis have made a huge contribution to Britain’s labour needs and ethnic food industry.

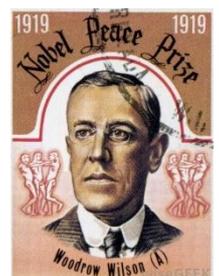


Multiple communities have contributed positively in multiple ways. However, the UK is an island, with limited space, resources, housing, schools, and a limited health service capacity. The UK must have a managed, sensible and healthy level of migration. No country in the world can have an endless intake of people. Everyone in the UK is now experiencing the effects of limited resources. Even immigrants who came here decades ago, are feeling the pressure. Harmonious relation depend on controlling borders. Immigration is good, so long as it is done in healthy, manageable numbers, taking account of a country’s economic and skill requirements. We believe in a healthy, holistic approach to immigration. We welcome migrants in sensible numbers not via ‘open borders’.

What do we hope to achieve?

Firstly, we wish to restore the principle of self-determination back to its premier position that it held in the early part of the 20th century. "*Self-determination' is not a mere phrase, it is an imperative principle of action which statesmen will henceforth ignore at their peril.*" – Woodrow Wilson US President (Feb. 1918)

Secondly, we will provide a platform for the various causes struggling for self-determination to bring their plight to the attention of the Capitals large population.



Thirdly, we hope to elect at least one MEP who will act as the voice of the self-determinist Diasporas in the European Parliament.



All candidates, if elected to the European Parliament, **pledge** the following:

Firstly, to be the VOICE of London’s self-determinist Diaspora’s by providing a platform for and to support where possible ALL self-determinist struggles regardless of their personal cause.

Secondly, in following the NATIONAL LIBERAL PARTY’S support for Swiss-style referendums in the UK, will endeavour to gauge the views of its voters through the use of voting banks via internet petitions and social media. The results will help dictate how an MEP will vote on non-self-determinist issues in the European Parliament.

Thirdly, a proportion of an MEP’s salary would be redistributed to ‘good causes’.

Upkar Singh Rai **Representing the Sikh community**

Graham Williamson **Representing the English community**

Jagdeesh Singh **Representing the peoples of the Indian subcontinent**

Yogalingam Sockalingam..... **Representing the Tamil community**

Doris Jones..... **Representing the North Borneon community**

Dr Yussef Anwar **Representing the Kurdish community**

Araz Yurdseven **Representing the South Azerbaijani Turk community**

Bernard Dube **Representing the Matabelen community**