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## A WHO'S WHO OF SELLOUTS!!!

### INTRODUCTION

There is no crime in the world more terrible than that of betraying or selling out one's own people. That is so because it is directly opposite to the greatest good a person can do - to serve one's people without regard to cost or sacrifice.

There have been traitors from the very beginning of time. Most will be forgotten and will be covered by the sands of time. A few have become immortalized. Humanity needs to constantly remind itself how it is possible for human beings to sink to the lowest depths of depravity.

### 1. JUDAS ISCARIOT

He betrayed Jesus Christ to the chief priests. For this betrayal, Judas was given 30 pieces of silver. In Judas' favour is the fact that he recognized the enormity of his crime and had the good grace to take his own life. World over the name "Judas" has come to mean a betrayer.

## **2. VIDKUN QUISLING**

Quisling, a Norwegian, sold his people out to Hitler during World War II. He did NOT have the good grace to end his own life.

His people had to render him that service. He was shot as a traitor. World over the word "Quisling" has come to mean a traitor or sellout.

## **3. RAJBANSI**

Sarcastically referred to as the Bengal Tiger by naughty journalists. A Bengal Tiger is a magnificent creature, which Rajbansi is NOT. The only thing in common between Rajbansi and the Bengal Tiger is that both are on the list of endangered species. We were going to suggest appropriate names would be hyena or aasvogel (a local vulture). But why insult these creatures? In any case who wants to tangle with the SPCA?

But seriously, Rajbansi is the worst of the sellouts. Totally without shame. He is so shameless that he regards the findings of the James Commission (namely that he is unfit to hold any public office) as a testimonial!!

Saira Essa and Charles Pillay have shot Rajbansi into STARDOM. If Charles Pillay is a good mimic of Rajbansi, then Rajbansi's wagging finger is a good mimic of P.W. Botha's finger. But a wagging finger is not a magic wand. Hence owners of both fingers are out of office.

Rajbansi has recently got into the habit of delivering orations to empty halls. Is he practising for the stage? Or does he believe that the hall is full of his ardent fans and admirers? Who knows? Who knows?

## **4. H.M. NEERAHOO**

*And so he asked you:  
"Hoo the hell is NEERA-WHO?  
You replied: "I haven't a clue  
He has come out of the blue  
Slithering down the chimney flue  
That's hoo is NEERA-WHO."*

## **5. CHAN RAMPERSADH AND P .C. NADASEN**

The Laurel and Hardy of Pietermaritzburg. Always handy for a good laugh. Both are veteran sellouts. P.C. Nadasen got only 3% of the votes in 1981. In the 1984 elections there was a massive swing in his favour. He got 4%, repeat 4%, of the votes.

This made international news. It was even tabled before the Security Council of the U.N.O. Also, gold price shot up, dollar dropped like a lead sinker while B.A. rate shot sideways!

## **6. Mrs DEVAGEE GOVENDER**

She is deputy director of Cultural Affairs in the House of Delegates. Stood for elections in 1984. Claimed that she did so to please her son. (How infinite is the human being's ability to invent excuses for selling out!).

Mrs Govender is clearly taking her chances for the jackpot of R100 000 a year. The fact of the matter is that she desperately needs that money. During September 1988, Attorney Basil Maharaj (also a sellout) wrote to Mrs Govender's

creditors telling them that Mrs Govender owed R70 709,15 which she was unable to pay. Mr Maharaj then wrote:

"Our client therefore offers to pay in full and final settlement twenty cents (20c) in the rand in respect of each creditor's claim."

WE REST OUR CASE.

### **7. E. HAFFEJEE**

(Not related to E. Haffejee of Atlas Stores in any way). This candidate is a land and estate agent. Did not make enough by selling property. So, he and Mrs. Haffejee hatch a little plan to make big money. It is far more profitable to sell people than property. But that's easier said than done. Elections are rough business. Much too rough for our land and estate agent. He has pulled out of the race. He now realises that it is easier to sell property than people.

**8. PUNDIT P.L. SINGH** Most contemptible to use religion to sell out. No religion teaches that one should betray people. He like NEERA-WHO has come out from the blue. But unlike NEERA-WHO our Pundit would like us believe that his inspiration comes from the blue skies where heaven is situated.

**9. EBRAHIM MOHAMED** Also known as India. Stood for election in 1984. Got whipped. Many believed that he had learnt his lesson at last. We thought that he would keep away, especially since no posters or publicity. We were wrong. He is engaged in low key campaigning. It is said that he is saving money to buy a three-piece pin striped parliamentary suit and top hat.

**10. LEST WE FORGET** George Cassimjee and L.S. Moodley have decided not to stand this time. Is that the reason why there is a marked decrease in the Noise Pollution?

# **TAKE YOUR PICK!!**

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