

A True Hope of People's Movement Get Set for People's Struggle!

The first convention of the People's Struggle Movement will be held on March 27 at 3.00 pm at the Ananda Samarakoon Outdoor Theater in Nugegoda, under the theme 'True Hope - A People's Movement'.

The government's internal political crisis has begun to erupt in the face of an overall economic crisis, including a shortage of dollars, a shortage of essential goods and services and rising commodity prices. The Frontline Socialist Party (FSP) emphasizes that although various political fronts are being formed for an emergency transfer of power to manage the moment, they have not offered any alternative solution to the existing structural crisis, and that the only way for such an alternative is to build a broad mass movement for broader social transformation. . The Frontline Socialist Party (FSP), which is confident that the March 27 summit of the People's Struggle Movement in Nugegoda will mark the beginning of such a broad mass movement, says it is by no means an electoral front and a center of mass struggle that brings together class forces based on the burning questions and demands of the people. . It is a people's agenda as well as the genuine power to win it, building a people's power outside Parliament. Ultimately, use the people's power thus built up for a social transformation

The Frontline Socialist Party believes that there is and calls on all fighting forces to unite around the people's struggle movement. The People's Struggle Movement is being formed with the participation of trade unions, mass organizations as well as civil society activists. The fight against environmental destruction, the fight against racism and social backwardness are within the framework of the basic principles and organize people's struggles for it.

Paddy Fields Militarized!

There will soon be armed military personnel in paddy fields, not to help farmers, but to suppress their protests against the government regarding fertilizer shortages. Recently the government hinted military personnel will be deployed to stop organized farmers' protests.

President Gotabhaya Rajapaksha, who was also Defence Secretary, unofficially militarized the government by appointing a number of military personnel into key positions. Also, each district of the country was also appointed by military officers with administration powers over the government district secretaries.

Farmers from Frontline Socialist Party (FLSP) are criticizing the government's move to militarize agriculture, stating that this is another development to chase away farmers from the land and please multinational farming companies.



'Free Women!' the women's wing of the FLSP organized a protest campaign and a seminar to mark the International Women's Day on March 8. The event under the theme 'Women's Power - People's Movement' emphasized the need to organize a people's force aimed at resolving the problems of the oppressed, including women.

A professional Centre for People

Professionals from agriculture, education, the environment, and the law profession participated in the inaugural meeting of the professional centre for people in Colombo recently. Professionals from all sectors came together for the first time to create a people-centric action plan for the country.

Speaking on the occasion, Dr Jayasiri Dias, stressed that it was a result of long-term discussion among university professionals. 'As professionals, we came to realize the necessity of working collectively in service to the citizens of this country, irrespective of their professions' he said. Most professional organizations work isolated and concentrate on their profession, but the professional centre for people believe that collective action plans associated with political force can only serve the people effectively, the professionals argued.