Globalization, Society, Policy making

A Global perspective

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Nowadays the world is gradually shrinking, followed by intimate multilateral relationships. This we assume that might be indebted to progress in technology and telecommunications. But to be outspoken and honest, technology, economy and trade are not the sole causal agents. Therefore, we must seek for the origin of such issues in the exchange of ideas and doctrines which are bearing such a speedy advancement that everybody is doing their utmost to seize the priority.

In the third-world countries this topic is scanned under two distinct terms: globalization and global making.

The first concept is the outcome of science and technology advancement, and it is to the benefit of all the states to join such a movement. The latter which has a root in ideology in fact is a west-oriented perception whose main objective is fruiting the benefits of the west in particular USA, formerly hoaxed as clonalisation. In my opinion that is the duty of the countries in the South to stage campaign against the imposition of such socio-cultural issues originated from western ideology.

My statement is a reflection of the thoughts of a statesperson and a technocrat following 25 years of experience. Everybody is in concord with this fact that globe management is a matter of question from different points of view. We are witnessing the result of which in diverse dimensions such as: economy, Politics, bio-environment and human.

The resources of this planet the earth is continuous depleting. Fossil fuels, mines and minerals art being exploited drastically in such a trend that reserves diminishing is certified daily. Forests are on the brink of extinction and water resources are deteriorating and liable to salinity. Genetic resources comprising of plants and animals, fertile soils exposed to erosion, pollutions of different kinds and global heat increasing at a drastic speed.

From social points of view, the comfortably-offs grow more comfortable and the badly-offs, became worse. Approximately one thousand million of the world population is suffering from hunger and over two thousand million are deprived of having an access to drinkable water.

Still there exists people who have not touched the sense of freedom. Dictatorial or pseudo dictatorial governments within the pretext of different ideologies such as capitalism, communism., socialism or ever religious fanaticism have dispossessed them from freedom this very blessing of God the Almighty. A good number of them arc being exploited under modern terms.

It is sad to say that globalization hardly individual communities have partaken, and mostly the states people have been the architects of such premises. Therefore less attention has been paid to the problem the ordinary citizens are entangled with and they deal more with commercial and financial issues. Multitude number of social, cultural and human problems arc ruled out as a consequence.

Those who arc living in countries with developed civil foundations and enjoy the existence of trades, political and specialized organizations, are fully aware of pros and cons of globalization.

As a result they welcome globalization with cage provided the dilemmas and ambiguities hereof axe lofted. But in countries where civil communities are less developed, or dictatorial governments are the rulers, or states have seized the power within the framework of restricted elections -since in such governments the power of the authorities is limited-they are not in concord globalization even without any problem or ambiguity. In these countries people are not entitled to express their views, and they inevitably follow the decisions taken by their rulers. As a consequence resistance become more prevalent.
Counter-effects of globalization and structural components of communities such as trades, politics, religions and ethics must be studied thoroughly in depth. If we consider some of the now-existing problems resulted from globalization which they art mainly rooted in abnegating human spirituality and merely focusing on trade and economic issues, then we will gain success in converting the viewpoints of the majority from opposition to concord and harmony. In order to materialize such process, the imposition of some modifications in the concept of globalization alongside with paying respect to the comments of the critics are badly needed.

In the process of globalization, favour and welfare of each individual on the surface of this globe is to be emphasized, and prioritize them to the benefits of a scanty number of powerful countries who are chiefly responsible for safeguarding the international organizations budgets.

Globalization must be speculated in the concept of advancement and elevation of man while employing total facilities and resources on the surface of this planet the earth. To successfully implement the decisions adopted, careful attention must be directed towards countries’ internal structures alongside with the counter-effects of social infrastructures with globalization. As a consequence the world statesmen do not entangle themselves with public beliefs and eventually supreme objectives of globalization shall be overshadowed by marginal issues.

Fortunately the dictatorial period of those dogmatic and a priori rulers is waning in the light of intelligence era and information explosion which have led to the citation of figurative communities and civil groups who are gallant enough to ask for their abnegated rights which once were forlorn.

Therefore, different communities next to their ever-increasing awareness, cause the spread of democracy and welcoming the views of the majority. As a consequence there is no room to worry about the repulsive effects of some senile beliefs and traditions and even dictators for the development of globalization process. But a sheer fact that cannot be ignored is that we shall be witnessing merging of globalization and westernization to with the utter dominance of their media over the whole process.

Unilateral information dissemination shall undoubtedly lead to the intelligence exploitation, which in this respect we should experience concern that the communities entity and culture shall gradually be overlooked in the destitute and impoverished countries who constitute a major portion of the world civilization.

In globalization fear for the storage and application of genocide weaponry by the powerful states and their agents, does exist, lest this armament may be employed to suppress other humans. To me those responsible for globalization should be very much worried about this issue.

If we envisage that the objective of globalization is a proper and sustainable utilization of natural resources and economic privileges in different zones in order to improve the existing situation and to upgrade the spirituality of man on the surface of the planet the earth, we must contemplate the following issues in depth and address the communities and their construction components as under:

- The hazards of illiteracy,
  • The existing immense class distinction,
  - The expansion of poverty and malnutrition.
  - The improper hygiene and sanitation,
  - The deprival of individual freedom
  - The existence of dictatorial and hereditary governance,
  - The non-observance of human rights
  - The denial of majority’s votes,
  - The threat of global warming,
  - The improper consumption of fresh-water resources,
  - The waste in energy usage in particular fossil fuels,
  - The devastation for forests and mines,

We must consider this fact that policy-making in countries are over shadowed by politicians alongside with the policies adopted by international organizations. It is sad to say that in the most third world countries politicians are the sole decision-makers towards their own personal benefit due to communities political and social backwardness and the absence of free and independent elections. In these countries owing to weak and less dynamic supervision of the mass and the absence of independent surveillance over the governments activities, we repeatedly come across widespread dictatorial doctrines and cultures, corruption, bribery and abuse of facilities and budget by the state’s dignitaries.
This is my staunch belief that one of the prime responsibilities of international organizations and in particular United Nations Organization is staging campaign against corruption and misuse of financial resources and physical facilities by the authorities of these governments. Nowadays similar to the struggle against terrorism, campaign against abuse of power experiences by the leaders and rulers of different countries should be encouraged. This in fact is one of the pre-requisites of globalization.

Towards the implementation of these issues, although UNO has stepped positive paces alongside with the ratification of the third millennium objectives, still they are facing three chief obstacles as under:

- To achieve a common unanimity, a good number of the above-mentioned subjects have been eliminated from the list of the targets.
- To materialize the adopted decisions by international organizations, there does not exist any executive safeguarding.
- To discard unjust and biased policies adopted by international organizations among them UNO worth mentioning, which belong to the impaired policy of the a priori century, a policy which was based upon running with the harc and hunting with the hound.

**Conclusion and Recommendations**

1- The concept of globalization should be contemplated and revised. Trade and economy should be assigned among the WTO undertakings. The actual location of planet the earth and the spiritual elevations of its residents should be heeded.

Scientific and sustainable utilization of the entire facilities and resources alongside with its privileges should be replaced by the current and existing concept.

2- Further care should be oriented towards the salvation of the earth from devastation, Those countries which created serious pollution and threats to this planet through irresponsible and excessive exploitation of the resources should be penalized, compensate and invest more capital and endeavor comparing with the ones who benefited the least.

3- More attention to the counter-effects of the ethnics, religions, and cultures with regard to the concept of globalization is due. Further studies in this respect are badly needed. This shall result in lessening the trend of civil communities rational resistance against globalization and the pertinent modifications. As a consequence, globalization shall expand at a very higher speed.

4- A proposition can be put forward in this way: In order to ease the independence of international organizations and release them from financial restraints and dependence to a number of superpowers, a type of comprehensive world wide taxation being levied on activities such as exploitation of mines and quarries, forest, and industrial products like car manufacturing and the resulting pollutions. Such an income should be allocated to those international organizations with the chief objective of enhancing the administrative caliber on one hand and relieve them from the burden imposed by those countries who are financially seconding them on the other hand,

5- In order to expedite the trend of globalization with its new concept that can be administrated by all the countries throughout the world, the following measures are to be taken:

- Implementation of necessary modifications in the structure of the UNI and dwindling the authorities of Security Council while further empowering the General Assembly.
- Replacement of impaired policies of international organization with trust-making sustainable policies,
- Imposition of force for the utter implementation of the adopted decisions by all the countries worldwide.

6- Assisting civil foundations and NGOs of different sorts in particular in the third world countries. This shall lead to even further participation of these communities in policy-making and as a result democracy, human rights and sustainable development shall flourish, and finally the era of dictatorship and hereditary non-elected sovereignties shall terminate, and violence and suppression shall pave the way for dialectics and rationality.

Now it is high time we enjoyed a world void of war and bloodshed, poverty and hunger, comprising of communities populated with spiritually elevated citizens, who are against corruption and devastation and are intimate friends of nature and environment — An Authentic Utopia.