



special bulletin

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Licensed to Kill...

God-fearing people have a responsibility to protect life - as ordained by God. If there are evils that threaten life or seeks to diminish the value of life, then Believers must eradicate it!

It is this belief that makes PAGAD call upon all God-fearing people to rise up and destroy drug-dealing, shebeens and gangsterism.

- Fact #1: 90% of casualty patients over a weekend period (at government hospitals) is alcohol-related.
- Fact #2: Our government acknowledges that alcohol consumption in SA is of the highest in the world.
- Fact #3: Usage of tik, heroine, cocaine & other drugs has spiraled out of control. Its devastating effect is felt in every part of our society.
- Fact #4: The Attorney-General of the Western Cape claims that 60 - 70% of all violent crime is alcohol-related.
- Fact #5: In Cape Town, it is reported that 50% those charged during arrests associated with family violence, are under the influence of alcohol at the time of the alleged offence.
- Fact #6: The cost of alcohol abuse to SA is in the region of R9 Billion per annum.
- Fact #7: Alcohol foetal syndrome is 40% higher in SA than in the rest of the world.

Considering the above, how can the Western Cape Government even think of protecting these drug-houses & shebeens? They are deliberately undermining the efforts of our communities, who are attempting to rid itself of gangsterism & drugs.

Drug-dealers are now awaiting their licences – **Their Licence to Kill!** ...to kill your child & my child. The 'Liquor Law' will give this licence to them!

The Western Cape Government is recklessly trying to fool us in believing that alcohol & drug abuse will be reduced by legalising shebeens. The truth is that the local Government is eagerly awaiting the protection fees (R20 Million in taxes) from the shebeen owners & drug-dealers.

During this period of Youth Day Commemoration, we should reflect on the Youth of 1976 – who identified & destroyed shebeens; as they recognised these outlets as tools of oppression.

We are not opposed to drugs & alcohol because it is illegal; we are opposed to it because it destroys our society. We need to stop the destruction. We will oppose those who protect it, and those who benefit from it!

Close 'All' Shebeens Permanently!!

The PAGAD Movement pays tribute to
Boeta Achmat Orrie
and acknowledges his unselfish contribution
in the fight against gangsterism & drugs.
May Allah (SWT) grant him
Jannah-tul-Firdous, Insha-allah.

The PAGAD Movement invites you to a
Mass Meeting
@ the Mountview Mosque
Wednesday, 13th June 2007
(after Eshaa)
Guest Speaker: Sheikh Mohammed Al-Asi

Striving Towards a Gangster-free & Drug-free Society