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Such was originally <u>published</u> by Germany's NZZ Online Sunday, and <u>reprinted</u> in English by the Global Warming Policy Foundation moments ago:

(NZZ AM SONNTAG): The new thing about your proposal for a Global Deal is the stress on the importance of development policy for climate policy. Until now, many think of aid when they hear development policies.

(OTTMAR EDENHOFER, UN IPCC OFFICIAL): That will change immediately if global emission rights are distributed. If this happens, on a per capita basis, then Africa will be the big winner, and huge amounts of money will flow there. This will have enormous implications for development policy. And it will raise the question if these countries can deal responsibly with so much money at all.

(NZZ): That does not sound anymore like the climate policy that we know.

(EDENHOFER): Basically it's a big mistake to discuss climate policy separately from the major themes of globalization. The climate summit in Cancun at the end of the month is not a climate conference, but one of the largest economic conferences since the Second World War. Why? Because we have 11,000 gigatons of carbon in the coal reserves in the soil under our feet - and we must emit only 400 gigatons



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in the atmosphere if we want to keep the 2-degree target. 11 000 to 400 - there is no getting around the fact that most of the fossil reserves must remain in the soil.

(NZZ): De facto, this means an expropriation of the countries with natural resources. This leads to a very different development from that which has been triggered by development policy.

(EDENHOFER): First of all, developed countries have basically expropriated the atmosphere of the world community. But one must say clearly that we redistribute de facto the world's wealth by climate policy. Obviously, the owners of coal and oil will not be enthusiastic about this. One has to free oneself from the illusion that international climate policy is environmental policy. This has almost nothing to do with environmental policy anymore, with problems such as deforestation or the ozone hole.

For the record, Edenhofer was co-chair of the IPCC's Working Group III, and was a lead author of the IPCC's Fourth Assessment Report released in 2007 which controversially concluded, "Most of the observed increase in global average temperatures since the mid-20th century is very likely due to the observed increase in anthropogenic greenhouse gas concentrations."

As such, this man is a huge player in advancing this theory, and he has now made it quite clear - as folks on the realist side of this debate have been saying for years - that this is actually an international economic scheme designed to redistribute wealth.

Readers are encouraged to review the entire interview at GWPF or Google's slightly different translation.

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Human sacrifices

Submitted by jon torlin on Thu, 11/18/2010 - 12:37pm.

So when will we graduate back to human sacrifices a la the Mayans from all those centuries ago?

It makes just about as much sense as it does now the way these jokers are going. Not to mention how they epically fail to make the distinction between "carbon" and "carbon dioxide" so they lump it all into one category which is fallacious at best and criminally stupid at worst.

-Jon

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I think it's well past time to cease all US funding for the UN

Submitted by <u>Dave.</u> on Thu, 11/18/2010 - 12:55pm.

...as it is really nothing more than a giant leech on the behind of America, not to mention the behind of whole planet.

As far as I am concerned, this hideous organization is a clear and present threat to freedom, not only what is left of it here in America, but wherever it still exists around the world.

Besides, we're broke, and what little money we have left can be put to better use than keeping a bunch of aspiring third-world potentate commiss in a new Mercedes every couple of years.

-Dave

A nation of sheep will beget a government of wolves - Edward R. Murrow

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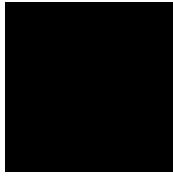
We can't even get NPR

Submitted by $\underline{\text{ThisnThat}}$ on Thu, 11/18/2010 - 1:03pm.

We can't even get NPR de-funded. Unless we get someone like Palin in office -- don't get your hopes up.

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