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### Bloom time or gloom time – Security Industry will grow!



Despite of gloom in the USA and economical recession worldwide, security industry will continue to grow as uncertain times give insecurity to the industries and to the societies.

In bloom time, the demand for better security increases due to more wealth creation and prosperity. In gloom time, the rate of crime increases with increased sense of insecurity. Therefore it is rightly said that in bloom time or gloom time - security industry will continue to grow!

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**With the fond hope and firm resolve  
That the coming year**  
Will be harbinger of peace and love,  
Let us wish every law-abiding citizen  
**A happy and prosperous  
New Year!**



**“If you think that the technology will solve your problems, then either you don't understand the technology or you don't understand the problems!”**



## Ready for the worst & hoping for the best!

This is the time when every one is wishing every one well! With so much wellness being exchanged, no doubts must exist in any one's mind that this year shall not be well for all! What then there is lingering doubt? Why then there is fear of unknown? Why are we not comfortable with the thought that this year brings us wellness and joy?

For one reason, we have been cursed with a neighbor working over time to weaken our very foundation based on trust and confidence. For other reason, we are doomed to have politicians who have no morale, no principles, and no compunction on being wrong and when their wrongs are found-out they insist them being right! With these external and internal reasons no country big or small can ever live happily.

We can annihilate the external enemies with sheer military power, but what to do with the internal enemies? Social changes have apparently started which will shape the destiny of our nation. Indian approach which is basically Hindu approach finds silver lining even in darkest clouds. Dark clouds came on Mumbai sky covering it with despondency but only for few days before showing the silver lining in the shape of new awakening in the hearts of young ones.

These young-ones raised the voice so far unheard, they found the resolve so far not seen; they found the determination so far not witnessed - to get up and get counted. In one Arabic language religious book there is exhortation to the faithful believers called: "**Labbaik**" meaning to get up and get counted for the day of reckoning god will ask them to identify themselves if they did right things to justify their existence.

This generation which we derisively referred till few days back as 'gen-x' is the generation of level-headed youths. They are the achievers much better than the present one – qualitatively and quantitatively as otherwise we would not have seen the steady progress which India is making despite heavy odds. This generation has decided to change to society, so be it so!

The early indications are the recently held elections in which voters' age-profile indicates that youths have exercised their franchise in large numbers. This is sure sign of their desire to change the political leadership. They will help in changing the political system is beyond doubts! This finally will change India's response to our rogue neighbor Pakistan.

Sooner than later Pakistan will either learn to co-exist peacefully or will cease to exist at all! Till such time security forces will have to do much harder job than expected. God forbid, when next time comes, we security professionals must not appear to be lacking in any which way.

## Sole for Soul: Dirty game, as usual!

Politicians are at it again, playing their dirty games as usual. First it was blame game in which politicians of all hues blamed each other for the shortcomings and mistakes in handling the Mumbai terror attacks. Thereafter they started taking credits of handling past incidents successfully forgetting the lives lost in those incidents.



13<sup>th</sup> December came and went and barring few leaders (who understandably could not be elsewhere on that day) no one came to pay tribute to those brave security personnel who lost their lives so that politicians hiding inside the parliament that day could once again pay their dirty games today!

Now they are playing the Vote Bank game very earnestly! The age at which the sanity becomes questionable in person, there is a minister making statements which can not be even laughed as they are coming from the 'right honorable mouth' of the distinguished minister whose singular distinction is that he has done sweet f\*\*k - all about minorities though he had ingenious way to deal with cement!

When Society needs balm on recent wounds, these politicians are sprinkling pepper and to make it worse, they claim it to be right medicine. In the name of votes they can stoop to any depth. They have no 'soul', it is known to us. But people have 'soles', this has been proven very recently at a heavy price which Bush had to pay recently.

There is nothing wrong in asking the questions about the death of Late Hemant Karkare and others. The security experts have been asking similar questions since the very first day, but, the way Anatule has questioned is itself questionable. His question is not in pursuit of the truth but the votes. Otherwise he shouldn't have linked it to Hindus and the Malegaon Case.

It is part of Indian culture not to criticize some one who is no more to defend himself. But, in the case of security and armed forces, if past botched-up operations are not examined thread bare, no lessons will ever be learnt! This post-event examination involves analyzing the deeds or misdeeds of deceased.

Yes, there is need for inquiry about the circumstances in which Karkare, Kamte and Salaskar were killed! There are many questions needed to be answered. For instance there are following questions for which correct answers must be found –

- Kamte was notorious to always keep loaded AK 47 on the floor of his car. Salaskar was sharp shooter known to always move fully prepared. Karkare was extremely efficient officer known to move with full compliment of security! But when all three met their nemesis...
- The sequence of action leading to deaths of Karkare, Kamte and Salaskar needs to be done in right earnestness then only we will come to know why all three of the traveled in one vehicle to the place of their encounter if they came from three different places and assembled at one location?
- We all repeatedly saw a TV footage in which Karkare was unhurriedly putting on a helmet, but, this footage obviously is of different place and time. What about others? One wonders where their helmets were if not in the Qualis in which they were traveling or on their bodies
- What happened to their bullet-proof jackets? Were they not supposed to be using them? What was the past practice followed by them individually. Indications are that they



always came prepared with weapon, bullet-proof jackets, helmets and what it takes! Why is it then that they all were ill prepared on that fateful night?

- At least two out of the three slain cops were sanctioned their personal security contingent moving in the separate vehicles in addition to the PSOs they were permitted. How is it that all three sat in one vehicle and their escorts did not follow in their respective vehicles?
- Today even the Director General of Home Guards move with AK-47 wielding commandos! On the contrary, Shri Hemant Karkare was not only DG level officer but also the chief of ATS. He was under death threat too! As per threat perception as practice of ATS he was always with PSO if not more security at certain times. Was it present at the time of his death? If yes, why this is not reported so far, and, if not, why not?
- If the escorting security contingents of DG and DIG level officers are asked not to follow then there must be very cogent reasons which these officers must have conveyed to them. These need to be ascertained and verified.
- If they were no such reasons conveyed to the escorting security contingent then why they did not follow the officers? If for some inexplicable reasons they could not follow the officers, what was done by these contingents and what should have been done as per SOP?

The conspiracy theory depends only on one assumption that for some reasons all three or at least Karkare will be lured to reach Cama Hospital where there will be an ambush by the terrorists hiding behind the bushes. Poor Anatule and his supporters such as Digvijay and others don't even know the details of the fast paced sequence of events and changing venue of the dramas unfolding that night!

Not even for few seconds events were under the control of security forces or the terrorists! Thinking that in such situation, the plot previously hatched to eliminate Karkare could have been so perfectly executed is sheer foolishness. If any one thinks it was possible, he deserves to be dressed in straight jacket serving his time in a lunatic asylum!

There are however silent murmurs that all three slain cops, throwing all cautions in the wind, rushed-in carelessly to the scene of their encounter, ill prepared and least expecting the kind of attacks they came under! It is said in hushed manner that all three somehow realized that their presence at all the sites of attacks will boost the morale of their force and since they were facing the terrorists holed inside the buildings they were under no apparent threats while on the road.

Let's have the inquiry to found out the truth since it is said, "Speak the truth and shame the devil!" Devil here is in the shape of Anatules and his ilk!

***Only our individual faith in freedom can keep us free.***



# Changing Trends of Terrorism



Three trends in terrorism are identified in the USA (Department of State) report which is independently reflected in the work of analysts elsewhere -

- First is the emergence of so called “micro actors,” in part spurred by U.S. successes in isolating or killing much of al-Qaeda’s leadership. The result is an Al-Qaeda with a more subdued, although arguably still significant, operational role, but assuming more of an ideological, motivational, and propaganda role.
- Second is the trend toward “sophistication”; i.e. terrorists exploiting the global flow of information, finance, and ideas to their benefit, often through the internet.
- Third is an increasing overlap of terrorist activity with international crime, which may expose the terrorists to a broad range of law enforcement countermeasures.

<http://www.fas.org/sgp/crs/terror/RL33555.pdf>

## Terrorism Guide

Terrorism is the cruelest of crimes; it feeds off the personal suffering by luring governments into actions that abandon hard-earned freedoms of modern civilization. Gargantuan budgets committed to security mock the lives lost in poor countries to preventable disease and hunger. The dark complexity of suicide attacks has exposed inadequacies of security forces, moral philosophers, psychologists and theologians alike. Failing to take advantage of the universal revulsion at the events of September 2001, the "war on terror" has instead magnified the global threat of terrorism.



## **The Elusive Definition of Terrorism**

Rebels, insurgents, paramilitaries, separatists, militants, guerrillas, insurrectionists, fundamentalists... are these all terrorists? Or does terrorism claim its own exclusive niche? The exasperating inability to define terrorism is betrayed in the UN 2006 Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy - "we, the States Members of the United Nations...strongly condemn terrorism in all its forms and manifestations, committed by whomever, wherever and for whatever purposes".

## **The Just Cause Conundrum**

The difficulty in constructing a definition which eliminates any just cause for terrorism is that history provides too many examples of organizations and their leaders branded as terrorists but who eventually evolved into respected government. This has applied particularly to national liberation movements fighting colonial or oppressive regimes, engaging in violence within their own countries often as a last resort. Jomo Kenyatta of Kenya spent years of his life in peaceful independence advocacy with the British government before his involvement with the Mau Mau rebellion. Another convicted "terrorist", Nelson Mandela, wrote in his autobiography: "the hard facts were that 50 years of non-violence had brought (my) people nothing but more repressive legislation, and fewer rights".

## **Counter-Terrorism**

Counter-terrorism is a massive global industry which takes place at various levels, ranging from local police investigation of terrorist acts to the invasion of Afghanistan to oust the Taliban and hunt down al-Qaeda leaders.

International border control in India is fraught and trying for all concerned. Long and disputed international border need man and material of such dimension that leaves Indian economy drained out to that extent that it hurts the national growth rate. We also do not know whom to stop and where to stop. Terrorists have so far used all three dimensions to gain entry into our territories. The national data base of known criminals and terrorist is nonexistent.

There are over one million names in the US Terror Watch list of suspects, an FBI compilation which lost all credibility during 2008 with the discovery that it contained the names of Nelson Mandela and his ANC colleagues. Western countries also publish lists of proscribed terrorist groups which link to laws prohibiting membership and movement of funds.

Fear of nuclear or biological attack inevitably dominates counter-terrorist thinking and explains the obsessive attention to perceived "rogue states" such as North Korea, Iran and Pakistan.

**"The very purpose of existence is to reconcile the glowing opinion we have of ourselves with the appalling things that other people think about us."**

**- Quentin Crisp**



# Pakistan's role in terrorism – is it inadvertent?

Pakistan can not perennially play fall-guy and try winning international sympathy. It has all the symptoms and signs of failed nation. It can be an international responsibility, least of all of India to ensure that it gets stable government or that there is good governance there. When it fails completely and disintegrates, some of the fragmented territory (rather is big chunk) will inevitably join with India. Till this happens, we in India can at least accelerate the process and send befitting reply to Pakistan for all its misadventures so far by doing to it what it has been doing to us so far! What is Pakistan today – state with poor governance, religious Zionist calling the shots there, weak economy etc. And where terrorism grows? Consider following observation -

“States with poor governance; ethnic, cultural, or religious tensions; weak economies; and porous borders will be prime breeding grounds for terrorism. In such states, domestic groups will challenge the entrenched government, and transnational networks seeking safe havens.

At the same time, the trend away from state-supported political terrorism and toward more diverse, free-wheeling, transnational networks - enabled by information technology - will continue. Some of the states that actively sponsor terrorism or terrorist groups today may decrease or even cease their support by 2015 as a result of regime changes, rapprochement with neighbors, or the conclusion that terrorism has become counterproductive. But weak states also could drift toward cooperation with terrorists, creating de facto new state supporters.” *from the National Intelligence Council's "Global Trends 2015: A Dialogue About the Future With Nongovernment Experts" report (December 2000).*

The mid-sixties saw smuggling of gold turning out to be very lucrative business of the underworld. It soon became the narcotics which was most sought after item for smuggling. Soon arms, narcotics and havala trading became lethal combination and small time smugglers no more operated independently. They were used by the international big-timers to work for them. And soon corporate culture was emulated by these smugglers / terrorists combine with overseas operation and global presence.

The D - Company has run its business from other countries using its front men and small time operatives. Thus smuggling and mafia activities in India and elsewhere are run like a corporate business. The terrorism have also started undergoing the same changes and if early indications are to be believed, the LeT, JeM or many other terrorist outfit operating from Pakistan need not get its cadre directly involved as local 'talent' is easily available. So 'terrorism' is being out- sourced as any 'Corporate' will out





source house-keeping and maintenance services. Similarly terrorists are also more and more getting involved in real estate, havala trading and smuggling as their business verticals so that loss of one business can be absorbed by other business activities or one business can be funded by the profits of other businesses – mostly the terror operations in their case!

### **Why Mumbai terror act can not be brought to International Court of Justice?**

The UN has been striving for decades to find a wording for terrorism which, instead of "all its forms and manifestations", narrows down to a specific profile of violence which can be condemned regardless of the circumstances. The absence of an agreed definition matters for many reasons. It blocks the possibility of referring terrorist acts to an international court, as for genocide and other war crimes; it leaves individual countries free to outlaw activity which they choose to classify as terrorism, perhaps for their own political convenience; and crucially it enabled the Bush administration to conjure in the public mind parallels between the 9/11 destruction of the World Trade Center and the Iraqi regime of Saddam Hussein. The vocabulary of terrorism has become the successor to that of anarchy and communism as the catch-all label of opprobrium, exploited accordingly by media and politicians.

### **The Precipice of Fear**

Global terrorism threatens to undo a generation of multilateral endeavor for human development, inspired by principles of social justice and human rights. Foreign aid budgets are struggling in the wake of security priorities. Whilst there have been no major terrorist incidents in the US since 2001, the US counter-terrorism budget for 2008 is \$142 billion, a figure which dwarfs the shortfall in annual funding required to meet the Millennium Development Goals which would assist almost a billion people in extreme poverty. Such dysfunctional spending priorities as in USA budget are evidenced in Indian Budget also and reflect the imperative of calming a country's collective fear, the soft underbelly of emotion that terrorists are most adept at exposing.



A window of opportunity may exist for a new approach. There are few potential new leaders in India and Pakistan who might bring more resolve to implement the roadmap to long-lasting peace. Perhaps the blunt instruments of eavesdropping technology and counter-terrorism laws will give way to more intellectual exposure of the al-Qaeda ideology for its medieval undertones and deep anti-Semitism. In Indonesia, success against JI has been attributed in part to the advocacy work of converted terrorists to "de-radicalize" their former colleagues in prisons. A UK government programme, Preventing Violent Extremism, is dedicated to "winning hearts and minds" in a civic environment.



Nevertheless, real doubts linger over the capacity of politicians. The fundamental adjustment of attitudes necessary to neutralize terrorism can perhaps be engineered only by good citizenship. We may need to devote more energy to the integration of mixed ethnic communities and to the inequalities that are inseparable from modern economics. If we cannot convey to politicians that global fairness, peace and human dignity matter more than the comforts of consumerism, then our fate may indeed be akin to the vision of Shelley's *The Mask of Anarchy* in which the English poet reacted to British government-sponsored violence in 1819:

*And each dweller, panic-stricken,  
Felt his heart with terror sicken....*

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## World Smallest Cordless Button Type Spy Camera

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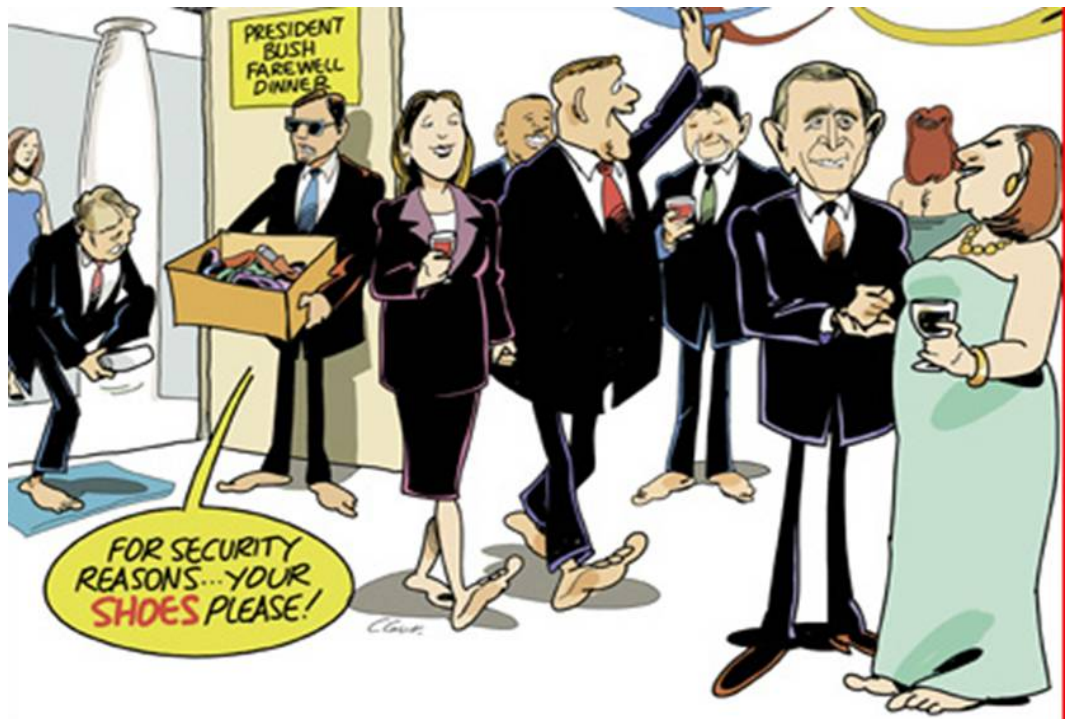
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## Funny Corner:

At one Pakistani Army base, the annual trip to the rifle range had been canceled for the second year in a row, but the semi-annual physical fitness test was still on as planned.

One soldier mused, "Does it bother anyone else that the Army doesn't seem to care how well we can shoot, but they are extremely interested in how fast we can run?"



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