Ivan Kurennoy, founder of Science for Truth, a group that conducts scientific work on ways to counteract LGBT propaganda. The group, led by the Ph.D. in cooperation with scientists, psychiatrists, and sexologists, has published several papers and a monograph exposing the anti-scientific rhetoric of LGBT activists.

A recent Western study of the Russian segment (The Digitally Mediated Public Sphere on Vkontakte in Russia 2020) singled out the Science for Truth group website as an influential resource in the fight against LGBT ideology and listed it as a pro-government group (although the authorities are unaware of this). LGBT activists report to the West about the group as a "monopoly on scientific content" that is undesirable to the LGBT movement.

## Open letter to UN on the Sustainable Development Goals

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The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, adopted by all United Nations Member States in 2015, provides a shared blueprint for «peace and prosperity for people and the planet, now and into the future». At its heart are the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

SDG 3 is to "ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages". Is the approach of the UN and WHO consistent with maintaining well-being, or is it increasing the number of people suffering?

The Lancet journal published the work of a group of experts from the University of Washington, that considered scenarios for the birth rate, death rate, migration and population of 195 countries from 2017 to 2100. By 2100 twenty three countries are predicted to have a population decline of more than 50%. In China by 48%. The results show that countries with below-replacement fertility rate will retain a working-age population through migration, and only they will live well. Total fertility rates below replacement levels in many countries, including China and India, will have economic, social, environmental and geopolitical implications. The processes of population aging and the increase in the proportion of pensioners will lead to a decrease in economic growth and investment, as well as the collapse of the pension system, health insurance and social security [1]. One crucial thing that the authors did not take into account is the catastrophic growth of the LGBT population, which reaches 20,8% among young in the United States [2]. It can be assumed that the predicted demographic problems will come much earlier, catching the international community by surprise. The growing LGBT population in tolerant countries has seen an increase in STIs, risky sexual behavior, drug use, and low birth rates. This is contrary to plans to ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages (SDG 3).

In order to make some sense of it all, it is necessary to understand the plans and methods of the global elites in reducing the birth rate on the planet. The mouthpieces of the globalists—the Club of Rome [3], Project Syndicate [4]—openly declare the necessity for an immediate reduction of the world's population. Governments, politicians and public figures follow the recommendations [5] of neo-Malthusian scientists. People who dare to speak out against this political agenda are subjected to aggressive attacks by LGBT activists [6] and even criminal prosecution by state authorities [7]. The propaganda of homosexuality, abortion, and gender theory (transgenderism)

is carried out on a global scale, including through the UN and WHO. "Promoting LGBTQ rights on the international stage" has been declared a foreign policy priority by the United States, Germany and other countries. Psychiatry has become the servant of its political masters. Under the pretext of protecting the rights of gays and lesbians, their rights to get rid of a unwanted homosexual lifestyle—that is fraught with mental and physical problems—are being violated. For political and financial reasons, they are trying to ban reparative therapy, since any possibility of avoiding homosexuality is contrary to the interests of those who finance LGBT propaganda to reduce the birth rate and create a political electorate that agrees with such population policies.

British Medical Journal (BMJ) editor Imre Loefler wrote in his column: "The survival value of homosexuality for the human species is to be found in its effect on population growth. Anyone who is worried about environmental degradation caused by the growth of the human population should promote homosexuality" [5]. It is not known if mr. Loefler was aware of the spread of infections, including those which causing infertility, psychiatric disorders[8], and fecal incontinence[9] in this cohort. No significant changes over time have occurred in the pattern of health disparities among LGBT [8]. Despite the growing tolerance of society towards the ideas of the LGBT movement, alcohol consumption [10], suicide attempts [11,12] and self-harm [13] do not decrease among its adherents compared to people who do not identify themselves as LGBTQ+. These findings suggest that changes in the social environment had limited impact on stress processes and mental health for sexual minority people [14].

Currently, the information space is dominated by the destructive and anti-scientific point of view of the radical political movement known as "LGBTQ+", according to which homosexuality and transsexuality are innate, immutable and normal (or even preferred) conditions [6]. The promotion of this point of view, fueled by transnational corporations, leads to the involvement of unsuspecting citizens in a destructive lifestyle, fraught with the most serious consequences for their health and well-being. The scientific community is increasingly turning away from the scientific method in order to conform to the liberal ideology, that puts pressure on scientists and censors inconvenient opinions.

To achieve Sustainable Development Goals, instead of promoting and encouraging homosexuality, recommended by demographers as one of the methods for reducing the population [15], measures should be developed to reduce the LGBT population suffering from poor health.

It is necessary to revive known and develop new methods of psychological treatment and prevention [16,17] of homosexuality and transgender identification. It is necessary to limit the demonstration and encouragement of homosexual relationships in cinema and the media.

Likewise, it is necessary to protect the rights of homosexuals to receive treatment for unwanted same sex attractions and behaviors, as well as to protect them from political exploitation as a cheap opposition.

Equating same-sex relationships with different-sex relationships is a civilizational mistake based on the ideas of neo-Malthusians, LGBT activists [18] and politicians. Due to LGBT propaganda in kindergartens and schools the population of children prone to mental and somatic diseases increases. They are less likely to start families, which, according to recent data, will be less stable [19]. LGBT people are less likely to have children, which will increase the burden on the pension

and medical systems in the coming years. This is contrary to plans to ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages (SDG 3).

## Protecting the rights of LGBT people and the rest of the population

The activities of LGBT activists and organizations are funded by foreign countries that have declared Russia a geopolitical enemy. It is doubtful that these funds are channeled for the benefit of the citizens of the Russian Federation and to protect the rights of homosexual people. Rather, it is funding the political opposition, which is deceived into joining its ranks with LGBT propaganda, convincing children who have not completed their sexual development that they are part of the LGBT community.

In order to retain people involved in the LGBT movement, the activities of LGBT organizations are aimed at promoting untrue and anti-scientific ideas that are dangerous to society and public health, such as the "normality" and "innateness" of homosexuality, the inability to avoid a homosexual lifestyle or "sex reassignment. Thus, the activities of LGBT organizations violate the rights of homosexual people to receive reliable information about homosexual lifestyles.

LGBT organizations advocate for the repeal of laws prohibiting the dissemination of anti-scientific information and LGBT propaganda. Thus, the LGBT movement violates the rights of residents of the Russian Federation to protect children from misinformation harmful to their development.

By their unethical activities, links with foreign states and anti-government statements, LGBT organizations cause negative attitudes towards all members of sexual minorities in society, which is a burden on homosexual and transgender people who do not support both the ideology and practices of the LGBT movement. This creates a negative image of sexual minorities who have not asked for such representation. Lesbian Yulia Frolova spoke out on the social network, in the foreign agent group Russian LGBT Network, about the provocation of the group Pussy Riot, who hung pseudo-dual flags on the buildings of RF departments: "I don't understand what all these actions are about? A war of the genders? Why do our 'opposition' and 'activists' knowingly violate the law? Why do our English and American 'friends' hang flags on embassies? To annoy the society? To increase the degree of hatred? I see how, over the years, society around me has become more tolerant...". Well-known TV presenter Anton Krasovsky (openly gay) spoke out against LGBT propaganda, gay parades, gender insanity and "sex change".

## Recommendations

- 1. To ban in the Russian Federation the activities of the international political movement of LGBT activists, LGBT organizations and their symbols (the six-color flag and its variations).
- 2. to ensure freedom of speech for Russian scientists: the opportunity to express their scientific position without fear for their careers and salaries. The bonus part of scientists' salaries depends on their publication activity. Under conditions of "political correctness" and censorship, Western and Russian publications with a high impact factor do not publish works that run counter to the

policy of depopulating behavior (propaganda of homosexuality, transsexualism and other psychosexual deviations), which puts pressure on the free expression of scientific position.

- 3. Review the level of cooperation with the UN and WHO and their funding in connection with activities that contradict the Constitution, Russian legislation and the strategic goals of sustainable growth of the Russian population. We need to bring the cooperation with the UN and the World Health Organization in line with the Russian Federation Foreign Policy Concept: oppose the imposition of neo-liberal ideological guidelines that run counter to traditional spiritual and moral values.
- 4. To protect the rights of the traditional majority to protect children from LGBT propaganda. Increase penalties for LGBT propaganda (dissemination of anti-scientific information formed by LGBT activists scientists), up to and including criminal penalties, while ensuring that reliable information about homosexual lifestyles and their physical and mental health consequences is available.
- 5. Protect LGBT rights to receive treatment for unwanted same-sex attraction and behavior and gender dysphoria; protect sex minorities from political exploitation as cheap opposition.

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