

picketing Zanu PF meetings in London - 4th / 5th July 2016

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Zanu PF are descending on London next week in a desperate plea for money. Please come and join the Vigil in two demonstrations – details below. These will count as Vigil attendances.

Finance Minister Patrick Chinamasa speaks at Chatham House from 12 noon – 1 pm on Monday 4th July

Chinamasa will talk about Zanu PF's economic agenda and no doubt promise to stop looting, act against corruption and observe the rule of law. The Vigil and ROHR will hand out leaflets to people attending explaining why Zanu PF cannot be believed.

Protest details

Date and time: Monday 5th July from 11.30 am – 1.30 pm.

Venue: The Royal Institute of International Affairs, Chatham House, 10 St James's Square, London SW1Y 4LE

Directions: nearest station: Piccadilly Circus (Piccadilly and Bakerloo lines) and Green Park (Piccadilly and Victoria lines). From Piccadilly outside Lillywhite's sports shop go south down Regent Street, take first right into Jermyn Street then second left into Duke of York Street. Chatham House is at the end of Duke of York Street on the the corner with St James's Square. From Green Park, go towards Piccadilly Station along the right side of Piccadilly, take the second right into St James's Street, then first left into Jermyn Street and third right in Duke of York Street.

Chinamasa will be joined by billionaire Obert Mpofu and other Zanu PF gangsters at a conference in London on Tuesday 5th July

The Vigil and ROHR are picketing the conference at which Zanu PF will try to persuade the world that it is reforming and should be bailed out with Western loans. We are being joined by the MDC in the UK.

We will be outside the meeting to tell any prospective investors the real reasons why Zimbabwe has run out of money and why the world should be sceptical about any assurances given by the likes of Chinamasa, Minister of Macro Economic Planning and Investment Promotion Obert Mpofu (unaccountably one of the richest men in Zimbabwe) and Mike Bimha, Minister of Industry and Commerce. They are listed to speak at the conference along with Reserve Bank governor John Mangudya.

We will hand out leaflets to delegates as they arrive for the Conference which starts at 9 am. There will be a break for lunch from 1 – 2.30 pm and the conference will continue till 7.15 pm.

Supporters can join us at any time during the day but we think we have the best chance of making an impression when they arrive.

Protest at Zimbabwe Conference 2016 'Rebooting and Rebuilding'. Tuesday 5th July from 8 am onwards. Venue: outside DLA Piper UK LLP, 3 Noble Street, London EC2V 7EE. For more

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Directions: nearest stations are St Paul's (Central line) and Barbican (Circle, Metropolitan, Hammersmith and City lines). From St Paul's go north up St Martin's Le Grand, right into Gresham Street and left into Noble Street. From Barbican go south down Aldersgate Street then turn left into London Wall at the Museum of London. Noble Street is the next right. Buses are 4, 56 and 76 – get off at stop 'Museum of London'.

For both protest we will bring banners, flags, leaflets, posters, drum, register and camera.

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