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## **An Open Letter To**

The Prime Minister, Stephen Harper, <Harper.S@parl.gc.ca> The Minister of Finance, <Flaherty.J@parl.gc.ca>

Dear Sirs:

I think, as the Canadian people do, that Canada ought to be a Democracy of the people in reality and we ought to dispense with all resemblance to fascism which appears as market dominance by a few large banking institutions. In other words Debt slavery has got to go!

I have written to you before about an Unconditional Basic Income. As you are no doubt aware this concept has historical roots in Social Credit in Alberta and in the work of CH Douglas.

In this connection I recommend to you the following recent (2007) articles by the well-known American writer Richard C. Cook.

While there is some overlap in these articles, the suggestions made by Cook represent a sure fire way out of the mess the US is in as a result of reliance on the Fed and the Federal Reserve System and debt finance.

His suggestions could also have speedy application in Canada to over come the mess we are in as a result of reliance on the chartered banks to create and profit from debt finance.

Richard C. Cook, *Monetary Reform and How a National Monetary System Should Work* http://www.globalresearch.ca/index.php?context=va&aid=5615

Richard C. Cook, *An Emergency Program of Monetary Reform for the United States* Global Research, April 26, 2007L

http://www.globalresearch.ca/index.php?context=viewArticle&code=COO20070426&articleId=5494

Richard C. Cook, *The Basic Income Guarantee and Monetary Reform: A Tale of Two Ideas*, Saturday, 24 March 2007: http://www.atlanticfreepress.com/content/view/1232/81/ See also: www.usbig.net/papers/160-Cook-Monetary.doc

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