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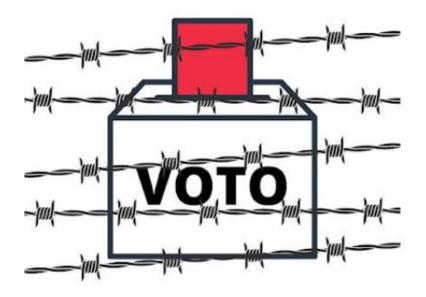
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The regime's blows in its throes

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Abuses by the Registrar and arrests by the Police

Four days before the second round of the presidential elections in Colombia, the regime of Iván Duque launches its last and desperate blows, like a wounded monster, aimed at generating terror and distrust in the population, before its imminent and inevitable defeat on June 19 with its unpresentable candidate, Rodolfo Hernández, the accused boss of the unnameable.



In its sterile wheezing, the Uribe government of Iván Duque acts on several fronts to try to save its pathetic presidential candidate from the defeat that the people will inflict on him next Sunday, the same that will mean the end of the regime of corruption and massacres that has prevailed in the country in the last four years.

On the afternoon of Tuesday, June 14, the dying government put the registrar, Alexander Vega, to close the doors of the audit of the electoral system claimed with all right and relevance by the Historical Pact.

In this way, the pusillanimous official fulfilled orders from the House of Nariño, with the sole purpose that his electronic tricks aimed at twisting Sunday's results in favor of Hernández are not discovered.

And, full of arrogance, Vega addressed Gustavo Petro alone to demand, with the utmost cynicism, "to respect" the results of Sunday, as if the registrar and his government already knew them, because they swear that they will be able to do the same as they did on April 19, 1970.

Let us remember that that disastrous day, in the government of the liberal Carlos Lleras Restrepo, they stole the elections from the leader of the National Popular Alliance, Anapo, Gustavo Rojas Pinilla, and handed over the Presidency, fraudulently, to the conservative Misael Pastrana Borrero, father of Andrés Pastrana Arango, current pawn of the most Gothic and recalcitrant uribismo.

Almost simultaneously with the maneuver of the government registrar, now accommodated so that the ultra-right does not ask for its head again, as happened after March 13, in the early morning of this Wednesday, June 15, the regime opened its second front of attacks.

In effect, he put the Police and the Prosecutor's Office at the service of his obscurantist aims to carry out dozens of raids and arrest at least 20 young members of the popular resistance, whom he presented as "organizers of vandalism" and gave them a long list of absurd alleged crimes, which even the perpetrators of the arrests do not believe.



Captured members of the Front Line in Cali. NATIONAL POLICE

The home raids and arrests of boys were carried out in a synchronized manner in Cali, capital of the resistance and one of the cities with the highest vote for Petro, and in Bucaramanga, the city of the regime's candidate. Ten people were arrested in each of them, and are being prosecuted.

Those arrested in Cali are Anderson Cifuentes, Rolando Quintero, Alejandro Blandón, Jhon Alejandro Hernández, Wilson Stiven Murillo, Yeison Giner Hernández Realpe, Jhon Ricardo Bermeo Carabalí, Jofren Ordóñez Angulo and Diego Fernando Ángel Agudelo. In addition, in recent days there have been reports of threats against the life of social and youth leader Steeven Ospina, a prominent human rights defender from Siloé and other neighborhoods in the southwest of Cali.

We are, therefore, in the presence of an escalation of arbitrariness typical of a dictatorial regime such as the one embedded in power in our country, which refuses to disappear, as will happen next Sunday, despite the trap preparations by those who have always managed the electoral system, and the brutal repression, with which they seek to silence the youth, main victim of this bloody government and exceptional protagonist of the change that is coming.

With the certainty that the popular victory is inexorable, Gustavo Petro has denounced the dictatorial maneuvers of the government, has called on the regime to respect the popular will and has urged his millions of followers throughout the country to reject the provocations and to vote early and in a multitudinous way next Sunday.

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