

Why We're Backing Burnham and the P.N.C.



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The Guyana Political Arena

Why I left the PPP

BY RANJI CHANDISINGH



RANJI CHANDISINGH
FORMER EXECUTIVE &
CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEMBER
OF THE PPP

As a socialist I functioned in the PPP for 18 years, believing that the leadership of that party was committed to the cause of socialism. To my deep regret and dismay, however, I discovered from bitter experience — at a crucial period in Guyana's history when the PNC had demonstrated its commitment to socialist transformation and development in deeds, not merely in words — that the PPP leaders were less interested in socialism and the unity and well-being of the Guyanese people than in furthering their ambitions for personal power and prestige.

The PPP nurtured at that stage an almost pathological fear of being rendered irrelevant in a Guyana being led toward socialism by the PNC. Even the attempt to analyse, to work out socialist policies and tactics based on sound political judgement began to give way to sheer obstruction motivated by jealousy and malice.

...and joined the P.N.C.

For me, such a petty and destructive approach held nothing in common with Marxism-Leninism. My conscience no longer allowed me to continue being a member of such a party.

I became convinced that the vanguard People's National Congress led by the architect of the Guyana revolution, Comrade L.F.S. Burnham, was the only Party that possessed the intelligence, the capacity, the political will and commitment to develop our country, unite our people and build a socialist Guyana.

Ranji Chandisingh

Barima/Waini-Region No.1

The P.N.C. Government ensures for me and my children a secure future.

Administratively, the introduction of the democratic Regional System was a timely move made by the P.N.C. Government. Regionalism allows for the decentralization of the administration, prevents red-tape and enables the widest possible participation of the people in their development.



MITZY CAMPBELL
TYPIST/CLERK
Mabaruma.

Mitzy Campbell



GEORGE WILBURG
FARMER of Yarakita

Since 1966 I've seen new improvements almost everyday in the Northwest; For instance, we've got more lands for farming; better prices for our crops; various efficient co-operatives set up; substantial government assistance in the form of tractors; more schools; a new municipal market at Kumaka and a new motor vessel the M.V. Kumaka.

[Signature]



JOHN ATKINSON (VILLAGE CAPTAIN)
REGIS RODRIGUES (COUNCILLOR)
FELIX JAMES (BOAT-HAND)

We, the Residents and Community Leaders of Moruka, have seen vast improvements and progress under the P.N.C. These include more agricultural development; establishment of the Agri Bank; more Hinterland Scholarships for Amerindians; more nursery schools; training for our nurses and medex and a cottage hospital at Waramuri.

John Atkinson Regis Rodrigues Felix James

Pomeroon /Supernaam Region No.2



JOSEPH CALDEIRA
FARMER

My reason for supporting Cde. Burnham and the P.N.C. is simply due to the fact that I'm a believer in socialism, and I find full satisfaction with the P.N.C.'s progressive socialist policies. For example, the Government's nationalisation policy enables the wealth of the country to be owned and controlled by Guyanese for our benefit. And we now have equal opportunity in education, housing, agriculture and every other field.



I support the People's National Congress Government because it is a government for the people and by the people. Ever since December 1964 when the P.N.C. Government took office it has been on a relentless march on the road to progress when other more fortunate nations have had to curtail and sometimes turn back on their developmental projects.



K.V. JAIRAM
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW



I support the P.N.C. because I have confidence in the Cde. Leader and the Party as a whole. It is the only party that can lead Guyana to progress and prosperity for the benefit of the masses.

Barakat

BARAKAT
SAW-MILLER



The Party and Government have done a lot for Amerindians in Guyana, and I know they will continue doing their best for all the country of Guyana.

Edward Smith

EDWARD SMITH
VILLAGE CAPTAIN
Kabakaburi



As a businessman I am happy over the policy of import substitution, which provides a challenge for us to develop. Years ago we had to import chowmein; today, we produce chowmein.

ADAM BAKSH:
CHOWMEIN PRODUCER,
RICE FARMER AND POULTRY REARER

Essequibo Islands / West Demerara Region No.3



AZEEZ KHAN
LANDED PROPRIETOR
of Leguan

Cde. Burnham is a true national Leader who keeps his promises. Consequent upon a promise he made at recent Face the Community Meetings, Leguan will soon get electric lighting.

Indeed, another promise made to the people that has already been kept is Government providing a Hymac Machine to do certain urgent Drainage and Irrigation works on the island of Leguan.

A. Khan

Had it not been for the People's National Congress the various social development changes we have experienced would not have taken place. The PNC Government has given us opportunity to acquire our own homes, help in opening small industries and the chance for the small man to make himself a real man.



Verna Moore

VERNA MOORE, CARETAKER, from Stewartville

As an old sugar worker I have been greatly impressed with such development projects under the PNC Government, as the sugar workers' Housing Schemes which have replaced the old logies of the colonial days.

Above all, in the Sugar Industry today, sugar workers are now assured of improved conditions of work and big incentives.



Ally

ALLY, SUGAR WORKER from Leonora



HEMRAJ RAMSAMOOJ
Farmer of Bonasika Creek

I regard Cde Burnham as our true Leader for our Nation. The Plans and Policies of the P.N.C are sound and progressive, guaranteeing, for example Land to the Tiller under the People's New Socialist Constitution.

Hemraj Ramsamooj

When one considers the series of economic crises that confront this nation from time to time; when one takes into account the political and economic assaults launched against our young Co-operative Republic; when one recalls the dexterity with which Forbes Burnham has steered this nation through the years, and how he has meandered the ship through stormy waters with countless obstacles; and that he is still steering this nation to the path of greater success, then one is more than elated to have the opportunity to vote the Forbes Burnham Government into office once more.



INGRID SINGH
NURSERY SCHOOL TEACHER,
La Jalousie, West Coast Demerara.

Ingrid Singh.

Demerara / Mahaica Region No. 4



Jose da Silva
JOSE DA SILVA
MANAGING PROPRIETOR
MODERN OPTICAL CO.

I have been involved in my field of business for 38 years. It is a family business, and under the P.N.C., the business has been able to grow from strength to strength. As a private enterprise, we have not been forced to go out of business as many people thought we would be.

Again, it is nice to see that under the new Constitution we have the right to belong to any religion and the right to inheritance. After all, I am a Roman Catholic and I appreciate the freedom to remain that way. Also, I would like to pass my business down to my family, and the right to inheritance guarantees this.

This is why I am backing Cde. Burnham and the P.N.C.



THOM THAKUR
UNIVERSITY OF GUYANA
STUDENT

The PNC is the Vanguard Party leading and representing the masses of people in Guyana.

The People's National Congress Party and government not only believes in Democracy but also in the actual practise of the principles of democracy, as enshrined in the People's New Constitution. Indeed, the forthcoming Election is yet another proof of the belief in and practice of democratic principles.

T. Thakur

The leadership of the PNC is going in the right direction to ensure a bright future for the present and coming generation of Guyanese including those who have migrated to colder climes and would return.

My family and I were living in Europe, the Middle and the Far East for some 25 years. But after several visits to Guyana during which we were impressed by the improvements taking place, we decided to return home and assist in the development thrust of the PNC Government.

Since returning home we have been able within one year, with the PNC Government's kind assistance, to establish one of the most modern and certainly the largest Pig Breeding and Commercial Farming Centres in Guyana.



LENNOX H. JOSEPH AND FAMILY
FARMERS
of Coverden, East Bank Demerara



As a mechanic I travel a lot. Now I'm able to drive through the Wismar Rockstone Road right across the Makura Road, Upper Demerara Project. I also visited the glass factory only a few to mention The Oil Mill at Farm, East Bank. I can say for sure no other party or government has ever done so much for its people.

JAMES SILAS
Motor Mechanic, Hope, East Bank Demerara.



Mahaica/ Berbice Region No. 5

I am satisfied that the PNC Government's agricultural policies have brought tremendous improvement to the standard of living of all farmers throughout our country.

Ruby Narine



RUBY NARINE
RICE FARMER of Mahaicony River



BARKAT ALLY
*Rosignol/Zeelust
District*

The Comrade Leader Burnham has outshined all those before him by his policies which are geared to give full satisfaction as far as possible to all the people of Guyana.

Barkat Ally.

I am supporting the PNC because I am certain that it is the Vanguard Party — the only Political Party to lead the masses successfully through this transitional period to Socialism.



Bibi Hasheema Khan.

BIBI HASHEEMA KHAN
STUDENT of Bath Settlement, W.C. Berbice

The PNC has achieved marked successes in carrying out three major tasks of Feeding, Clothing and Housing the Nation.

Doris Cambridge,

DORIS CAMBRIDGE
LOCAL AUTHORITY COUNCILLOR
No. 28 Village, West Coast Berbice



OUR FUTURE IS BRIGHT
BECAUSE THE LEADERSHIP IS RIGHT:

V Dutchin

VIVIEN DUTCHIN
GUYSUCO, WORKER, Blairmont

I am convinced that the P.N.C. is the only genuine Party in Guyana which has brought Peace and Happiness to our dear land of Guyana, after the turmoil of 1962 into 1964 when we experienced killings, burning down of properties, chaos and lootings under the PPP Government.

Doris McAlmon

DORIS MC ALMON
HOUSEWIFE
No. 4 Village, West Coast Berbice



East Berbice/Corentyne Region No.6

Our Comrade Leader Burnham is very loyal to Guyana and dedicated to all the citizens of this Co-operative Republic.

Seeranie Seepaul

SEERANIE SEEPAUL
RICE & GREEN VEGETABLE FARMER of Black Bush Polder
Corentyne



I am supporting the P.N.C. because it is the only Party with foresight, vision and the wisdom to fulfill the needs of the people at all levels in Guyana. Their achievements are beyond all expectations:

Just glance at the various sectors — Agriculture, Mining, Housing, Telecommunication, Rural Electrification, the Textile Mill, Glass Factory and the dream of the Hydro Electricity Scheme which would be a reality in a few years!

Edwin Persram



EDWIN PERSRAM
BUSINESSMAN,
Port Mourant

The progress and prosperity achieved for the past 16 years in Guyana by the PNC Government has never been achieved by any other third world country.

The PNC's intention under the People's New Constitution is to provide free adequate medical care for all the people!

S.F. Kassim

S.F. KASSIM
MEDICAL DOCTOR,
Port Mourant





ANTHONY JOHNSON
MAYOR
New Amsterdam

Burnham has proved himself to be a leader of remarkable vision, second to none in this part of the world. His advice to us to produce more food, to eat what we produce and to avoid importing any item for which there is local substitute was indeed prophetic. We have profited from his counsels and the implementation years ago of the Feed, Clothe and House ourselves programme.

Anthony E. Johnson

The new Canje Bridge, the M.M.A. Project, the dredging of the Berbice River, the Telecommunication advancement, the good Corentyne Highway together with the help that the Berbice Islamic Sunnatul Anjuman has received in acquiring lands for developmental projects and the stability in the nation are among the hall-marks of the P.N.C.'s achievements!

On behalf of the President General and Central Executives of the Berbice Sunnatul Anjuman we would like to advise the people in Berbice where we live to support the PNC Party which will continue to provide a happy life for all!



SULTIN HAFIZ
BERBICE ISLAMIC SUNNATUL
ANJUMAN

Sultin Hafiz

As a BUSINESSMAN I'm backing the PNC because of:

1. the wide democracy it guarantees, including freedom of worship and
2. its good and sound government in the past and for the future, especially in the interest of the small man — at the grassroot.



SOMAL RAMPERSAUD
BUSINESSMAN New Amsterdam

Somal Rampersaud

The high quality of leadership, the all-round personality, dedication and intellectual integrity of our Leader Comrade L.F.S. Burnham has instilled in me a calm and assurance, that beyond any doubt I can say the P.N.C. is the only party capable of solving any problem which may confront Guyana.

L. Anderson



L. ANDERSON
CONTRACTOR, Corriverton



CORRIVERTON TOWN COUNCIL

I, Myrtle Dundas, am backing President Burnham again because I am convinced that he is the only man God has placed in Guyana to lead all his people out of political and economic bondage.

Myrtle Dundas

MYRTLE DUNDAS
MAYOR, CORRIVERTON
TOWN COUNCIL

Through his dynamic leadership Cde. Burnham has transformed Guyana from an insignificant little dot on the South American continent to a place whose position is worthy of note in the world.

Maurice Haniff



MAURICE HANIFF
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

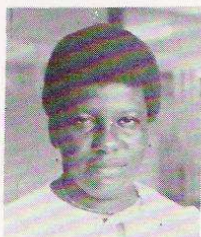
Cuyuni/Mazaruni Region No. 7



I support the PNC Party and the Government to be successful during the coming Election, because I know for sure under this government, lands will be expanded for Agriculture which is the backbone of the country's economy to help earn more foreign exchange to promote development.

Gibson Caesar

GIBSON CAESAR
CAPTAIN, Waramadong Village



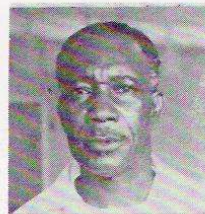
MOLLY MASSAY
MATRON
Bartica Hospital

In the nursing field there have been under the PNC many educational programmes and developments for the young people. For example, today many young people get overseas training. In addition MEDEX are trained by this Government and are sent to hinterland locations which now have more cottage hospitals and health centres.

Molly D. Massay

I am proud of the achievements of the PNC led by the Comrade Leader over the past fifteen years, particularly because the PNC Government has always recognised the human rights and general welfare of the whole nation.

ROBERT ALFRED

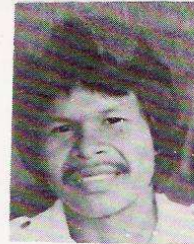


ROBERT ALFRED
DIAMOND & GOLD MINER
Imbaimadai

Since the PNC came into Government we have seen a lot of improvements made in the interest and for the benefit of all Guyanese from Mazaruni to Matthews Ridge and beyond. I am convinced that when returned to power the PNC will bring about further developments in the future!

Darriel Krammer

DARRIEL KRAMMER
SCHOOL TEACHER, *Kako*

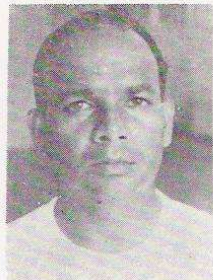


I am backing the P.N.C. because of its stand with the Feed, Clothe and House the Nation Drive which is very important to any developing nation. The Government's wise banning of certain imported items forced the hands of the farmers to produce more, not only for our country but also for export.

An equally important step and challenge which I support is the Hydro Power Project in the Mazaruni.

Alfred Wyatt

ALFRED WYATT
FARMER,
Cuyuni/Mazaruni



RAMESH BHUDIAL
QUARRY SUPERVISOR
Mazaruni River

The P.N.C. party has made great strides in the Agricultural and Technical Fields, especially with the recent advancement of the M.M.A. Scheme and the quarry development programme.

I foresee that Guyana will become a fully-developed country within the next decade if the P.N.C. is backed to remain in power, which I know will happen.

Ramesh B Bhudial



LEILA E. KNIGHTS
HEADMISTRESS

St. John-the-Baptist Primary School, at Bartica

I support the P.N.C. because of its dynamic leadership and because many of those in the top bracket are sympathetic to the needs of the people and are very approachable.

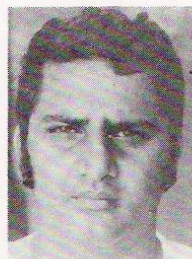
The P.N.C. has done so much; especially in the field of Free Education and Health and in its effort to make the nation self-sufficient in food -- "a nation needs to be strong and well fed". So I find that the P.N.C. programmes especially Agricultural and Educational are very progressive.

Leila E. Knights

I am backing the P.N.C Party because under the P.N.C. Government we have been able to own and control our natural resources, for instance the taking over of Guyana Timbers Limited, Guybau, and Guysuco, just to mention a few.

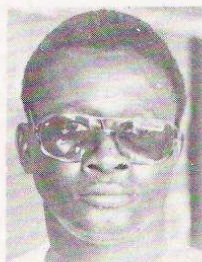
Since the taking over of G.T.L., I have been promoted to serve at the G.T.L. in a higher management field; a position that would of never been possible under a colonial regime.

I also admire the great strides the present Government has made in the construction of better roads for the people of Guyana; especially the Linden Highway and the Bartica/Linden road.



RAMKARRAN LUCKHAI,
OPERATIONS SUPERINTENDENT
Guyana Timbers Limited, Winiperu

R. Luckhai



SYDNEY WALCOTT --
SUPERINTENDENT OF PRISONS (ag.)

Since the P.N.C. Government came to office the Cde Leader has demonstrated that he can match and even surpass the intellectual ability of other world leaders at international forums. As I look around I can see developments in a number of areas, e.g., free education, Sanata Textile Mill, Canje Bridge, Demerara Harbour Bridge, MMA and Tapacuma Land Development Scheme, just to name a few. Under the P.N.C. Government any Guyanese by dint of hard work can now reach the top.

Sydney Walcott

Guyanese Overseas



As a Guyanese resident in the United Kingdom for many years I support the PNC because I'm convinced that it is the only Party which has succeeded in bringing about Unity among all Guyanese.

To show my full confidence in the Government led by Cde. Burnham I am returning to live, work and end my days in my beautiful country Guyana.

V. V. Barsati

V. BARSATI
LONDON



The PNC is a Party with true statesmen as its Leaders, and with a clear policy of non-alignment and peaceful, unswerving transition to Socialism. A Party that will ensure that the Guyana of my children will be a nation second to none.

JOHN WHY
ENGLAND



It is only through the PNC that Guyana can achieve development. Development is already taking place with the construction of new roads, factories, bridges, etc, and under the PNC this will continue for the benefit of all Guyanese.

JOYCE RICHARDSON U.K.

I support the PNC because Guyana can only continue to grow in the world as a Nation in its own right through the magnificent leadership of Forbes Burnham. I am returning to Guyana soon to make my contribution in the field of Commerce.

MAXIE CHUNG, U.K.



THE GUYANA STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION OF KINGSTON, JAMAICA, W.I. at a Meeting on Sunday, 9th November, 1980 passed a Resolution pledging its support to the PNC at the forth coming General Elections!

Doreen Holder

DOREEN HOLDER, PRESIDENT;

Pamela Knights

PAMELA KNIGHTS, SECRETARY.

As a Guyanese national living at the moment in the United States of America and planning to return home soon, I am proud to observe on my visits home the tangible and feel the intangible evidences of economic, social, cultural and political progress in Guyana under the leadership of the PNC.

Desmond Clarke

DESMOND CLARKE, BANKER, NEW YORK, U.S.A.



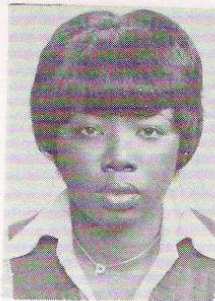
As a Guyanese living in Canada and who visits Guyana frequently, I am impressed with the development made in my country.

I congratulate President Burnham and the PNC for their stable government of Guyana and the progressive direction into which Guyana is being wisely directed.

Milton Alexander



MILTON ALEXANDER,
QUEBEC, CANADA



The present Government of Guyana has over the past 16 years taken the country across the threshold of development, and must be congratulated for being an inspiration to my Guyana.

Venica Sancho

VENICA SANCHO, QUEBEC, CANADA

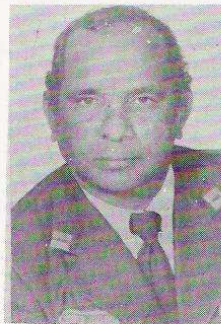


I note with interest that General Elections will shortly be held in Guyana under the New Constitution.

As a loyal Guyanese, I wish to re-affirm my support for the Party and Government on the appointed day.

P.A. Rajroop

P.A. RAJROOP, ONTARIO, CANADA.



Towards economic growth in Guyana, we have had, above all, the benefit of wise leadership through troubled times.

Patrick Narine

PATRICK NARINE, TORONTO, ONTARIO.

Potaro/Siparuni Region No.8



ANGIE WILLIE
VILLAGE CAPTAIN
Potaro

I am fully supporting the PNC Government because my Cde. Leader President Burnham is a good leader. President Burnham is always willing and ready to help the people. For example, he has given us free education and land to the Amerindians to plant food crops more widely than before.

Angie Willie

I've been backing the PNC Government since its inception because the Party is working in the interest of all Guyanese irrespective of ethnic background.

Apart from free education, more Guyanese are now able to own their own homes, and get better health facilities; and old people are better taken care of by being given bigger pensions, better medical attention and more consideration generally.

Rupert Justice

Since the PNC came into Government we are seeing many improvements in the position of my people — the Amerindians.

For example, the Mahdia Hospital where I work now has direct communication with doctors in Georgetown. And so the residents of the area can get better medical advice and attention, through improved communication for medical consultation and through improved facilities generally.

Olinda Baird



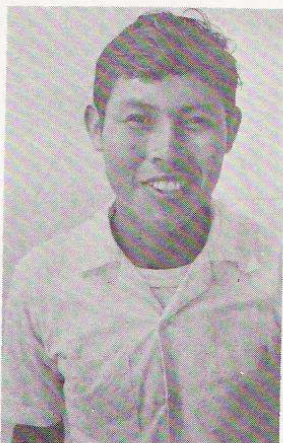
RUPERT JUSTICE
BOAT-HAND
from Potaro



OLINDA BAIRD
CHARWOMAN Mahdia Hospital



These students from the Potaro/Siparuni Region are among the scores of hinterland youths on Government Scholarships to the Guyana Industrial Training Centre, the Carnegie School of Home Economics and various Secondary Schools in Georgetown.



IVAN PIO
GITC STUDENT
from Kato

Since 1968 when the PNC Government extended the granting of scholarships to us students from the hinterland we have been trained to be airline pilots, agricultural mechanics, nurses, teachers of home economics and tradesmen.

My opinion is that now that the PNC Government has kindly granted me a scholarship I can learn a trade at the Guyana Industrial Training Centre (GITC). My fellow Amerindians will get the same opportunity of free education under the PNC Government; and I am exceedingly proud of this.

Above all, I am even more happy that now I am only 19 years of age I get the opportunity to vote for the PNC that reduced the voting age to 18.

Ivan Pio

The Burnham Government gave us our first Amerindian teacher who belongs to our village. Under the PNC the children are getting better education and the school building has been repaired with the help of the PNC.



Joseph Willie

JOSEPH WILLIE
TOUCHAU, Yurong Parru, North Pakaraimas



EULEEN SINGH
VILLAGE CAPTAIN
Toka, North Rupununi

I am backing Burnham our Leader and President because of the significant input in the development of agriculture in my area.

Residents have since moved away from subsistence farming to large-scale production which has made the economic standard of the village and the district far better than it was before the PNC took office.

Euleen Singh

As the Village Captain of Yupukarri for 14 years I have noted that since the PNC took office my village, for example, has received all the assistance it needed, such as adequate medical service and technical advice in agriculture — thanks to Cde. Leader Burnham. Change what? No changing the PNC! I'm backing Burnham all the way because I want Peace and Prosperity for Guyana.



Abel Dorrick

*ABEL DORRICK VILLAGE CAPTAIN, Yupukarri

Upper Takutu / Upper Essequibo Region No.9



CANDIDA VERAS
TOUCHAU
of Karasabai

I am backing the Cde. Leader Burnham because under his good leadership:

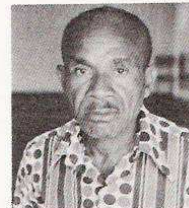
Amerindians were given title to lands.
Free medical treatment and free education have been provided for the people.
More wells and better water supply have been provided for hinterland areas.
Regular airways flights now come into our area with goods! We even have a jet aircraft.

Candida Veras

I back the PNC Party because the PNC Government helped my community to establish a new school building and gave Amerindians free titles to land.

Randolph Jonas

RANDOLPH JONAS
TOUCHAU, Monkey Mountain, North Pakaraima



NERSO LORENTINO
TOUCHAU, St. Ignatius, Rupunini

I've seen a lot of progress since the PNC got into Government. For example, improved hinterland medical facilities, like medical huts; new and better schools; and free education.

I am proud for the action taken by the PNC in giving titles to lands back to the Amerindians.

Nerso Lorentino

Upper Demerara / Upper Berbice Region No. 10



After years of violence of the early 1960 s which divided the major ethnic groups, the PNC under the dynamic leadership of Cde. Forbes Burnham has been able to bring a measure of calm and stability to the country, healing the wounds of the past and helping to create a climate where people are working together to build a strong and vibrant nation.

SBovell

STEVE BOVELL

CO-ORDINATOR, Engineering & Energy Group
Guyana



In Kwakwani, now a Local Authority, there have been improved housing, social and working conditions.

Since the nationalization of the Berbice Operations more jobs are available to both men and women. In fact, it is under the PNC Government that women are now employed in the Services Division as electricians and the like in Kwakwani.

PA Daniel

PATRICIA DANIEL
STENOGRAPHER

Guyana Berbice Operations



SYBIL BLANCHARD
HOUSEWIFE

I have travelled abroad a lot; and when you look at the development in Guyana it is fantastic.

I have been living in Linden for 33 years; and I do not like to remember my early years at Linden as there were poor housing, little medical care and bad transportation. Today all this has been reversed, thanks to the PNC.

Sybil Blanchard

I think that having the PNC in Government is a blessing.

The PNC is out to do everything that is good. Under the PNC the standard of living in this Linden community and elsewhere has been lifted, people are now free to walk the street without fear, and people of varying backgrounds have been brought together.

Elsie Tsoi



ELSIE TSOI
RESTAURANT
ADMINISTRATOR,
Linden



The PNC Government has ended discrimination: and there is equal opportunity for all.

Since the nationalization of Demba now Guymine, transportation for the Linden community has improved with the advent of the Linden Transport Co-op Society.

Yvonne Duggin

YVONNE DUGGIN
CONDUCTRESS
Linden Transport Co-op Society

The Leader of the PNC is a fine leader wisely guiding this nation towards Socialism.

It is significant that earlier the Cde. Leader saw fit to ban certain items from abroad even though some comrades believed he was wrong; but in the long run he proved to be right.

Now we have our own salted fish and dried fruits and our own feeling of self-reliance.

Ben Field



DONALD BENFIELD
CONSTRUCTION
SUPERVISOR
Guyminie

Religious and Other Mass Organizations



"MY VOTE FOR THE PNC under the leadership of Forbes Burnham, is a prayer to the Supreme Deity that Peace, Biblical Justice, and Brotherly Love will develop into National virtues of this dear land of Guyana, making it Paradise this side of Heaven."

REV EDWIN VANDEYAR,
METHODIST MINISTER OF RELIGION



We are impressed with the good guidance the Cde. President Burnham and the Cde. Prime Minister have provided to our nation for the free propagation of Religion and Culture.

Pandit Deodat Sharma

PANDIT DEODAT SHARMA,
PRESIDENT, THE GUYANA PANDITS' COUNCIL



The PNC Government has shown great interest in fostering the development of the Muslim Community; and for this we are ever thankful.

Mohamed A. Ali

MOHAMED A. ALI
SECRETARY/TREASURER
THE SADR ISLAMIC CENTRE.



As for me, my house and all the brethren there can be no alternative to our progressive PNC Government.

Elder F. Furry

ELDER F. FURRY, ELDER IN CHARGE,
THE WEST EVANGELIST MILLENNIUM CHURCH

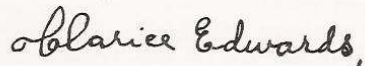
The Hindu community and all Guyanese . . . know from your past performance, Cde. President, that you have served your country with distinction.



D.C. BHARRAT, GENERAL SECRETARY
GUYANA SANATAN DHARMA MAHA SABHA



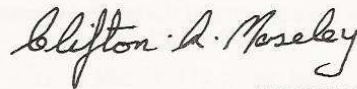
The PNC's drive is to build a New Society built on the principles of Religious Equality, Social and Economic Justice.



CLARICE EDWARDS, SNR. VICE-PRESIDENT
THE GUYANA MYSTICAL APOSTOLIC COUNCIL
AND HEAD OF THE HOLY TRINITY MISSION



Cde. Burnham is the only Leader that is trying to give his people a sense of responsibility and a sense of belonging.



CLIFTON MOSELY.
CHAIRMAN OF THE GUYANA COUNCIL OF LODGES



STANTON CRITCHLOW
GENERAL SECRETARY,
GUYANA LABOUR UNION

The PNC Government has brought more job security to the working class. More jobs have been created for both men and women, each with equal promotional opportunity. So come out, stand up, vote and be counted on December 15, 1980!



Other Mass Organizations



EDWARD MARCUS, GENERAL SECRETARY
PRINTING INDUSTRY & ALLIED WORKERS UNION

From 1952 when I first met him to this day Cde. Burnham's policies in the interest of the small man have not changed. His love for people makes him the man who has overcome racial prejudice in Guyana.

The Guyana Co-operative Union Ltd representing fifteen hundred co-operative societies in this Co-operative Republic of Guyana firmly endorses the policies and programmes of the Vanguard Party, the People's National Congress.



We cannot fail to record the Party's unswerving commitment to the small man and its use of the Co-operative as the main instrument to establish his dignity and human worth, by the improvement of his economic, social and cultural life.

J.N. FRASER, CHAIRMAN

K.P. SHORTT,
SECRETARY/MANAGER

C.A. HUNTLEY,
TREASURER

H.B. DEVONISH, MEMBER

M. KHAN
MEMBER

The Women's Advisory Committee of the GUYANA PUBLIC SERVICE UNION has noted with pride and satisfaction that the PNC has made full use of the Clause in the People's Constitution which deals with the equal rights for women by including many Guyanese women on its list of Candidates for the December 15 General Elections



GLYN LANGEVINE P.R.O.

CULTURE and SPORT

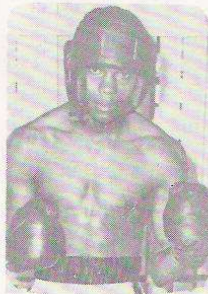


Eddie Hooper

I'm backing Cde. Burnham and the PNC because, despite obvious economic and other limitations, we've proudly seen in our time the long overdue erection of a National Cultural Centre where we Guyanese can express and appreciate our varied cultural heritage.

This achievement can lead to the establishment of a national recording studio to which my colleagues and I are looking forward, for early implementation.

EDDIE HOOPER
POPULAR GUYANESE
SINGER & MUSICIAN



I have seen substantial improvement in sport for all the children of Guyana. I am committed to contribute to this.

The Party and Government have demonstrated an indepth concern for my future. The Cde. Prime Minister, before he became our President, gave me support, not only at the time of this championship but long before: and I must say I personally have a total respect for the integrity of our great Leader.

Patrick Forde

PATRICK FORDE,
COMMONWEALTH FEATHERWEIGHT
BOXING CHAMPION



The National Insurance Scheme is a Social Security Organisation providing protection for all workers in Guyana from the cradle to the grave.

The P.N.C. Government through the N.I.S. is my protection from want and need. We three go together. That's why I'm for the P.N.C.

Evelyn Shividatt

EVELYN SHIVDATT,
MISS DEEPAVALI 1980.

NATION-WIDE

All Guyana is Backing Burnham



A section of the crowd of thousands from all Regions of Guyana in enthusiastic support for the PNC during the Mass Rally held at the 1763 Monument on Sunday 26th October, 1980.

EVERY HUMBLE GUYANESE



DONALD A.A. ROBINSON
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Like most Guyanese I am of humble birth. The basic things of life are what I crave the most — a roof over my head, the best education for my children, the right to practise my profession, and freedom to worship as my conscience dictates. Above all else, I love my country, and I have a passionate desire to see peace maintained and real prosperity achieved in the years that remain to me.

I earnestly believe that Burnham can continue to lift Guyana- and inspire us, Guyanese, to levels of true greatness. I also believe that, at this point in our history, no other person can.

And that is why I am backing Burnham again!

Vote P.N.C



Win With The P.N.C

And Let
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NATIONWIDE
CONTINUE



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