

BASIS OF DEMOCRATIC POLITICS

1. Sovereignty of the people, and supremacy of the Parliament.
2. Strongly organised political party, as a well-established institution.
3. Election, not nomination, of all office-bearers of the Party.
4. Collective leadership, as against charismatic and headstrong leadership.
5. 'People-oriented' and 'issues-oriented' politics.
6. Consensus on basic public and national issues.
7. Improvement of the Electoral System, for transparency and minimum spending in elections.
8. "Change of System" (political, economic and social systems) the main objective.
9. Elimination of feudalism, for economic growth and increase in agricultural growth.
10. Adherence to moral principles and spiritual development of the individual, for producing 'democratic beings'.
11. Denial of a political role to the army. Not accepting NSC.
12. Non-indulgence in politics of intrigue and confrontation.
13. Indulgence in 'politics of principles', not 'politics of personalities'.
14. Disallowing people's representatives to interfere in administration.

These steps will result in:

- (a) Restoration of self-esteem of the poor and the weak.
- (b) Fulfillment of the aspirations of the youth.
- (c) Acceptance of the Peoples' collective wisdom.