The EU is a security catastrophe

The remarkable ease with which terrorists could travel within the EU's borderless Schengen countries to kill 160 people in Paris and Brussels has alarmed everyone except the Euro-elite in Brussels. The Paris and Brussels bombers went from Syria to Holland to Belgium to France to Hungary before and after the Paris attacks and before the Brussels attacks. But Cameron agreed with his fellow EU leaders that discussing changes to the free movement of terrorists across national borders would be "inappropriate"!!

A former Tory leader Lord Howard rightly attacked the Government and the EU saying that the Schengen zone "makes Europe less safe" and a former head of MI6 and a former director of the CIA have said that Britain returning to a self governing nation state would not affect and might indeed enhance our security.

This chimes well with the late Sir Louis Le Bailly the former Director General of our Defence Intelligence Staff who recommended my 1997 anti EU book "Europe's Full Circle - Corporate Elites and the new Fascism" to "all who cherish our heritage as a nation state".

Sir Richard Dearlove the former Head of MI6 said in a magazine article that:

"the truth about Brexit from a national security perspective is that the cost to Britain would be low. Brexit would bring two potentially important security gains: the ability to dump the European Convention on Human Rights — remember the difficulty of extraditing the extremist Abu Hamza of the Finsbury Park Mosque — and, more importantly, greater control over immigration from the European Union."

Former CIA Director General Michael Hayden said that "with regards to these kinds of questions the (European) union is not a natural contributor to national security of each of the entity states and, in fact, in some ways [it] gets in the way of the state's providing security for its own citizens."

No limit to those who could enter EU

As soon as the EU destroyed the internal borders of the European Union — which it did 22 years ago in the Maastricht Treaty where "European citizens" were allowed to travel to any other EU state as a matter of right — then Europe was open to unlimited and effectively uncontrolled migration from all over the world — a situation which Jihadist Muslims have been able to exploit.

It was in our book **Treason at Maastricht** in 1994 that the late Norris McWhirter and I showed that the Treaties that British ministers had signed were an immigration disaster (it was Hurd who only half humorously said "We had better go away and read what we have signed"!).

Since Maastricht any EU citizen can go to any other EU State to live and work. Any National of any EU State can become an EU citizen and any State can make anyone in the world their national. So there was and is no limit to the number of the world's peoples who could not be given free access to any EU country, with any one EU State creating "citizens" which all the others have to accept.

Given that several small EU States are in danger of becoming, with the aid of the European left, Muslim States — or critically Muslim influenced — within the next generation (Sweden and Belgium being the most obvious) the scope for a rogue State exploiting this grotesque "citizen creating" danger is very great indeed.

There is not a single reason for the United Kingdom to stay within the madhouse which is the EU but among the many

critical reasons for leaving — constitutional, financial, economic, social, democratic — the most immediate is the critical danger of our uncontrolled borders made unenforceable by the idiocies of the European Union's policies on "borderless" States and the creation of "European citizens".

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