

## A Party with Neo-Fascist Origins is going to form its Government in Italy

In Italy elections for the parliament took place early after the existing government collapsed due to the disgruntlement of people against cost of living and rocketing energy prices.

Brothers of Italy party emerged as the biggest vote getter party. This party with its neo-fascist origins is going to form the next government. This party is the Italy's farthest right party to be in administration since the fall of fascist dictator Mussolini in 1945.

Brothers of Italy is anti-immigrant, hard nationalist, protectionist and Euro-sceptic policies. However from 2014 the party adopted an acceptable version of populism, toning down its neo-fascist roots – a policy of social conservatism and economic welfarism. It has conveniently and cunningly exploited the discontent of people and the political momentum to its advantage to ascend in to governmental power.

The failure of the neo-liberal economic policies implemented throughout the globe is the main cause for the discontent of the people against cost of living crises and rising prices and massive unemployment. But instead of turning the attention against the neo-liberal economic policies of capitalist system, the far-right and neo-fascist parties that support neo-liberal economic policies have cunningly diverted the discontent of people against immigrants and exploited the situation created by the neo-liberal economic policies of capitalism.

The same strategy of diverting the attention of people against immigrants and others is being adopted by all right-wing and reactionary parties throughout the world to attain governmental power. Recently Sweden too succumbed to ultra-nationalist, far-right party that has traces with neo-Nazi parties.

This is a dangerous trend looming on the entire world, which has to be curbed by the progressive and democratic forces relentlessly fighting against imperialism and capitalist system and their policies of exploitation that have become a bane to the entire humanity.