Hands Off Venezuela!

The United States government has its sights on oil-rich Venezuela. The U.S.-backed "opposition" - a tiny minority of millionaires who control the Venezuelan media and economy - has already made 2 coup attempts against the democratically elected government of Hugo Chavez. Most recently, the attempted to remove him from power through a recall referendum, which was soundly defeated by the Venezuelan people. And still Chavez is labelled a dictator, and the U.S. government continues to assist the Venezuelan opposition in their intrigues to oust him. They cannot allow the example of Venezuela to spread to the rest of Latin America. The U.S. government has no moral grounds to give the Venezuelan government and people lessons in democracy, particularly after their open support for the undemocratic coup attempts in the past. We express our solidarity with the Venezuelan people and defend the revolutionary process in Venezuela, where the people have repeatedly shown their support for the Bolivarian project promoted by president Chavez - on the streets in demonstrations of millions of people and in 8 electoral contests. We demand that the government of the United States of America stop interfering in Venezuela. Working people around the world have the same interests. An injury to one is an injury to all! We ask that you add your name to this petition and distribute this information as widely as possible.

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