



Reforming to consolidate power

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I. BACKGROUND

- People's perceptions & reasons for their resentment
- 1. Their world is struggling with a lot of challenges
- 2. Their world is experienced als complex, difficult, unsafe & unfair
- 3. Everything is constantly in change
- 4. The globale village is overheated
- 5. The revival of nationalism
- Summarized: a flow of negativity

II. IS THERE AN REMEDY? – HEADLINES

- The disease is complex - the remedy as well
- 1. Give people hope again
 - - bearing story
 - - the biotope of the politics: our status victoria
 - - cultivating good practices
 - - sustainable answers
 - - rooted in the individuals - strengthen in a broader context

IS THERE A REMEDY? – HEADLINES

- 2. The concerns of large groups are ours:
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- 2.1. rebuilding trust and confidence
- 2.2. Local drivers still score the best

IS THERE A REMEDY? – HEADLINES

- 3. Give an new breath and inspiration to our institutions
- 3.1. re-invent or reform institutions
- 3.2. decision-making processes with which people can identify themselves
- 3.3. revaluation of politics
- 3.4. recruitment of inspired and involved politicians
- 3.5. a plausible agenda

IS THERE A REMEDY? – HEADLINES

- 4. bearers of hope
 - 4.1. citizens' movements
 - 4.2. youngsters
 - 4.3. from a passive mass media consumption to an interactive production

IS THERE A REMEDY? – HEADLINES

- 5. The local as the battlefield
- 5.1. the local level = battlefield of the transitions - horizontalisation
- 5.2. the transition from state to city - decentralization and the reshuffle of responsibilities
- 5.3. a strong (g)local leadership
- We have to leave the illusion that central government is still in the cockpit

CONCLUSION: THERE IS HOPE

- 1. thinking with nuances
- 2. the scouting and recruitment of precursors and a new leadership
- 3. politics the express the wonders of the people
- 4. Politics are not alfa and omega: the world outside (creativity, entrepreneurship, ...)



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