

On the Arrest of Telegram's Founder, Pavel Durov: How to Fight Censorship as Globalists Expand their War on Truth

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As we all now, Telegram's founder, Pavel Durov was arrested in Paris-Le Bourget Airport in France based on specific allegations that his platform is being used for "drug trafficking and the distribution of child sexual abuse images." I must say, how convenient to accuse Durov of these charges as censorship on a global scale is out of control.

Mainly the US, UK, the European Union, and Israel's political establishment has been at the forefront with Big Tech companies such as *YouTube*, *Vimeo*, *META* (formally Facebook), *X* (formerly Twitter), *Instagram*, *Google* are all on a war path against free speech advocates who are considered a threat to the establishment. There are even new platforms and search engines who are following in the same footsteps as Big Tech so that they can become part of the gang such as *DuckDuckGo* and to no surprise, Microsoft's *Bing* which of course is owned by Bill Gates.

One of the newest members of the Globalist cabal, Elon Musk and his X platform has started to censor articles or opinions that are critical of Israel.

British writer and a freelance journalist, <u>Jonathan Cook</u> wrote a critical article about the pattern of censorship on X especially when it comes to the so-called "anti-Semitism" online and said that

"Many users of X, formerly Twitter, seem deeply misguided. They imagine that Elon Musk is the saviour of free speech. He's not." Cook says beware that those who criticize Israel on X because, "Musk is already disappearing opinions, either ones he doesn't like or ones he cannot afford to be seen supporting — most visibly, anything too critical of Israel."

So, any information or opinion on Israel's genocide on the Palestinians, the Russia-Ukraine conflict, human rights issues around the world, Covid-19 vaccines, the dangers of GMO food, agendas of the *World Economic Forum* (WEF) and so on, Big Tech is there to censor the story.

Big Tech is targeting journalists, websites, blogs, anti-war and pro-Palestine activists, antivaxx and anti-GMO groups because if their stories expose any globalist agenda, you can bet, it will be censored.

There are numerous examples of censorship that have taken place by Big Tech companies over the years, and it seems that the situation will get worse as more people are waking up to what is happening around them.

The globalists are frightened because their project of brainwashing the public for decades through the mainstream media, public education, Hollywood movies and sitcoms is clearly not working anymore, so their last weapon of choice is of course, censorship.

Political Censorship on Steroids

Ben Norton's 'Meet the Nicaraguans Facebook Falsely Branded Bots and Censored Days before Elections' exposed Facebook, Instagram and Twitter's mass censorship on Sandinista activists during Nicaragua's elections in 2021. Norton said that

"Facebook and Instagram – both of which are owned by the newly rebranded Big Tech giant Meta – suspended 1,300 Nicaragua-based accounts run by pro-Sandinista media outlets, journalists, and activists in a large-scale crackdown on October 31."

It was a collaborated effort by Big Tech to censor the Sandinista movement, a long-time enemy of the US and right-wing political elites of Latin America:

"On November 1, Sandinista activists whose accounts were suspended by Facebook and Instagram responded by posting videos on Twitter, showing the world that they are indeed real people. But Twitter suspended their accounts as well, seeking to erase all evidence demonstrating that these Nicaraguans are not government bots or part of a coordinated inauthentic operation."

"Twitter's follow-up censorship was effectively a <u>double-tap strike</u> on the freedom of speech of Nicaraguans, whose apparent misdeed is expressing political views that challenge Washington's objectives.."

It is interesting that the Big Tech giants did not censor anyone or group from the right-wing opposition who is supported by Washington, "Zero right-wing opposition supporters in Nicaragua were impacted."

Another example of Big Tech censorship was against Russia especially since it began its Special Operation in Ukraine which was provoked by the US-NATO alliance to destabilize Russia. Big Tech companies who have been in the frontline against Russia and have banned it's state media news channels on cable TV such as *RT News* and they even went as far as to ban their private media companies that are based in Russia and are labeled as "fake news stories" produced by Russian bots. Big Tech has also targeted one of the most popular alternative news websites, *Global Research* on a massive scale:

As you may all know, Global Research has been unduly censored by the search engines, not to mention the recurrent smears by the "fact-checkers" and mainstream media platforms. In the past weeks, we have experienced a significant drop in our daily readership following a coordinated DDoS ("distributed denial of service") cyber-attack emanating simultaneously from five countries consisting of millions of so-called "malicious requests"

These are just a few examples of how far Big Tech is willing to go to censor independent voices whether from an adversary country like Nicaragua or Russia, or any media network, group or individual journalist that expose their multiple agendas.

Big Tech Censorship for Big Pharma

When it came to the Covid Pandemic, *YouTube* was one of the first platforms to censor the anti-Vaxx movements pertaining to the dangers of Covid-19 vaccines brought to you by Big Pharma heavyweights such as Pfizer and Merck. RT news published *YouTube bans ALL anti-vax videos, ramping up Covid-era censorship campaign* and stated that *"YouTube will ban all "harmful vaccine content" from its platform, including claims that vaccines are ineffective at reducing disease transmission. The ban comes after a year of escalating censorship by the Google-owned company."* In a blog post, YouTube justified its censorship campaign,

"We've steadily seen false claims about the coronavirus vaccines spill over into misinformation about vaccines in general, and we're now at a point where it's more important than ever to expand the work we started with Covid-19 to other vaccines."

According to Robert F. Kennedy's Children's Health Defense, Del Bigtree, a Covid vaccine skeptic was banned on YouTube, "On July 29, YouTube terminated Del Bigtree's "The Highwire" account after he posted a video of Del and me discussing my debate with Alan Dershowitz on vaccine mandates. YouTube also purged hundreds of other truthful videos on vaccines." RFK Jr called Google a vaccine company, "YouTube's owner, Google, is effectively a vaccine company. Two subsidiaries of Google's parent company, Alphabet, market and manufacture vaccines: Calico and Verily. Arthur Levinson, Genentech's former CEO, runs Calico, an anti-aging drug company while Verily teams with Pharma to conduct drug and vaccine clinical trials."

Big Tech is a partner of Big Pharma and censorship has been a weapon to silence vaccine skeptics and the anti-vaxx movement. Google uses algorithms to censor information about Big Pharma's vaccines by labeling it as "misinformation." Google and Facebook (now META) and other Mainstream media outlets even hired so-called "FactCheckers" to help censor articles and opinions on the dangers of Covid-19 vaccines and other forms of alternative medicines that can actually help cure Covid and other diseases because it was all considered "misinformation."

Google was one of the main corporations that orchestrated a censorship campaign by using its search algorithms to change the results on what you are looking for. In fact, in most cases, you can't find what you are looking for.

Google uses an array of weapons against truth tellers which includes blacklisting websites and blogs, using algorithms to place articles, images and opinions at the bottom of a search and even resorted to hiring contractors to be the judge and jury to make decisions on what you see online.

What We Can Do to Fight Big Tech Censorship?

Regardless of what is happening with Big Tech corporations, Western governments and others who are hellbent on censorship, there is plenty of hope and optimism.

Truth can never be contained no matter how hard they try. You may ask, how is this possible since they control everything on the internet including social media, newspapers and so on? Yes, Big Tech is working with special interests' groups and certain governments whether to hide the truth or to just crush the competition for financial reasons, but I have

news for you, there are good people around the world who are fighting back in one way or another and one of them is *Telegram*'s Founder, Pavel Durov. One thing that Pavel Durov proved is that there can be alternatives to Big Tech platforms and that's why he created Telegram. But there are other platforms worth mentioning that are trying to get the word out.

Here is a list of alternative social media platforms and search engines that journalists, activists, websites, bloggers, social media personalities and every other truth-teller or truth seeker can use:

Alternatives to X formally known as Twitter:

- <u>telegram.org</u> Telegram is described as a "cloud-based, cross-platform, social media and instant messaging service" created by Pavel Durov.
- <u>joinmastodon.org</u> Mastodon is described as a "free and open-source software for running self-hosted social networking services" which was created by Eugen Rochko and is crowdfunded. It is currently registered as under the German non-profit Mastodon gGmbH.

Alternative Search Engines other than Google:

*These search engines are not under the control of Google or Bill Gates 'Microsoft Bing'

- yandex.com Based in Russia, the search engine "provides local search results in more than 1,400 cities. Yandex Search also features "parallel" search that presents results from both main web index and specialized information resources, including news, shopping, blogs, images and videos on a single page."
- <u>search.brave.com</u> is a search engine developed by *Brave Software, Inc.*, and is the default search engine for its web browser in certain countries, it is a decent search engine so far.

Alternative Video Platforms other than YouTube:

- <u>rumble.com</u> An alternative to YouTube, is an online video platform, web hosting, and cloud services business based in Toronto, Ontario.
- <u>odysee.com</u> Created by LBRY, "a blockchain-based file-sharing and payment network that powers decentralized platforms, primarily social networks and video platforms." LBRY/Odysee is described as a "decentralized, fringe alternatives to YouTube."
- <u>bitchute.com</u> An alt-tech video hosting service launched in January 2017 and it is described as a platform for the freedom of speech. Although you will find Right-Wing talking points, there is freedom of expression in many of the videos in the past.
- <u>tiktok.com</u> an app hated by the US government since they can't really control it, just ask its CEO, <u>Shou Zi Chew</u>. TikTok, is described as a short-form video hosting service owned by China's internet company ByteDance which hosts numerous videos from all sides of the spectrum that can be easily accessed with a smart phone app.

Alternatives to Print Media rather than Time Magazine or book publishers such as Simon &

Schuster:

- newdawnmagazine.com Since 1991, New Dawn Magazine has been a great alternative to Western print media and newspapers it features many real stories on wars, vaccines, Globalism, the economy, and much more.
- claritypress.com an independent book publisher who "is committed to international legal standards on justice issues, seeing in international human rights law a unique combination of positive law and universal ideals which serve to promote, guide and legitimize the efforts of individuals, groups, peoples and states worldwide on behalf of political freedom, collective justice, global peace, and human-centered development. All human beings, irrespective of ethnicity, religion, gender or language, have been endowed with these rights, simply by virtue of having been born human."

Well, you get the picture. The truth can never be sealed or stored away, it's sort of like a wild animal that can never be domesticated.

The list of alternative social media, video platforms and search engines may not be perfect, but they are a start to something bigger and better. In fact, they are inspiring no matter how you look at it. There will be other free speech platforms that will be created one way or another. There will be creators and developers with a conscience who are tired of the relentless lies and propaganda and will help humanity seek the truth. They will be on the right side of human history just like Julian Assange and now Pavel Durov.

So, if you are an investor, a web developer, a journalist, a writer, a blogger or anyone else who believes in humanity, who believes in the truth, develop an app, a video platform, an alternative magazine or newspaper, anything that will get the truth out because there is a market of truth seekers who want a better future not only for themselves, but for their children and the future generations that follow.

Let's continue the fight against the endless lies and propaganda from these psychotic globalists and help us get the truth out so that we can change the course of this chaotic planet.

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