

Robert Kilroy-Silk writes...on Regional Assemblies - An E.U. Plot to Break Up England

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The people of the north-east are to vote in another of these discredited all-postal ballots elections in a referendum on November 4, on whether or not to have an elected assembly for the region.

Why? Who wants one? Who is it that wishes to see yet another expensive talking shop established in the N.E. - or indeed anywhere else?

Who has been out campaigning for it? No-one. How many have been demonstrating in the street with placards proclaiming: "We want another load of lying politicians. We want more bureaucrats"? None. Has anyone lobbied Parliament demanding home rule for Tyneside? Of course not. The people of Newcastle and Sunderland did not write in their thousands to their local councillors saying: "We want a regional assembly". The electors of Middlesbrough have not inundated their MPs pleading to have yet another expensive layer of government imposed upon them. None of them want it. There is no need, no demand and no interest in the project.

It is being imposed by John Prescott, who seems to have been duped by the E.U. into implementing its plans to undermine the English nation and the English identity by dividing it into administrative regions - that will be less powerful in the E.U. than England. This is all part of the European project to destroy the nation-state.

John may have lost his sense of national pride, his patriotism, but I didn't realise he had also been robbed of his common sense. I always thought he prided himself on being in touch with real people.

The last thing real people want, John, is another layer of expense-account politicians and interfering civil servants".