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As the National Spokesman for the Congress of Racial Equality (CORE), I am outraged by the left's ongoing support for organizations such as Media Matters for America (MMFA). CORE is focused on bringing about justice through our words and actions.

CORE is in our 75th year of service to our countrymen. Established in 1942, we have always fought for the respect and dignity of men and women of all backgrounds.

It is appalling that the President of MMFA, Angelo Carusone, uses racial slurs and language that defames individuals. How can someone who claims to champion the cause of those who find themselves the victims of such vitriol use such despicable language? How could George Soros and David Brock have ever selected this individual to be the face of their organization, knowing the comments he made? Carusone's remarks are publicly cited, documented on news sites, and they spit in the face of all that MMFA claims to represent.

Here's just one gross and hypocritical example of Angelo's racism against all Bangladeshi businessman, and his slurs against the LGBT community:

"Question: What do Robert Downey Jr. and a random Banladeshi [sic] businessman have in common? Answer: They both love transvestites," Carusone wrote in a Nov. 14, 2005 post entitled "Tranny Paradise," his response to an article about a transvestite gang in Thailand.

Here is another:

*"Uhhh. Did you notice the word attractive? What the f*** is that doing in there? Is the write[r] a tranny lover too? Or, perhaps he's trying to justify how these trannies tricked this Bangladeshi in the first place? Look man, we don't need to know whether or not they were attractive. The f***...guy was Bangladeshi. And while we're out, what the hell was he doing with \$7,300 worth of stuff. The guy's Banladeshi [sic]!"*

There are many examples of racism, anti-Semitism and the 'politics of personal destruction,' made up of rumors, half-truths and downright lies.

As an African-American, and leader of an organization that truly believes in fairness, equality, and mutual respect, this is 'beyond the pale.'

MMFA should be held accountable for the words of their president, and not be heralded as stewards of truth and freedom. Angelo Carusone is a purveyor of hatred and vile rhetoric.

What say you David Brock? George Soros?

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Niger B. Innis".

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