

Chancellor McDonnell: Murder will Out

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The demagogic statement by the Shadow Chancellor, Mr McDonnell, that the residents of Grenfell Tower were murdered by political decisions, is proof that he is unfit for public office. It was a grossly inflammatory, as well as erroneous, thing to say; no doubt he would defend it in his own mind as conducing to a Leninist heightening the contradictions.

As it happens, Mr McDonnell has, in his career, been at the very least equivocal on the subject of political murder