



Thursday, April 19, 2007, 7:30pm

Brecht Forum

451 WEST ST (BETW BANK & BETUNE) NEW YORK

The film chronicles the post-9/11 racial profiling, large scale round ups, detentions and mass deportations of Arab, Muslim and South Asian men as part of the government's "War on Terrorism," framing the plight of these immigrant communities in the broader context of the "other war" against civil liberties being waged via the USA Patriot Act.

The screening will also feature discussions with the filmmaker Kathleen Foster, Shahid Comrade, Pakistani USA Freedom Forum, and Lynne Stewart. Our speakers will focus on the connections between the portrayal and treatment of immigrants as criminals and terrorists, the 2006 anti-immigrant legislation (which was stopped), the attack on activists and those who represent them, the widespread repression that has ensued since 9/11 and US foreign policy, specifically in the Middle East and Central Asia. AND most importantly they will look at what can be done to turn things around.

***This event is sponsored by the Resistance in Brooklyn,
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