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Masani assails PM's economic policy

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The wrong economic policy pursued by Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's government has resulted in poverty affecting more people during the last five years, Swatantra Party Chairman Minoo Masani told a public meeting here yesterday.

He said, "a vote for Mr. Chokhawala was a vote for communism

and a vote for Mr. Morarji Desai was a vote for democratic socialism."

Mr. Masani said that there should be illusion about the fact that she wanted to obtain a blank cheque from the people in the ensuing poll.

He favoured the scrapping of the Planning Commission which he said, was working as a super Cabinet."

Mr. Masani described Mr. Morarji Desai as the most honest and disciplined leader capable of rising above party considerations. He urged the people to return Mr. Desai with a massive majority.

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