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STRENGTHEN THE UNITY OF THE FRATERNAL PARTIES ON THE BASIS OF MARXISM-LENINISM AND PROLETARAIN INTERNATIONALISM

UPHOLD THE CORRECT POSITIONS OF THE PARTY OF LABOR OF ALBANIA

The Central Committee of the Communist Party of Italy (Marxist-Leninist), meeting during these days discuss the developments of the class struggle in the international field, took up for examination the decision of the Chinese leaders to sever the agreements with Albania for economic and military aid and to recall all technicians. The Central Committee resolutely condemns this serious action, which is contrary to all Marxist-Leninist and internationalist principles and contrary to all freely established norms between parties. It is a vicious repressive measure put into effect by the Chinese leaders after seeing that pressure and blackmail failed to make Albania adhere to their anti-Marxist politics based on the "theory of three worlds".

The "theory of three worlds", a new variant of modern revisionism, has the same essential component in common with the other revisionist theories-- Khrushchovite, Titoite, Eurocommunist, etc.: the negation of the class analysis based on the basic contractions of our epoch, as analyzed by Lenin an Stalin; the liquidation of the leading role of the proletariat and the strategy of proletarian revolution; the liquidation of the role of the Communist Party which is the conscious and organized vanguard of the proletariat; the liquidation of the anti-imperialist struggle for the liberation of the peoples, led by the working class; the liquidation of the dictatorship of the proletariat; the liquidation of the International Communist Movement; the replacement of proletarian internationalism by bourgeois and petty-bourgeois nationalism.

The Communist Party of Italy (Marxist-Leninist), facing the pressures and blackmail of the Chinese leading group, has from the start rejected the "theory of three worlds", whose application in Europe would mean basically to support the political, economic and military power of the monopoly bourgeoisie in the sphere of the EEC and NATO, support the presence of U.S. imperialism on this continent, renounce the struggle for national independence and socialism. For the proletariat in Europe to follow the "theory of three worlds" would mean to allow the monopoly bourgeoisie to intensify its exploitation and repression; it would mean to straightforwardly capitulate to imperialism,

become cannon fodder in the bourgeois and imperialist armies; it would mean to become accomplice of the European imperialist bourgeoisie in their exploitation of the peoples of Africa, Latin America and Asia.

The Communist Party of Italy (Marxist-Leninist), which has already denounced amongst the Italian working masses the reactionary nature of the politics of the leaders of the Chinese Communist Party, based on the "theory of three worlds", today denounces their unilateral and arbitrary action against Albania. Such an act shows with particular clarity that the anti-social- imperialist and anti-revisionist posture of the leaders of the Chinese Communist Party is nothing but a camouflage: in their confrontation with Socialist Albania, they have taken recourse to typically Khrushchovite methods, and while they seek to sabotage the construction of socialism in Albania, they support the Yugoslav "socialism of self-management", feeding the work of sabotage and confusion against socialism instigated by Titoite revisionism, in the service of world capitalism.

Such an act is carried out in the context of the chauvinist politics that the leaders of the Chinese Communist Party, while they are advocating bourgeois restoration internally, are pushing on the international front to transform China into a superpower. They are uniting with the reactionary forces the world over, supporting colonialist-type operations and the governments which are at the beck of the imperialists, opposing the struggles of the oppressed and exploited. This politics, which goes against the very interests of the Chinese proletariat and people, will arouse the opposition of the genuine communists and will lead to the sharpening of the class contradictions in China.

This politics constitutes a threat for the peoples and increases the danger of imperialist war.

The Communist Party of Italy (Marxist-Leninist) pledges to intensify and develop the struggle against modern revisionism, today in particular against the opportunism based on the "theory of three worlds". The Party resolutely fights against all imperialist interference in the internal life of the countries, upholds the self determination of the peoples and the liberation snuggles. The Party is pledged to strengthen the unity of the fraternal parties on the basis of Marxism-Leninism and proletarian internationalism.

The Communist Party of Italy (Marxist-Leninist) stands firmly beside the Party of Labor of Albania which, led by its Central Committee with Comrade Enver Hoxha at the head, fights on the front line for the victory of Marxism-Leninism, the consolidation of the dictatorship of the proletariat and of the International Communist Movement, developing an international policy of support for the forces of revolution and liberation; it is right beside Albania, bastion of socialism in the world. The Communist Party of Italy (Marxist-Leninist) calls on the working class and popular masses, on all the revolutionary and anti-imperialist forces to repudiate the campaign being waged by certain organs of the press to deform the Albanian reality, and calls on them to express their support for Albania, the country which in the bitter and all-round class struggle on the world scale, constitutes the genuine bastion of revolution and of the liberation struggle of the peoples.