

# ECCI MAKES DECISION ON LOVESTONE EXPULSION

## *Condemns Lovestone Group as Anti-Proletarian Agency of American Imperialism*

To the categorical directive of International Control Commission sent to Lovestone July 25 demanding him to come to Moscow in order to be present at consideration of his appeal Lovestone replied by refusal to carry out directive of International Control Commission. In the directive it was pointed out that in case of his non-appearance to examination of his appeal, appeal will not be considered and decision of Tenth Plenum ECCI re his expulsion will be regarded as definitive. Consequently decision of Tenth Plenum ECCI comes into force and Lovestone is expelled from ranks of CI.

In replying by refusal Lovestone and his adherents who signed this reply proved correctness of characteristic given

by Tenth Plenum ECCI of Lovestone as right opportunist, liquidator, finally landed in camp renegades from Communism.

This reply represents attack against ECCI insolent in tone and renegade in regard to political content. It shows that signatories entered road of splitting Party and formation of new anti-proletarian party agency of American social imperialism.

After having exhausted all means and terms to help American comrades who had joined Lovestone to come back to Party road, ECCI is now compelled to come to conclusion of necessity of immediate expulsion of all those who solidarize themselves with Lovestone's secessionist and renegade reply

unless they immediately and without reservation withdraw their signatures from it and also from documents of May 9th and 15th.

The unreserved submission to all decisions of Central Committee of CPUSA and ECCI including present one is the condition of farther remaining of these comrades in ranks of CPUSA and CI.

In view of open renegade character of Lovestone group which tries to organize anti-Comintern Party ECCI decides to consider the belonging to this group and equally political and ideological solidarity with it and also any concealed or open support of it by members of CPUSA as incompatible with membership in CPUSA and CI.

On basis of broad inner party democracy, of mass self-criticism, Bolshevik self-activity, widest attraction of new proletarian cadres to Party leadership the Party must continue to develop in its own ranks the struggle against all kinds of opportunism, first of all against right opportunism and equally also against all remnants of factionalism and group spirit, against passivity, against khvostism, for Bolshevik leadership, for mobilization of all forces of Party on basis of rising tide of revolutionary labor movement in USA.

This cable to be published immediately.

Signed ECCI ICC.