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Foreword

On the occasion of the ten years celebrations of the formation of CPI (Maoist), as part of our endeavor to republish a number of valuable party documents, we are bringing out here a compilation in three volumes press statements issued by the Central Committee, CPI (Maoist) since its formation on September 21, 2004. The first part consists of the CC statements from September 21, 2004 till the Unity Congress-9th Congress that was successfully held in January-February 2007. The second part covers the period from the Unity Congress till the martyrdom of comrade Cherukuri Rajkumar (Azad) on July 1, 2010. He was the spokesperson of the CC in this period. The third part covers the statements since issued till September, 2014, when the tenth anniversary celebrations of the formation of CPI (Maoist) begin. These volumes contain majority of the statements issued by the CC in the past decade but they may not be complete in the sense that some of the statements issued by CC are not available with us and could not be recovered from various sources. This problem will not be found in the third volume and would be found more in the case of the first volume.

The CPI (Maoist) responded to the various important political developments in our country and in the world in this decade and categorically stated its stand through these statements. In view of the historical and political significance of these statements we compiled them and are placing the compilation before the rank and file of our party, the people and all Maoist, progressive and democratic parties, organizations and intellectuals in our country and abroad who stand in solidarity with the Maoist movement. It would be useful in informing all those who support the Maoist movement about the stand of the party. The calls given by the party in these statements were implemented by the party cadres and thus these statements had significance in revolutionary practice too.

These statements include a few statements issued by the Central Regional Bureau (CRB) and the Eastern Regional Bureau (ERB) (Bureaus that were

formed as part of the CC). However, we have not been able to compile here all the statements issued by these two Bureaus as they are in Telugu and Hindi respectively. We hope that at some future date, the Indian revolutionary movement would be able to make all these statements available in English due to their political and historical significance and we would welcome all endeavors from the revolutionary camp to make this a possibility.

This has been a decade of rich experiences in the path of protracted people's war waged for the victory of new democratic revolution in India, a decade of glorious people's struggles, intensification and expansion of guerilla warfare and supreme sacrifices of party leaders and cadres, PLGA commanders and fighters and the revolutionary masses and also a decade of substantial revolutionary propaganda. These statements are but a part of the entire revolutionary propaganda activity of the party that was carried on in various forms, at various levels and through various forums. Consequently they are also a part of the entire propaganda war waged by the proletarian parties of the world as part of the world socialist revolution against the imperialists, their lackeys and all kinds of reactionaries the world over. However we humbly realise that much remains to be done on this front to confront the gigantic propaganda machine of the exploiters that is unleashing vicious attacks full of lies, falsities, and fabrications all the time spitting venom on the revolutionary movements.

The imperialist world failed in overcoming the financial crisis it has been bogged down in since 2008 despite desperate and countless attempts to do so. The fundamental contradictions in the world intensified further while the people's resistance mounted against imperialist wars of aggression, exploitation, suppression, intervention and control. This international political and economic scenario manifested in India too. On the other hand the offensive of the worldwide imperialist propaganda against communist ideology continued with the same ferocity, if not more. But we also witnessed a turning point when people all over the world, especially in Europe, one of the ideological epicenters for the apologists of imperialism, began taking interest in what Marx said about capitalist crises after the worldwide economic crisis shook their economies. A trend of turning to MLM is growing among them to seek solutions to the problems they are facing. These statements

also have a share, however small, in giving answers to some of their queries about the exploiting systems that are in power and their working. They don't stop at that but also point out the path to be taken to solve them.

It was in this decade that the countrywide, multi-pronged offensive of Operation Green Hunt, more aptly a 'war on people' was launched by the Indian ruling classes under the guidance of their imperialist masters to destroy the CPI (Maoist), the new political power it is building and the alternative development model it is establishing in its central and eastern parts of India, so as to implement their corporate agenda without any hurdles. This means unbridled plunder of the natural riches of our country, exploitation of our toiling masses and brutal repression on the fighting people.

But this was also the decade of stiff resistance and further intensification and expansion of the war of resistance by the people against the counter-revolutionary state in India. This decade also saw further consolidation and spread of the international solidarity for the People's War in India all over the world. A solidarity week was also observed in India by our party and mass organizations for the New Democratic Revolution led by the Communist Party of Philippines.

In the backdrop of the ruling classes' foul and vicious propaganda increasing at an unprecedented scale as part of its psychological warfare that is itself an integral part of the Low-Intensity Conflict strategy implemented in our country under the guidance and full support of the US imperialists, it has become utterly necessary for revolutionary propaganda also to pose a formidable challenge to it. We hope that these volumes would play their role in countering the psychological warfare of the ruling classes on the CPI (Maoist) and the revolutionary movement led by it. We appeal to our cadres and sympathisers and supporters of our movement to use these as a weapon in revolutionary propaganda in the fight against the foul propaganda of the Indian state

With Revolutionary Greetings Central Committee CPI (Maoist)

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COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST)

Central Committee (Provisional)

October 14, 2004

CPI (ML)[PW] and MCCI - Merged Communist Party of India (Maoist) Emerged

On Sept. 21, 2004, amidst the thick forests in some part of India, the formation of the Communist Party of India (Maoist) was declared at a public meeting before an assembly of peoples' guerrilla fighters, party activists and activists of mass organisations. This declaration is now being released to the entire people of our country and the world. The two parties, the Maoist Communist Centre of India and the Communist Party of India(Marxist-Leninist)[People's War] were merged to form the new unified Party, the CPI(Maoist). The formation of this new Party has fulfilled the desires and aspirations of the oppressed masses of the country for a genuine proletarian party that can lead them to revolutionary change for the establishment of a new democratic society, advancing towards socialism and communism.

This unified party has been formed after thoroughgoing discussions firstly held between the high level delegations of the two parties and then finalized by the Joint Central Committee meeting of both the parties. Through these deep going and constructive discussions, held on an equal footing, five different documents have been drafted and finalized. These documents are: Hold High the Bright Red Banner of Marxism-Leninism-Maoism, the Party Programme, Strategy and Tactics of the Indian Revolution, the Political Resolution on the International and Domestic Situation and the Party Constitution. In addition to these documents it has also been decided that our beloved leaders and teachers of the respective parties, the late Com. Charu Mazumdar and Com. Kanai Chatterjee, will be recognized and highlighted as the founding leaders of the unified party. It was also decided that both these parties, stemming from the turbulent period of the decade of the 60's, particularly from the great Naxalbari uprising, livingly

inherited all that was revolutionary in the long history of the Indian communist movement. The peculiarity of the situation is that both these parties continued to flow as two separate streams of the revolutionary communist movement, wedded to the same cause of carrying forward the Indian revolution over the past 35 years. All these steps taken together clearly disclosed a unified understanding on almost all ideological and political questions of line. The line established provided a principled basis for the unity achieved by both the parties. Basing on this unity the Joint Central Committee meeting finally resolved to unite the two parties into a single unified party, which will henceforth be called as the Communist party of India (Maoist). Com. Ganapathy was unanimously elected as the general secretary of the new party.

The formation of the unified Communist Party of India (Maoist) will certainly prove to be a new milestone in the history of the communist movement of India. A unified Maoist party based on MLM continued to be a long and highly cherished need of the revolutionary minded and oppressed people of the country including all our ranks, and also all Maoist forces of South Asia and internationally. Today this long cherished desire and dream has been transformed into a reality.

The new Communist Party of India (Maoist) will continue to act as a consolidated political vanguard of the Indian proletariat. Marxism-Leninism-Maoism will be the ideological basis guiding its thinking in all the spheres of its activities. It will continue its struggle against right and left deviations. particularly against revisionism, by taking this as the main danger for the communist movement as a whole. It will still seek to unite all genuine Maoist groups that remain outside this unified Party. The immediate aim and programme of the Maoist party is to carry on and complete the already ongoing and advancing New Democratic Revolution in India as a part of the world proletarian revolution by overthrowing the semi-colonial, semifeudal system under the neo-colonial form of indirect rule, exploitation and control. This revolution will remain directed against imperialism, feudalism and comprador bureaucratic capitalism. This revolution will be carried out and completed through armed agrarian revolutionary war, i.e. protracted people's war with the armed seizure of power remaining as its central and principal task, encircling the cities from the countryside and thereby finally

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capturing them. Hence the countryside as well as the PPW (Protracted People's War) will remain as the "center of gravity" of the party's work, while urban work will be complimentary to it. Because the armed struggle will remain as the highest and main form of struggle and the army as the main form of organization of this revolution, hence the armed struggle will continue to play a decisive role, whereas the UF will be built in the course of armed struggle and for the seizure of power through armed struggle. Mass organizations and mass struggles are necessary and indispensable but their purpose is to serve the war. We also declare that the PGA and PLGA has been merged into the unified PLGA (Peoples' Liberation Guerrilla Army). Thereafter the most urgent task i.e. principal task of the party is to develop the unified PLGA into a full-fledged People's Liberation Army (PLA) and transforming the existing Guerrilla Zones into Base Areas, thereby advancing wave upon wave towards completing the New Democratic Revolution. The formation day of the PLGA is to be December 2, the day when a people's army was formed for the first time ever in our country in 2000, on the first anniversary of the martyrdom of the three CCMs, coms. Shyam, Mahesh and Murali.

Apart from this the unified party will continue to pay added attention to building a new wave of revolutionary mass movements on various political and other issues of the people. It will involve all the vast section of the masses in these struggle directed against the imperialists, feudalism and the comprador bureaucratic bourgeoisie. The vicious imperialist offensive on our country has resulted in mass destitution of an already impoverished people, particularly in the countryside, which has even witnessed thousands of suicides. It will mobilize vast sections of the masses against the growing onslaught of the imperialists on the country, against state repression together with mobilizing support for all the movements directed against imperialism and feudalism. The new party will also continue to support the struggle of the nationalities for self-determination including their right to secession and condemn the brutal state repression on these movements. It will pay special attention in mobilizing and organizing the women masses as a mighty force of the revolution, and will also fight against all other forms of social oppression, particularly untouchability and casteism. It will continue to expose, isolate and defeat the more dangerous Hindu fascist forces, while exposing all

other fundamentalist forces. It will continue to do so while keeping the edge of the people's struggles directed against the new Congress rulers in Delhi along with the CPI/CPM and their imperialist chieftains.

It will continue to expose and resist the expansionist designs of the Indian ruling classes along with their imperialist chieftains, particularly the US imperialists. It will more actively stand by the side of the Nepali people led by the CPN(Maoist), and vehemently oppose the Indian expansionists and US imperialists from intervening in Nepal with their military might. It will also continue to support the people's war led by the Maoist parties in Peru, Philippines, Turkey and elsewhere. It will continue to support all people's struggles directed against imperialism and reaction. It will also support the working class movement and other people's movements the world over. It will continue to stand by the side of the Iraqi and Afghan people in their mighty struggle against the US imperialist led aggression and occupation.

The Unified Party will continue to hold high the banner of proletarian internationalism and will continue to contribute more forcefully in uniting the genuine MLM forces at the international level. In addition to that it will also establish unity with the oppressed people and nations of the whole world and continue to fight with them in advancing the world proletarian revolution against imperialism and their lackeys, thereby paving the way towards realizing socialism and then Communism on a world scale.

Thousands of our martyrs have laid down their valuable lives for these lofty aims. The Central Committee (Provisional) of the unified Party—CPI (Maoist)—pledges that it will continue to advance on the path illuminated by them and thereby mobilize all its existing and latent energies in transforming the dreams of the martyrs into a reality.

With revolutionary greetings,

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COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST)

Central Committee (Provisional)

4-12-2004

Resist and Defeat all the Evil Designs by the Indian Government against the Liberation Struggle of the Nepal People under the Leadership of the Communist Party of Nepal (Maoist)

The Congress-led UPA government at the central has promised all help to Gyanendra, the king of Nepal. Only a few days back the Union Home Minister has declared that India will render all assistance to Royal Nepal Army like supplying all types of military equipment, training RNA personnel and sealing the border. It is not difficult to understand the essence of this statement. The Indian ruling classes are going to wage an undeclared and deceit war against the Nepali people and the People's Liberation Army under the leadership of CPN(Maoist).

Actually, the BJP led NDA government itself wanted to get directly involved into the affairs of Nepal. But the US government, after capturing Iraq, wanted to deal directly with the affairs in Nepal. They sent many military advisers to the RNA camps. They were supervising RNA campaigns against the PLA. The erstwhile NDA government tried its best to intervene a number of times to interfere into the national liberation struggle led by LTTE in Sri Lanka. It may be recalled that the Rajiv Gandhi regime sent the so-called peace keeping force into Sri Lanka in 1987 as per an agreement with Sri Lanka government. Before that Indira Gandhi regime dismembered Pakistan in 1971 in the name of liberating Bangladesh and wanted to install a puppet government there. Later it annexed Sikkim. Only a few months back the India government conducted a campaign inside Bhutan with the aim of crushing the liberation struggle in Assam under the leadership of ULFA. For the last one month it has been conducting a campaign near and within Mayanmar border in collaboration with Mayanmar government to crush the PLA of Manipur. All these show how the Indian government plays the role of a bully to serve the interests of imperialism and its own class interest in the Indian sub continent.

For the last few years the Nepali people are waging struggle against the monarchy under the leadership of the Maoists with the aim of establishing a new democratic society. Imperialists and all the reactionary forces are fiercely opposing their revolutionary struggle of Nepal. The CPM, one of the main props of UPA government at the centre may show an apparent opposition to this decision at the all India level. But in West Bengal, where they are in power, they are not sparing any chance to play their role in crushing the revolution in Nepal in the name of oppos-ing 'terrorism'. They have arrested many leaders and activists of CPN(M) including Com. Mohan Baidya, one of the topmost leaders in Bengal.

Our CC(P) will mobilize the Indian people in solidarity to the great revolutionary strug-gle of the Nepal people against the unjust deeds of the Indian government. We are confident that if the Indian govternment dares to send its mercenary army for suppressing the revolution in Nepal it will have to incur the same shameful defeat as it had in Sri Lanka in the 1980s. The CC(P) calls upon all the revolutionary and democratic people of the Indian subcontinent to rise in united struggle against the expansionist Indian ruling classes and their mercenary army. The CC(P) calls upon all the revolutionary, democratic, justice and peace-loving people of India to forcefully oppose the Indian government's interference into the internal affairs of Nepal. The CC(P) calls upon the jawans of the Indian army who hail from the toiling classes, not to involve themselves in killing their class brethren by participating in the unjust mili-tary campaign of the Indian government. We call upon the people of South Asia, as well as the entire world population to rise against and resist the India government's interference in the internal affairs of Nepal for protect-ing the medieval rule of King Gyanendra whose hands are soaked in the blood of thousands of Nepali people.

With revolutionary greetings,

Ganapathy
General Secretary
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COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST) Central Committee (Provisional)

8-4-2005

Render all Support to the Ongoing People's War in Nepal!

Condemn the Fascist Attacks of Gyanendra's Military Regime on the Revolutionary Bases and the People of Nepal!

Revolutionary and Democratic Forces of Nepal!

Unite to Fight US Imperialism, Indian Expansionism and to Establish Genuine People's Democracy!!

The developments in neighbouring Nepal, starting with the dismissal of the Sher Bahadur Deuba government and the declaration of a state of Emergency by King Gyanendra on the 31st of January, are a matter of grave concern to the democratic-minded people of the entire world, particularly to the people of South Asia and India. The king had usurped all powers in an extra-Constitutional manner, suppressed all opposition to his fascist rule, imposed the worst form of censorship on the media and cut off all communications of the citizens within Nepal as well as with the outside world. People of Nepal are today living under the most suffocating conditions. The military regime is planning to unleash an all-round attack on the revolutionary bases in Western Nepal and throughout the country through aerial bombardment, economic blockade, and gory massacres. And these diabolic designs of tyrant Gyanendra are backed by the imperialists, particularly the US imperialists, as well as the Indian ruling classes, notwithstanding their tall talk of multi-party democracy.

The Central Committee of the Communist Party of India (Maoist) strongly condemns this authoritarian, despotic, tyrannical rule of King Gyanendra who represents an outdated and archaic system of feudal monarchy that is entirely opposed to all democratic institutions and the democratic aspirations of the vast majority of the masses of Nepal. All democratic-minded people of India and South Asia should outrightly condemn the fascist, draconian measures of the despot of Nepal and should show their active solidarity with the people of Nepal in their struggle against Gyanendra's fascist rule. In fact, the King has the notoriety of dismissing the governments thrice in the past.

The imposition of Emergency by King Gyanendra is mainly intended to suppress the revolutionary people's war led by the Communist Party of Nepal(Maoist) that is leading a countrywide revolutionary movement by uniting all the anti-feudal, anti-imperialist forces and all the oppressed nationalities. The Maoists are fighting for the abolition of the outdated monarchy and the establishment of a democratic people's republic in Nepal in the short run, and ultimately, the establishment of Socialism and Communism. The Maoists had already established control over three-quarters of the rural areas of the country. Fearing an imminent take-over of state power by the CPN(Maoist), which is the only force that is struggling for genuine democracy and the only force that is capable of ending the monarchy and establishing genuine people's democracy in Nepal, the imperialists led by the US imperialists, have assured the King of all help and cooperation in his bloody suppression campaign. The US imperialists are ever ready to step into Nepal, just as they had done in Iraq and are itching to do in Iran and Syria, so as to destroy the Maoist revolutionary bases and protect the rotting reactionary regime. Multi-party democracy will be used as a pretext for such an intervention. The threat of a Maoist take-over always serves as a reason for the US imperialists to extend their vicious fangs into Nepal whoever is in power.

The unhappiness expressed by the Indian expansionist rulers over the developments in Nepal is only an eye-wash. The Indian ruling classes want the Nepali rulers to suppress the Maoists in the most ruthless manner but they wish to do this through the façade of multi-party parliamentary democracy just as they themselves had been doing in Kashmir and North East by perpetrating the worst massacres under the garb of so-called democracy. Moreover, the Indian ruling classes want to have their political control over Nepal, half of whose trade they are already controlling. Deuba and Koirala are the trusted agents of the Indian ruling classes and quite naturally the latter are exercising pressure over the King to allow the "democratically elected" parties to perform their duties.

The Indian ruling classes have been training the Royal Nepalese army to suppress the Maoists, and have been giving all aid and assistance to the Nepalese government whoever may be in power. Prevention of a Maoist take-over in Nepal and destroying their revolutionary bases is the common objective of all imperialists as well as Indian expansionists. Whatever is

their outward opposition to Gyanendra's draconian measures, in reality, all these vultures extend help to Gyanendra in suppressing the Maoists. The Indian ruling classes have been assisting their Nepali counterparts in their bloody suppression campaign of the Maoists along the borders by arresting, extraditing and even killing those who cross into Indian territory or who take treatment in the Indian hospitals. These operations had been stepped up after the imposition of the Emergency and Indian security forces had been deployed in large number along the Indo-Nepal border to prevent the entry of the Maoist forces into India. Thereby they are helping Gyanendra's reactionary army to commit the worst massacres of their people.

Like every fascist ruler, King Gyanendra also wants to have absolute power by crushing all opposition including a section of the ruling classes. This foolish move had already isolated the King and is bound to lead to a polarization of all the forces opposed to the tyrannical rule of the King. And the Maoists are bound to grow stronger by leading all the forces opposed to the tyrannical rule. The CPI(Maoist) extends its complete and unequivocal support to the CPN(Maoist) and the masses of Nepal in their fight against the tyranny of the King and for the establishment of a people's democratic republic of Nepal. It warns the Indian ruling classes to stop intervening in Nepal and stop assisting the Nepalese ruling classes in suppressing their campaign against the Maoists. It also demands that the Indian security forces should put an end to the arrests and harassment of the Nepalis crossing the border in the wake of the gory massacres by Gyanendra's fascist regime.

The CC, CPI(Maoist) calls upon the Party cadre, PLGA fighters, and the revolutionary masses of India to organize rallies and demonstrations to protest the fascist measures in Nepal, demanding the immediate lifting of the Emergency and putting an end to the suppression campaign against the Maoists and other democratic forces who are protesting the intervention by the US imperialists and the Indian ruling classes in whatever manner. It also calls upon the PLGA fighters to resist by all means the "search and destroy" operations of the Indian security forces along the border with Nepal.

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Communist Party of India (Maoist)

COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST) Central Committee (Provisional)

26-4-2005

Condemn the UPA Government's Plans to Supply Arms to the Reactionary, Autocratic Gyanendra's Military Regime in Nepal!

Unite to Fight the Sinister Designs of US Imperialism and Indian Expansionism to Attack the Revolutionary Bases in Nepal!!

The Indian Prime Minister Manmohan Singh, after his meeting with the autocratic fascist monarch of Nepal, King Gyanendra, on 23rd April in Indonesia, declared that the Indian government would supply arms and other 'aid' to his barbaric, medieval regime if the "Emergency" is lifted or relaxed. A clear understanding was arrived at in the meeting between these two that the King would turn 'benevolent' within a short time and permit some form of democracy in his country.

The entire talk of restoration of democracy in Nepal is the biggest farce of this century. It is only a figleaf behind which the Indian ruling classes, the US and other imperialists wish to carry on their most rapacious plunder and brutal suppression of the Maoists fighting for genuine democracy in Nepal. In fact, until 31st January, 2005 when the Sher Bahadur Deuba government was dismissed and a state of Emergency was declared by King Gyanendra, the expansionist Indian ruling classes had given all types of so-called aid to the feudal autocratic regime. It trained the Nepali army, supplied arms and other military needs, sent its military advisors and the personnel of the notorious Research and Analysis Wing (RAW) to Nepal to assist the decadent crumbling regime in its desperate bid to stall the rising tide of people's war led by CPN(Maoist) led by comrade Prachanda.

However, the dismissal of the Deuba government and the declaration of Emergency had caused grave concern in the minds of the democratic-minded people of the entire world, particularly to the people of South Asia and India. The King had usurped all powers in an extra-Constitutional manner, suppressed all opposition to his fascist rule, imposed the worst

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form of censorship on the media and cut off all communications of the citizens within Nepal as well as with the outside world. The Indian ruling classes had no other alternative but to declare suspension of military aid to the King and exert pressure to 'restore' democracy.

Within three months the Indian expansionist rulers have once again come out openly as the saviours of a tottering, autocratic regime that is hated by the entire people of Nepal. But for the external support by the imperialists, particularly the US imperialists, and the Indian and Chinese expansionists, the medieval regime of King Gyanendra would have had an ignominious burial by now. Already the CPN(Maoist) and the People's Liberation Army led by it, have liberated over three-quarters of the country where genuine democracy prevails. The revolutionary people's government in this vast rural area of Nepal has become a model of self-reliance, cooperative and collective wonders, equitable distribution, genuine democracy to the people, and so on. It is this Red Nepal that stands towering in the midst of the feudal and imperialist stink that sends shivers down the spines of the reactionaries the world over.

The Indian ruling classes have become even more panicky as a revolution erupting in its own backyard is bound to have a significant impact on the situation in India. The ruling classes have begun to propagate day in and day out about a 'Red Corridor' or a compact revolutionary zone (CRZ) from the revolutionary bases in Nepal to the guerilla zones of Andhra Pradesh and even upto Kerala. And this fear of the spreading flames of revolution led by the Maoists from Nepal to South India has made the reactionaries sit up and unleash massive attacks in both the countries.

People of Nepal have suffered and are suffering under the most suffocating conditions. The military regime has unleashed an all-round attack on the revolutionary bases in Western Nepal and throughout the country through aerial bombardment, economic blockade, and gory massacres. And these diabolic designs of tyrant Gyanendra had the covert backing of the imperialists, particularly the US imperialists, as well as the Indian ruling classes, notwithstanding their tall talk of multi-party democracy.

The Central Committee of the Communist Party of India (Maoist) strongly condemns the plans of the Indian ruling classes to supply arms and

other aid to the authoritarian, despotic, tyrannical rule of King Gyanendra who represents an outdated and archaic system of feudal monarchy that is entirely opposed to all democratic institutions and the democratic aspirations of the vast majority of the masses of Nepal.

Fearing an imminent take-over of state power by the CPN(Maoist), which is the only force that is struggling for genuine democracy and the only force that is capable of ending the monarchy and establishing genuine people's democracy in Nepal, the imperialists led by the US imperialists, have assured the King of all help and cooperation in his bloody suppression campaign. The US imperialists are ever ready to step into Nepal, just as they had done in Iraq and are itching to do in Iran and Syria, so as to destroy the Maoist revolutionary bases and protect the rotting reactionary regime. Multi-party democracy will be used as a pretext for such an intervention. The threat of a Maoist take-over always serves as a reason for the US imperialists to extend their vicious fangs into Nepal whoever is in power.

The unhappiness expressed by the Indian expansionist rulers over the developments in Nepal is only an eye-wash. The Indian ruling classes want the Nepali rulers to suppress the Maoists in the most ruthless manner but they wish to do this through the façade of multi-party parliamentary democracy just as they themselves had been doing in Kashmir and North East by perpetrating the worst massacres under the garb of so-called democracy.

Prevention of a Maoist take-over in Nepal and destroying their revolutionary bases is the common objective of all imperialists as well as Indian expansionists. The Indian ruling classes have been assisting their Nepali counterparts in their bloody suppression campaign of the Maoists along the borders by arresting, extraditing and even killing those who cross into Indian territory or who take treatment in the Indian hospitals. These operations had been stepped up after the imposition of the Emergency and Indian security forces had been deployed in large number along the Indo-Nepal border to prevent the entry of the Maoist forces into India. Thereby they are helping Gyanendra's reactionary army to commit the worst massacres of their people.

The CPI(Maoist) extends its complete and unequivocal support to the CPN(Maoist) and the people of Nepal in their fight against the tyranny of the King and for the establishment of a people's democratic republic of Nepal. It warns the Indian ruling classes to stop intervening in Nepal and stop assisting the Nepalese ruling classes in suppressing their campaign against the Maoists. It also demands that the Indian security forces should put an end to the arrests and harassment of the Nepalis crossing the border in the wake of the gory massacres by Gyanendra's fascist regime.

The CC, CPI(Maoist) calls upon the Party cadre, PLGA fighters, and the revolutionary, democratic masses of India to organize rallies and demonstrations to protest the attempts of the Indian ruling classes to assist the fascist King Gyanendra's regime, demand that it stop its meddling and intervention in the internal affairs of Nepal in any manner. It condemns the fascist measures in Nepal, demands the immediate lifting of the Emergency and an end to the suppression campaign against the Maoists and other democratic forces in Nepal. It also calls upon the PLGA fighters and the Indian people to resist by all means the "search and destroy" operations of the Indian security forces along the border with Nepal.

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30-4-2005

Declaring CPI (Maoist) as 'terrorist' by the US imperialists is direct intervention in the internal affairs of India!

Oppose the attempts by the Congress-led government at the Centre and in AP to proscribe the CPI (Maoist)!!

On 27th April, the world's greatest terrorist and the No. 1 Enemy of the world people—the US imperialism—under its gangster President George Bush Jr., has declared the newly-formed CPI (Maoist) Party in India as terrorist. This is not at all a surprise for anyone watching the strategy of American imperialists particularly since the 1990s.

In order to achieve undisputed global hegemony and to plunder the resources of the Third World countries without any hindrance, the US imperialists have to first stamp out every type of armed resistance to its domination and oppression. And such armed resistance by the Maoist forces, national liberation forces, and other anti-imperialist democratic movements all over the world has been growing rapidly shaking the US imperialism. The heroic fighters in Iraq are not giving even breathing space to the US-British occupation forces who had captured Iraq with the evil designs of robbing its oil-wealth and suppressing the defiance by the Saddam regime. The entire region of West Asia is seething with anti-American hatred and anger. The entire world people hate the US imperialists who exploit, oppress, dominate and suppress them and indulge in bullying and interference in the internal affairs of their respective countries.

The Maoist forces spearheading the anti-American resistance in countries such as the Philippines, Nepal, India, Peru, Turkey etc., had specially come under attack from the US imperialists. The Communist Party of the Philippines was declared a terrorist organization and its founder-chairman, Jose Maria Sison, now residing in the Netherlands, a terrorist. The Communist Party of Nepal (Maoist) was declared a terrorist organization in 2003 and all American companies, installations and individuals in Nepal were provided extra protection. In Peru, the US intervention has a long

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history and huge funds were allotted during the Fujimori regime to suppress the Peru Communist Party.

In India, the US imperialists had declared the erstwhile Maoist Communist Centre of India and CPI(ML)[People's War] as 'terrorist' organizations in 2003. And following the merger of these two Maoist Parties of India on 21 September 2004, it had to make a fresh declaration.

The term 'terrorist' used by butcher Bush actually means 'anti-imperialist' and especially 'anti-American imperialist'. Hence it will be a great honour for anyone to be declared as 'terrorist' by the Bush administration. It shows the unrelenting anti-imperialism of the concerned organization or individual whatever be the political and religious affiliations. It is indeed a great honour for our new Party of the Indian proletariat—the CPI(Maoist)—to have been targeted by the world's No. 1 terrorist as it shows we are on the correct track. Obviously, our activity is a threat to the interests of the imperialists, particularly American imperialists, as our aim is to throw out imperialism-lock, stock and barrel- not only from the soil of India but from throughout the world.

The proscription of a Party in India and declaring it as terrorist should be a matter of grave concern to all those who believe in national sovereignty, democracy and independence. Our Party, of course, has always been saying that there is no real independence, sovereignty and democracy in India and that the rulers of the country are spineless compradors shamelessly serving the imperialists and surrendering the country's interests at the feet of their imperialist masters. And now it is once again proved by the silence of the ruling class parties when the US imperialists are interfering directly in the affairs of our country by declaring a revolutionary Party in India as 'terrorist'. In fact, it is an indication of the impending ban on our Party at the All India level. It is also an open dictation to the Indian ruling classes that they should follow suit. When the masters had done it then why would their 'chelas' delay?

In Andhra Pradesh, the fascist YSR government has been hinting that it would re-impose ban on the CPI(Maoist) soon. It is trying to desperately build some 'reasons' or 'grounds', however flimsy and absurd they might be, to seek justification for such a step as it is aware of the mass following the Maoists have in AP. With their masters in Washington taking the first step it is clear that the YSR government would follow suit soon.

The Indian ruling classes and the US imperialists are hand in glove in suppressing the revolutionaries and other democratic anti-imperialist forces in India. The measure taken by the US imperialists against our Party is the result of a well-planned conspiracy hatched by the reactionary gangsters in Washington and their *dalals* in Delhi. This is an ominous reminder of the shape of things to come under the UPA government led by the Congress, the most loyal agent of the imperialists ever since its birth, at the Centre. It is only a matter of time for the Indian ruling classes to proscribe our Party—the CPI(Maoist). Our Party has no interests other than those of the oppressed people of our country and the world and hence imposition of ban on our Party means declaration of war on the oppressed masses of our country.

The Central Committee of the CPI(Maoist) calls upon all the democratic forces and anti-imperialist masses of our country to strongly condemn the declaration of our Party as 'terrorist' by the US imperialists led by the No. 1 terrorist, George W Bush, and to oppose its interference in the internal affairs of our country. We also call upon the people to expose and oppose the collusion of the traitorous UPA government at the Centre led by the Congress party with the US imperialists and their joint plans to suppress the revolutionary and democratic movements in India in rivers of blood.

- O Condemn and oppose the proscription of the CPI(Maoist) and declaring it as 'terrorist' by the US imperialists!
- Oppose the intervention of US imperialism in the internal affairs of India!
- O Democratic and patriotic organizations, individuals and all other forces of India, Unite to resist the US imperialism and its comprador Congress-led UPA government!
- Oppose all attempts by the UPA government at the Centre and the YSR government in AP to proscribe the CPI(Maoist) thereby declaring war on the oppressed masses of our country!--

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6-6-2005

Strongly Condemn the Arrest of Comrades Sushil Roy, Patit Pavan Haldar and others in Bengal

On May 21st senior Politburo member com. Sushil Roy (Ashok/Shome/Barunda) was arrested from a street in Kolkata along with com. Patit Pavan Haldar (Tapas), CC member and secretary of the West Bengal State Committee of the Party. The CPM-led government of West Bengal has acted with the utmost viciousness against the newly formed CPI(Maoist) in line with the policies of the Central Home ministry. The arrests were followed up with a series of other arrests using their intelligence network against the Maoist movement. This has also been followed by harassment of many sympathisers and ordinary democrats and the foisting of false cases. Their actions do not at all differ from that of the Congress, BJP or even the TDP when it was in power. Not only that, false cases have been foisted on the comrades, including com. Shome.

Though com. Shome was arrested in Kolkota, cases have been foisted in Midnapur, Jharkhand, etc on him and he is being produced in Midnapur courts. Though the two comrades were arrested on May 21st they were produced in court only on May 24th. The ruthless CPM rulers, unmindful of his frail health and age, have been repeatedly putting him in police custody and subjecting him to harassment. Not even his medicines are being supplied to him. Though he is a senior and veteran communist revolutionary he is being treated like an ordinary criminal by CPM Government.

Comrade Shome is one of the founding members of the MCCI and had played the leading role as the Secretary of the Party after the martyrdom of Comrade Kanai Chatterjee in 1982 until 1996. He stepped down from secretaryship due to serious health problems. His vision was affected after he lost one eye due to a cataract operation. However, in spite of his serious ill-health, comrade Shome continued to play a very important role in the MCCI, participated as a leading member of the high-level delegation in the entire merger process between the MCCI and the CPI(ML)[people's war] and became the member of the new Politburo after the formation of the CPI(Maoist) Party in September 2004. In the new Party, he bore a great

share of the work of the CC and PB in spite of serious health problems.

It is clear that the reactionary ruling classes of India, with the assistance and blessings of the imperialists, have been drawing up meticulous plans to arrest or eliminate the leadership of the newly-formed CPI(Maoist) party and the advancing people's war led by it. Accordingly, special intelligence agencies and networks have been set up Centrally, similar to the SIB of AP, and in most of the states where our Party is active. The CPM-led government of West Bengal, under the leadership of the Chief Minister cum Home Minister, Buddhadev is as brutal as the Congress/BJP, but acts more cunningly.

The Indian ruling classes, whichever the Party in power, is implementing all the policies of "economic reforms", which is having a disastrous impact on the living conditions of the people. These imperialist demons and their Indian agents know full well that it is only the CPI(Maoist) that can lead the people in effective battle against the bloodsuckers. It is due to this fear and panic to protect their ill-gotten wealth that they seek to brutally crush this rising force. It is hardly nine months since the new party was announced and in that short period they made the Maoists their number one enemy and have taken systematic and aggressive steps to crush it. In this all the parliamentary parties are collaborators, with the CPM playing an active role. They seek to hide their black deeds behind their Marxist mask.

There is no doubt that such repressive measures will only intensify the revolutionary movement as people's anger against the rulers will intensify. History of earlier movements has shown that repression begets revolt.

All democrats must realize that an attack on the revolutionaries is an attack on the democratic movement in general. Today it may be the revolutionaries tomorrow it will be others. We have already seen the ruthlessness adopted in crushing peasant, trade union and other movements. All democratic and revolutionary forces should rally around to fight back these ruthless attacks on the revolutionaries and demand the immediate and unconditional release of comrades Shome, Tapan and others.

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28-7-2005

Condemn the Brutal, Ssavage and Inhuman Attack on the Workers in Gurgaon! Punish the Culprits who Ordered the Attack!

Gurgaon Savagery Shows the Real Face of Economic Liberalisation!!

The Central Committee of the CPI(Maoist) strongly condemns the brutal, savage and inhuman attack by the Haryana police on the workers of Honda Motorcycles and Scooters India in Gurgaon on 25th and 26th July when they were agitating peacefully. This heinous incident brings back the memories of the British colonial era and the appalling conditions of the 19th century when the workers had to wage a life and death battle for organizing their own trade unions. That such a situation exists even to this day in our country, and the fact that such a shocking atrocity has been enacted by the Haryana police upon the dictates of an imperialist company, is an insult to over thousand million people of our country.

The Gurgaon atrocity has not only shown the anti-people and mercenary nature of the Indian police, but, what is even more important, the fact that economic liberalization is inevitably accompanied by fascist political repression.

The tragic and outrageous episode has shown how the imperialist MNCs circumvent the labour laws of the country with the connivance of the government and the local police or compel the government to legally exempt them from enforcing the labour laws prevalent in other parts of India. That the Honda management had dismissed workers for organizing their own trade union and that workers are even manhandled by the company management and its goons shows how our rulers are acting as compradors to the imperialists. It is clear that the Gurgaon incident was enacted in the model of Jallianwallabagh in order to teach the protesting workers "a lesson".

No wonder the Gurgaon atrocity had taken place under Prime Minister, Manmohan Singh, who, as the Finance Minister in PVN government during the early 1990s, was the key pillar for implementing the neo-liberal policies of Liberalisation, Privatisation and Globalization in the country at the dictates of the World Bank-IMF and international capital. Every successive regime—whether represented by the United Front government, the BJP and its partners in the NDA, or the Congress and the grand coalition partners of the UPA government, has been out-surpassing its predecessor in bringing greater FDI into the country, opening the country's doors wider for unhindered imperialist plunder, exempting the MNCs from the country's laws, and ensuring them peace and stability by suppressing workers' protests. Thus the ruling classes of India have been continuously selling out the natural and human resources of the country to the imperialist MNCs for a platter at the cost of great suffering and misery for the vast masses of the country.

That the Left Front government in West Bengal is the No.1 recipient of the Japanese FDI in the country and openly invites World Bank projects in the state speaks volumes about the hypocrisy and double speak of the CPI(M) and other "Left" Parties. On the one hand, they voice their opposition to the neo-liberal policies of the government and organize protests against police high-handedness in Gurgaon, while on the other, they continue to support the UPA government that has been continuously implementing the anti-people policies ever since it assumed power. These "Left" Parties have been running with the hare and hunting with the hound.

The Gurgaon incident has also revealed the stark fact that the police in India act as mercenaries to whoever pays them, in this case, the management of the Japanese imperialist-owned Honda Company. The Indian police and the Armed Forces had acted as British mercenaries until 1947 and to the various imperialist powers since then. These mercenary forces have no nationalism and are trained to arrest, torture and kill the people upon the orders of the political establishment. It is upon the orders of the Haryana Chief Minister, Bhupinder Singh Hooda, and the Honda management that these mercenaries were let off against the workers giving them full liberty to create a reign of terror and bloodshed.

The CC, CPI(Maoist) expresses solidarity with the workers of Honda Motorcycles and Scooters India, Gurgaon and calls upon the people of the country to oppose the policies of LPG and the MNC operations in India. It salutes the valiant workers, their family members and the people who fought pitched battles with the mercenary police forces. It shares the suffering and agony of the hundreds of injured workers and their families. It warns the people to beware of the deep conspiracy of the reactionary ruling classes and the imperialists in enacting the Gurgaon savagery, namely, to threaten and subdue the workers and employees in other factories and establishments that they too would face dire consequences if they dared to rise up in protest.

The CPI(Maoist) demands the immediate suspension of the DC and SP of Gurgaon and other police officials responsible for this criminal act against the workers, prosecution of the officials of the Honda Motorcycles and Scooters India, the Home Minister of Haryana and all the culprits involved in enacting this atrocity. It demands the reinstatement of all the dismissed workers and lifting of the illegal lock-out by the Honda management, adequate compensation to all those injured in the Gurgaon episode, and a public assurance that the workers' rights will not be trampled upon. It calls upon the workers and people of the country, particularly the workers of Haryana and Delhi, to express solidarity to the struggling workers of Honda.

History has proved time and again that the reactionary rulers cannot subdue the people by resorting to barbaric, repressive policies. Such repression will only beget more resistance. The workers elsewhere in the country will emulate the militancy shown by the workers of Honda and their families and will wage bigger battles to eliminate all imperialist-comprador capitalist exploitation. As the comprador rulers of the country, in collusion with the imperialists, prepare to unleash more and more such atrocities on the struggling masses to push through their liberalisation agenda, the people of the country led by the working class, should prepare themselves to confront the State in bigger political battles.

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22-8-2005

The Declaration of Ban on CPI (Maoist) is Only to Stifle the Voices of People!

Let Us Defeat the Ban Imposed by World Bank's New Puppets YSR and Dharam Singh by Intensifying the People's Movements and People's War!!

It is no coincidence that the arrival of the World Bank's chief Paul Wolfwitz to Andhra Pradesh State and the promulgation of ban on CPI (Maoist) and seven revolutionary mass organisations happened at the same time. By proclaiming the ban on our party and on seven mass organisations, YSR wants to show that he is no less loyal than Chandra Babu Naidu in following the dictates of World Bank.

Maoist guerrillas attacked Narsi Reddy, the Congress MLA on 15th of this month. This incident is a just a pretext to outlaw our Party and mass organisations. In fact, since long, to be precise, since the end of the first phase of the talks, the imperialists and their representative organisation-the World Bank- have been insisting the YSR government to proscribe our Party. Now, YSR government is implementing it faithfully. The AP government has been putting all sorts of obstacles on the peaceful meetings held by the Naxal organisations since November itself. From January the government started genocide. In the last seven months it has killed 110 comrades belonging to various revolutionary Parties and mass organisations. Most of them were unarmed. And almost all the 'encounters' are fake.

Writers, civil liberties associations, democrats, women, even those who are questioning the undeclared ban and fake encounters have become annoyance to the government. No despotic regime will tolerate any independence based on facts. The ban targets to bully the democratic voices, civil liberties and revolutionary writers and to stifle the media. How strong is their fear towards the interviews of Maoist party leaders can be gazed by

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the restrictions imposed by YSR government on media. Even during the TDP rule, under the ban, there were no such restrictions.

Not only the mass organisations were banned but government has arrested leaders of Revolutionary Writers Association, Varavara Rao and Kalyan Rao. The DGP is giving daily threatening statements that they would arrest Gaddar also, leader of JNM. The governments' onslaught on the revolutionary writers is nothing new. From the days of Vengal Rao to the period of Chandra Babu Naidu, the Revolutionary Writers Association has been facing uninterrupted repression. Despite this, they are raising their voice against state terrorism, against the exploitation of feudal, imperialists and comprador capitalists. It is the climax to YSR's fascism to proscribe the organisation which has a three and half decades history and which has set new trends in the literature - not only in AP state, but at all India level too.

The repression on the writers will give way to creation of new art forms. The revolutionary literature will take new leaps like the literature in Latin America during the military fascist regimes. Neither the proscriptions, nor the persecutions would deter the detained people's writers.

The real conspiracy behind the ban is to cruelly suppress the on going people's war and the democratic dissent of the people in AP. The US government has already declared our organisation as terrorist one. In the wake the merger of CPI(ML)[PW] and MCCI and the formation of CPI(Maoist), the imperialists and its running dogs- the Indian ruling classes afraid of the growing strength of our party and people's war have been planning to crush our movement. The declaration of CPI(Maoist) by them as a terrorist organisation is part of that. Following his master voice, the Indian lap dogs are doing the same by banning our party.

There is no doubt that the ban on our Party is to drown the revolutionary movement in pools of blood. That is why while the talks were still on preparations for offensive have been planned by the government. Second round had not begun and massive deployment around Nallamala Forest had started. Now additional para-military forces are sought to be deployed in key areas. Plans are on the anvil to bring Nallamala forest area and its and surroundings under the notorious 'Disturbed Area Act'. Government is coming again with the nefarious idea of using tribal people as cannon-

fodder in the offensive by developing Adivasi police battalion. The ban on the seven revolutionary mass organisations will enhance the severe repression but it will not be confined to those organisations and revolutionary movements. Police will be vested with enormous powers and as a result, struggle of different sections – struggles of peasantry, workers, employees, teachers and students, women, dalits, adivasi, muslims – will be dealt with iron hand. DGP Swaranjet Sen and his men will continue to pounce upon even media persons who question the corrupt politicians and officials.

The ban, contrary to the dreams of YSR will help extend our guerrilla war and take it to higher stage. How much cruel repression the government might resort to, our and Party and revolutionary masses would resist the onslaught and advance our movement.

In Karnataka, competing with YSR government to show his loyalties to the World Bank, Dharam Singh, CM of Karnataka banned CPI(Maoist) on 18th of this month. Already he is following the footsteps of his neighbour in his attempt to crush the growing revolutionary movement in Karnataka. We can not expect a different attitude from the fascist Jayalalita and the TN government already declared ban on our Party in Tamil Nadu. The Bihar and Jharkhand governments had already banned our Party under the most draconian and hated POTA. POTA has gone but the ban is still continuing. A few months back the Chhattisgarh government has banned our party and on revolutionary mass organisations. The social-fascist CPM, though opposing ban, is implementing an undeclared ban in West Bengal. In May, it arrested one of the senior most leaders of the Party and fourteen others. In other states like in Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Orissa, etc., too our party though is not banned, it is facing an undeclared ban. History shows that neither outlawing the revolutionary organisations nor the repressive measures would arrest the rising tides of the movement.

It is certain that those who do not learn lessons from the past will be swept into dustbins of history. That will happen to YSR, Janareddy, Swaranjit Sen and his government too. People will overthrow these fascists with their organised power sooner or later. The one and half year rule of YSR government clearly proves it is just following the footsteps of Chandra Babu Naidu government. Many corruption deals are coming into fore. Cases

of involvement of the kith and kin of YSR too came into light. His own DGP is tainted with most nefarious deals of sale of babies racket. YSR is completely following the same World Bank dictated policies changing the names.

YSR himself being a feudal factional leader, the recent times saw state sponsored factional killing spree in this one and half year. His hoax of distribution of land to the poor is thoroughly exposed.

Central Committee of CPI(Maoist) calls upon the all people-workers, peasants, students, intellectuals, democrats, women, daliths, muslims and oppressed nationalities- to condemn the ban on our Party and revolutionary mass organisations in AP and Karnataka by the AP and Karnataka governments and demand the release of the revolutionary writers Varavara Rao and Kalyan Rao. CC calls upon revolutionary mass organisations and democratic sections to protest and resist the showdown by the AP and Karnataka governments with a view to drown the revolutionary movement in a pool of blood in various ways. CC calls upon the Party to mobilise the people to resist the fascist governments and People's Liberation Guerrilla Army to resist the offensive of the Congress governments of AP and Karnataka and defeat the offensive started under the guise of ban.

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26-9-2005

BJP under the Leadership of Babulal Marandi – Arjun Munda is Responsible for the Death of 15 Persons in Bhelwaghati of Jharkhand!

Condemn the Ruling Classes' Evil Designs of Abusing Poor People as Guinea-pigs by Pitting them Against Revolutionaries!!

Five hundred people under the leadership of the CPI (Maoist) raided a village Bhelwaghati of Ganwa police station circle in Girdhi district of Jharkhand on 12th of September and punished 15 members of Gram Suraksha Samiti formed by the BJP government. Punishing such a large number of persons at a time has created a bit of concern at some places in the rest of the country. But, why did such a situation arise? Why did the CPI (Maoist), whose interests are nothing other than the people's interests, resort to punishing such a large number of persons? In order to understand this incident and also for non-recurrence of such incidents in future, one must clearly understand its background, the inherent dastardly conspiracies of ruling classes and their evil designs of multi-pronged attack on revolutionaries. Some time back, Babulal Marandi, the ex-Chief Minister, took up a campaign against our Party. He organized Gram Suraksha Samiti in the village Bhelwaghati by roping in the tribal heads there and a section of the people, by hook or by crook. Abusing these members, he got many of our activists and sympathizers beaten up and killed in the near by villages. Thus, Babulal Marandi created a situation that demanded an inevitable retaliation. After this retaliation, several villagers have started blaming Marandi for instigating and pitting them against the revolutionaries.

Despite the cruel attacks on the revolutionaries for several years by the ruling classes with the tacit support of imperialists, the revolutionary movement has been strengthening day by day. The revolutionary party expanded countrywide to many states. Particularly after the merger of the

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CPI (ML) [Peoples' War] and the MCCI in September 2004, the oppressed masses country-wide were jubilant whereas the ruling classes were shivering. Although the ruling classes have been deploying thousands of special police forces and central police forces against the revolutionaries and the revolutionary masses and conducting the incessant brutal carnage, none of their efforts could weaken the revolutionary movement. In this background, while continuing with their programmes of the cruel suppression and cunning reforms, the ruling classes had also started drawing a section of people into various state-sponsored organizations by creating a rift and split among the rural masses, forcing a section of them either with a carrot or stick, and subsequently pitting them against the revolutionary movement. Various state governments led by BJP, Congress, CPI (M), BJD, etc, have all been trying to forcibly deploy a section of the rural masses against the revolutionary masses and the revolutionary movement, under various banners such as, Gram Rakshak Dal, Gram Suraksha Samiti, Gram Committee, Nagarik Suraksha Samiti, Gan Suraksha Samiti, etc.

Particularly since last year, BJP governments in Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand have been trying very hard to provoke people in the tribal areas by launching the programmes named as Salva Judum and Sendra (means, collective hunting). In Dandakaranya (Chhattisgarh and Maharashtra), both the BJP as well as Congress governments have designed programmes named as Jan Jagaran Abhiyan, Shanti Yatra, and Gaon Bandee. In the name of these programmes, what in fact these governments have been perpetuating is – conducting attacks on the villages that are strongholds of the revolutionary movement by herding people from the villages that are out side the influence of the revolutionary movement, coercing the people of the stronghold villages to resign from their revolutionary mass organizations, and torturing and murdering the sympathizers of revolution. In Chhattisgarh, Mahendra Karma, who was a minister in the past Ajit Jogi's Congress government and is presently opposition leader, has been working hand in glove with both the BJP and BJP-led state government, and conducting the so called *Jan Jagaran* Abhiyan from the frontline. More than 30 people died since the launching of this *Abhiyan* in June this year in Chhattisgarh.

In Jharkhand, in August 2003, sons of the landlords belonging to *Gram Suraksha Samiti* together with some lumpen youth caught hold of 13 revolutionaries of the then CPI (ML) [Peoples' War] and murdered them in a village called Laango of East Singhbum district. After this incident, *Suraksha*

Samitis were formed under the leadership of the BJP in several villages and atrocities on the people and the revolutionaries continued unabatedly since then. Therefore obviously, the Bhelwaghati incident that took place on 12th September 2005 is a logical and inevitable response to the incessant evil deeds of the ruling classes.

In West Bengal, the CPI (M)-led government also has been perpetuating the similar kind of heinous methods of dividing the people and inciting a section of them against the revolutionaries in West Mednipore, Purulia and Bankura districts. In Orissa, Navin Patnaik's government has been organizing lumpen elements from amongst the Bengali Refugees Camps in Malkangiri district, issuing them weapons, and provoking them against the people of the Adivasi villages that are strongholds of the revolutionary movement. In Andhra Pradesh, just as the Chandrababu Naidu's TDP government did in the past, the present YSR government also has been implementing the same cruel tasks and tactics, i.e., raising mercenary gangs but with new names such as Narsa Cobras, Kakatiya Cobras, Nallamala Thrachulu, etc, murdering the revolutionaries and sympathizers of the revolution, suppressing democratic movement, dividing the people, and inciting a section of the people against the revolutionary movement. Thus, cleaving the people and abusing a section of them forcibly as guinea pigs by pitting against the revolutionaries is being implemented by the exploiter ruling classes and the various political parties that represent them as a prominent tactics to counter the revolutionary movement.

People and democrats must condemn these wicked practices of abusing people, particularly the Adivasi people, as guinea pigs being perpetuated by the ruling classes. We are left with no other choice than the armed retaliation by our Party and the PLGAs against the conspiracies of various parties to murder the revolutionaries and scuttle the revolutionary movement. We hold the ruling parties responsible for this violence. The Central Committee of our Party appeals to the general masses not to join the *Gram Committees*, *Suraksha Samitis*, etc, that are formed/sponsored by the ruling classes, and thus not to become victims of their conspiracies.

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COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST)

Central Committee (Provisional)

31-10-2005

Condemn the Gruesome Killing of Innocent People in the New Delhi Bomb Blasts!

Fight against the State Policies which Foster such Terrorist Attacks!

The Central Committee(Provisional) of the CPI (Maoist) strongly condemns the gruesome killing of innocent people in the New Delhi serial bomb blasts at three places on the evening of 29th of this month. More than 70 people were killed and hundreds injured in this dastardly act. Who ever carried out this ghastly act of killing innocent people for what ever reason cannot be justified under any pretext. We deeply condole the death, injury and lose of property of these innocent people. We share the grief with those families of the victims and express our deepest sympathy with their families. We demand that the Central and state governments should give appropriate compensation to families of the deceased and the injured and for the loss of property immediately and provide medical treatment to the injured without any delay.

The CPI (Maoist) calls up on the people of India to fight against the anti-people policies of the government and the fascist attacks on people struggles and on their democratic rights. The people who find their justified demands and the democratic rights trampled by the rulers, are increasingly taking the path of militant struggles. The Party urges the fighting people and organizations of oppressed nationalities, religious minorities, and other toiling masses not to get diverted by indiscriminate violence, like killing or causing injuries to the innocent people, instead direct their wrath against the oppressive state, cruel oppressors and exploiters and the brutality of police and other armed forces which protects and perpetuate this inhuman oppressive and exploitative system.

We also ur ge the people not to get diverted by the malicious propaganda made by the ruling classes and their media which portrays all the militant struggles waged by the oppressed masses and oppressed nationalities are terrorist violence. The struggling people resort to revolutionary violence as a response to the white terror/state terror unleashed by the big landlord big bourgeois ruling classes and their armed forces in order to put down their legitimate struggles. It is the ploy of the imperialists and their running dogs all over the world in their 'war against terrorism' to utilize the killing of innocent people to ruthlessly crush the peoples struggles under the 'sacred' banner of "war on terror". It is these gangsters who are the real culprits causing death of millions of people not only through direct aggression against sovereign states, killing millions of children, women and the aged through economic sanctions but also through their policies of Liberalization, Privatization, and Globalization. The CC(P) calls up on the workers, peasants, women, youths, and all other oppressed people to fight unitedly against these draconian policies of the imperialists and the Indian ruling classes.

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COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST)

Central Committee (Provisional)

3-11-2005

Let Us Pay Red Homage to
Our Senior Leader Comrade Karam Singh!
Let Us Strive Hard to Fulfil His Great Ideals
of Socialism and Communism!!

Our Central Committee(Provisional) [CC(P)] is greatly shocked by learning the unexpected and unfortunate news of the demise of comrade Karam Singh (KS) alias Sher Singh Sheri, the beloved and respected veteran leader of the Party in the morning of 30th October 2005. Comrade KS passed away after lying three days in coma due to severe illness caused by the cerebral malaria -jaundice combination. It is a very sad day not only for our Party, but also for the entire revolutionary camp of the country. The newly formed CC(P) lost one of its invaluable leader who had contributed for its very formation. Our CC (P) shares the grief with the Punjab State Committee, all the comrades, his family members and friends and the entire revolutionary camp, and deeply condoles to all of them.

First of all, our CC(P) on behalf of the entire Party; Central Military Commission(CMC) and the entire PLGA; all the organs of revolutionary people's democratic power; all the revolutionary and democratic mass organisations; all the revolutionary sympathisers and masses of our country bow our heads humbly and pay red homage to our beloved leader comrade Karam Singh.

Comrade KS stayed for a month in a Guerrilla Zone in last September. Comrade KS was attacked twice by the malaria in the field itself. In that battle field our people's doctors saved him. But out side we failed to save him from the combination of killer diseases. We lost another valuable leader like some other leaders and cadres of our Party previously who died of cerebral malaria. These dangerous diseases are the by-products of the economic- industrial-environmental-healthcare and other policies of the governments of the imperialist countries and the governments of India and

the third world countries. These diseases are spreading like wild-fire and killing lakhs of people every year in our country.

Comrade KS was a veteran leader of our Party with almost four decades of revolutionary career. He entered revolutionary politics as a young pioneer in his student life, like many young heroes of Punjab. He courageously, along with many comrades of Punjab, rebelled against the revisionist CPI and neo-revisionist CPI(M) leadership and supported the revolutionary line of Naxalbari and the leadership of comrade Charu Mazumdar, and joined the CPI(ML). He was one of founding members of our Party in Punjab and one of the first State Committee members of the CPI(ML). He was also one of the leaders of heroic peasant armed struggles of Punjab. After a long gap of isolation and a long process of efforts for the unity of genuine Maoist forces, the RCCI(Maoist) of Punjab under his leadership in a crucial juncture unified with the MCC in 2002. The RCCI(Maoist) under the leadership of comrade KS boldly opposed the then ongoing clashes between MCC and PW and strived their level best to stop the clashes. As a senior CCM of the MCCI he played a significant role in achieving the unity between the MCCI and PW, and contributed well ideologically and politically in the preparation of basic documents of the new Party. Since the formation of CPI(Maoist) he played a valuable role in the new CC(P) as a PBM.

Since the beginning of revolutionary movement of Punjab in the late sixties, he stood firmly and strongly at the time of barbarous repression, in the midst of heavy losses, and in the period of long setback of the revolutionary movement in Punjab and the Indian revolution. He never lost heart in the long period of setback, splits and hardships. He never bowed his head before the cruel enemy. He upheld the red banner of MLM and bitterly opposed the revisionism of all hues raised in the international arena and in the communist polity of our country. He was never saddened or stopped from his revolutionary responsibilities by a broken leg. He boldly swam against the tide of many hardships internally and externally. He was a tireless warrior and leader of Indian revolution. He dedicated his whole life to serving the people and sacrificed everything for revolution. He is a great symbol of inspiration and an ideal for the young and the aged and every member and leader of our Party. His revolutionary ideals and image are long lasting inspiration for future generations.

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Our CC(P) pledges to fight for the fulfilment of the cherished dreams of comrade KS to establish socialism and communism in the country and the entire world. Our CC(P) calls upon to the entire rank and file of our Party, all Commissions and Commands and the PLGA, and the revolutionary camp to hail the martyrdom of comrade KS and uphold his ideals. In his memory, by all means, wherever possible erect temporary or permanent memorials and conduct open or secret memorial meetings and propagate his revolutionary life and ideals to hasten the revolutionary process of changing ourselves and the world. His memories and ideals will be evergreen in our hearts and minds and also in the millions of the workers, peasants, intellectuals and all sections of the oppressed masses of our country! Our beloved leader and comrade-in-arms Comrade KS is immortal!! Once again let us humbly pledge to bravely and untiringly fight to fulfil his adored dreams!!!

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General Secretary
Central Committee (P)
Communist Party of India (Maoist)

COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST)

Central Committee (Provisional)

14-11-2005

Hail the Historic Politico-Military Campaign in Jehanabad by the PLGA Led by the CPI (Maoist)!

Mobilise the Masses in A Big Way to Intensify and Expand the People's War in India!!

One thousand guerrillas of the People's Liberation Guerrilla Army led by the Central Military Commission and the Bihar-Jharkhand Special Area Military Commission of the CPI(Maoist) laid siege to the town of Jehanabad in Bihar for almost two and half hours from 9 PM on November 13 and conducted simultaneous raids and attacks on the district jail, district court, police lines, police quarters, district armoury, and police stations in the town and successfully carried out the Operation Jail-break. This biggest ever operation in Bihar's history was a complete success and the CPI(Maoist) was able to achieve its three objectives. Firstly, it was able to secure the release of its leaders, activists and ordinary prisoners who have been languishing in the jail for many years; secondly, it carried out the people's verdict against the reactionary state-sponsored Ranaveer Sena by annihilating its leaders and capturing several of its activists; and, thirdly, it seized hundreds of rifles and thousands of rounds of ammunition.

The Central Committee of the CPI(Maoist) hails the heroic guerrillas of the PLGA for successfully carrying out the series of death-defying military actions through meticulous planning by the Central Military Commission of the Party and the call given by the Central Committee to carry out tactical counteroffensive campaign. It pays its Red Salutes to the comrades who had laid down their precious lives in this historic campaign for liberating the oppressed masses. These daring actions are not only significant from the military point of view but have a wide political significance and they demonstrate to the entire world the justness of the cause for which the Maoists have been fighting. The punishment to the Ranaveer Sena leaders was long overdue and has inspired the entire oppressed masses

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in the country, particularly the Dalit and other oppressed caste masses, who had suffered terribly at the hands of these lumpen feudal gangsters.

Jehanabad politico-military campaign is an answer to the countrywide counter-revolutionary campaign of the reactionary Congress-led UPA government in the Centre and the state governments led by various parties. The successive Central governments, whether the BJP-led NDA in the past or the Congress-led UPA at present, and the governments in various states such as the BJP governments in Jharkhand and Chhathisgarh and MP, or the Congress governments in AP, Maharashtra, Karnataka and Uttaranchal, CPI(M)-led Left Front government in West Bengal, BJD government in Orissa, Samajwadi Party's government in UP, AIDMK government in Tamil Nadu, have unleashed a brutal campaign of killing leaders, activists and sympathizers of the CPI(Maoist) and the revolutionary mass organizations; arresting and implicating cases against thousands of revolutionaries and the common people, and suppressing even the nominal fundamental rights guaranteed by the Indian Constitution.

In just 14 months since the formation of the new Party of the Indian proletariat, CPI(Maoist), over 200 revolutionaries were killed by the police, most of them in fake encounters. Apart from this state terror, the reactionary ruling classes of India have unleashed an even more gruesome and obnoxious plan of massacring the people living in the areas of Maoist influence through so-called Jan Jagaran Abhiyans, Salwa Judum in Chhathisgarh, Sendra in Jharkhand, and setting up lumpen gangs like the Narsa Cobras, Nallamala Cobras, Kakatiya Cobras etc., in AP, Nagarik Suraksha Samiti and Gana Suraksha Samiti in Jharkhand and West Bengal, Shanthi Sena in Orissa, Ranaveer Sena in Bihar, and so on. In Chhathisgarh, this diabolic gameplan of attacking entire villages, burning them, killing adivasis not sparing even women, children and the old aged people has been continuing since last June which took a toll of over 70 adivasi lives. Untold atrocities are committed by these lumpen gangs and the central para-miltary forces such as beheading men, women and children, raping women activists of the mass organizations and sympathizers of CPI(Maoist) and the entire media has been conniving with the police and administration in suppressing the facts, and publicising lies and falsehoods against the movement led by the CPI(Maoist). As if these were not enough, the various state governments

have begun to acquire Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs), helicopters, MPVs, and sophisticated arms. Mine-proof police stations are being constructed in all the areas of armed struggle. Covert agents are deployed in a big way and the Intelligence departments and the police officials are trying such dirty methods like mixing poison in food and water to kill the Party leaders and the PLGA forces.

The Jehanabad operation is an answer to this brutal campaign unleashed by the Central and state governments led by the recently- set up Joint Task Forces. It is a turning point in the ongoing people's war in the country. Jehanabad district administration and its police forces, the central paramilitary forces, the reactionary upper-caste landlord private armies such as the Ranaveer Sena, Sunlight Sena, Brahmarshi Sena etc., have a notorious history of unleashing blood-baths in the past two decades like Arwal and Laxmanpur Bathe. Through such massacres the reactionary rulers dreamt of suppressing the people's war and the democratic struggles of the oppressed people. Moreover, hundreds of people have been languishing in jails for years without any trial under the most miserable conditions inside the prison in violation of the provisions stipulated in the Jail Manuals. No wonder, the people were overjoyed by the Operation Jail-break by the Maoists that saw at least 341 prisoners escape from the dark dungeons of Jehanabad jail. This daring action has also inspired the masses all over the country who see how innocent people are placed behind bars even as the biggest criminals, blood-sucking tax-evading businessmen, money-lenders, traders and industrialists, corrupt officials and political leaders hold reins of power and roam freely.

The Jehanabad politico-military campaign, like the Koraput campaign in February last year in which over 500 arms were captured from ten different locations in the district, show the superiority of guerrilla tactics based on the military line enunciated by Com. Mao for waging war in situations where the enemy has a vastly superior force. It shows that the well-equipped, well-trained, and numerically superior mercenary enemy forces can be dealt heavy blows by a numerically weaker but determined, fearless and politically motivated armed force of the people through concrete survey of the weak points of the enemy force, meticulous planning and effective execution based on the principle of taking on the enemy through

surprise at lightening speed.

The recent tactical counter-offensives carried out by PLGA guerrillas such as the daring raid on a Homeguards Training Centre in Giridih district in Jharkhand and capture of 185 arms and 25,000 rounds of ammunition on November 11; the killing of the SP of Mungher district of Bihar; the daring series of actions in Madhuban town of east Chmparan district in North Bihar; the seizure of arms through raids on a police outpost near Sambhalpur and the armed outpost of the Minister Dali in Malkangiri district in Orissa last month; the annihilation of over 20 CRPF and injuring over 70 in the tactical counteroffensive campaign during April-June, blasting of an MPV and killing of 24 CRPF personnel in Dantewara district and the seizure of LMG and Insas rifle from the CRPF by the people's militia and the PLGA guerrillas in North Bastar in Dandakaranya in the past two months, the seizure of arms from the STF in Gadchiroli and Gondia, the attempt on the life of the SP of Prakasham district, the daring attacks on several police stations and the killing of an SI in Mahboob Nagar district in AP, and the politico-military campaign in Jehanabad on November 13, and several such daring actions have inspired the masses all over the country and show the path for the liberation of our country from the stranglehold of imperialism, feudalism and the comprador bureaucrat capital. All these tactical offensives were conducted by countering the increasing encirclement-suppression campaigns by the central para-military forces, the STF, Grey Hounds and special police forces, with the active support of the revolutionary masses.

The CPI(Maoist) once again pledges that its heroic PLGA guerrillas under the CMC will secure the release of the hundreds of comrades languishing in various jails such as the Bewoor jail of Patna, Gaya, Buxar, Bhagalpur, Muzafarpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi, Bethia and Bagha jails of Bihar and Jharkand; the scores of comrades imprisoned by the fascist YSR government in AP, Jayalalitha government in Tamil Nadu, Dharam Singh's government in Karnataka; the comrades lodged in Baripada, Sambhalpur, Koraput, Jeypore, Raigada, Koraput jails in Orissa; Jagdalpur, Dantewara, Kanker, Ambikapur in Chhathisgarh; Gadchiroli, Chandrapur, Gondia, Nagpur in Maharashtra; Balaghat in MP; and in various prisons all over the country, just as they had freed the prisoners in Jehanabad. The CC of our Party calls upon the oppressed masses to join the PLGA in thousands upon

thousands to transform it into the People's Liberation Army (PLA) and achieve the objective of establishing a new society free from all forms of exploitation and oppression by overthrowing the enemies of the Indian people.

The oppressed masses in Jehanabad and other parts of the country are overjoyed at the humiliating defeat of the enemy forces who harass them daily and perpetrate untold atrocities. The politico-military campaign in Jehanabad reflect the aspirations of the masses who had lent active support to the guerrillas during the preparation and execution of the actions.

The CC of CPI(Maoist) once again sends its heartfelt revolutionary greetings to the heroic guerrillas of the PLGA who had carried out the series of simultaneous tactical counteroffensives in Jehanabad, Giridih and elsewhere with unflinching Bolshevik determination, revolutionary mettle and death-defying valour and heroism. We also send our Red Greetings to the revolutionary masses who had extended their full cooperation in various forms to the guerrillas in order to successfully carry out the operation.

We call upon the people to be vigilant against possible brutal attacks by the mercenary police forces who, like cowards, attack unarmed people being scared to confront the armed guerrillas. The intensified suppression campaign by the enemy forces should be countered by the masses by creating more Jehanabads and sending nightmares to the enemy even in his own headquarters.

There is no alternative before the people but to arm themselves with the arms snatched from the enemy in order to carry on the people's war till final victory. The guerrilla forces of our Party as well as the revolutionary masses of our country have to undertake more and more such actions in a big way so as to strengthen the guerrilla armies and to transform them into the People's Liberation Army in due course. Vast masses have to be mobilised to expand and deepen the ongoing people's war in our country.

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13-12-2005

The So-Called Salwa Judum (Peace Campaign) in Dandakarnya is A Campaign of State and State-sponsored Terror!

The Chhattisgarh state machinery is waging a most brutal campaign with unprecedented ferocity against the revolutionary masses of Dandakaranya for the past five months. So far, more than a hundred people. including the leaders of the revolutionary mass organizations and fighters of the PLGA of the CPI (Maoist) were murdered most brutally. More than 40 villages were burnt to ashes fully and some partially. There are many incidents of atrocities on women by Salwa Judum goondas and the central forces. (A list of the killings and rape by the goondas and the Central paramilitary forces is attached). Even children and the aged are not spared. Hundreds of innocent peasants are arrested and inhumanly tortured. This barbaric murder campaign has been ironically termed as Salwa Judum (meaning Peace Campaign). This campaign which started on June3rd of this year is being personally led by the notorious leader of the Congress (I) legislature party of Chhattisgarh, Mr. Mahendra Karma and BJP's Raman Singh government. The Congress (I) led Central Government is coordinating it through the joint operational command it has set up. Advani and Sonia Gandhi are planning to visit these areas to boost up the terror campaign.

The government, in order to cover up its heinous campaign, has launched a big false propaganda campaign claming that *Salwa Judum* is a people's revolt against the armed hegemony and atrocities of the Naxalites. The media, particularly of Chhattisgarh, is trying to manufacture consent for this campaign of terror by spreading blatant lies and falsehood and willfully suppressing the truth.

Salwa Judum—A part of the bigger plan of plundering the entire region from Jharkhand to AP:

The ruling classes have been cherishing the fond dream of suppressing the rapidly advancing people's war in the country and the emerging alternative people's revolutionary political power in vast tracts of Dandakaranya (Chhathisgarh and Maharashtra), Jharkhand, AP, Bihar, Orissa and Madhya Pradesh and the spreading movement in West Bengal, Uttaranchal, UP and other states. The region stretching from Jharkhand to AP is strategically important for the Indian ruling classes and the imperialists as this region contains most of the minerals and forest wealth in the country. However, this entire region is in the sway of the CPI(Maoist) which is leading the vast adivasi masses of the region against the oppression and exploitation of successive governments in the states and Centre which represent the interests of the big landlords, CBB and most faithfully serve the interests of the imperialist MNCs. The new alternative power of the masses at the grass-roots which represents genuine democracy is, obviously. intolerable to the exploiters ruling our country whose so-called democracy is exposed as the rule of the corrupt, authoritarian, communal and fascist forces that bulge at the expense of the vast majority of the masses of our country. Hence the ruling classes have drawn up a complete plan to unleash a brutal reign of terror to pave the way for investments from the CBB and the MNCs in this vast mineral-rich region and to nip the growing revolutionary people's democratic power in the entire region.

In fact, while speaking in Bangalore in November last year, the Prime Minister himself set the tone for this suppression campaign by pointing out how important is the region for the exploiters:

".. The Union Government is concerned, particularly as the Naxalites have emerged in the hilly areas of central India, where are our mineral and hydel resources. The Naxalite movement is gaining momentum and the Centre (the Central Government) is concerned."

Since then, gigantic mining contracts have been signed with the comprador big bourgeois companies and TNCs to rob the country of our natural wealth and evict the local dwellers, mostly Adivasis. In just one year a gigantic sum of Rs.3 lakh crores of MoUs have been signed by these companies with the governments of Orissa, Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh alone. In Jharkhand two MoUs have been signed with the Mittals (NRI) and the Jindals in just the past two months. The Mittals deal was worth Rs.40,000 crores and with the Jindals it was for Rs.35,000 crores. Tatas have huge expansion plans for its plant at Tatanagar.

In Orissa 37 MoUs have been signed including the one with the giant POSCO to set up steel plants to produce 47.7 million tonnes of steel per annum. Together they would invest Rs.1,18,000 crores in Orissa. The Chhattisgarh government has signed MoUs worth Rs.60,000 crores. In Bastar alone MoUs for investment of Rs.17,000 crores have been signed this summer for the proposed Tata and Essar (Ruias) steel plant. In Chhattisgarh the Tatas plan to get their iron ore from the Bailadilla and Raoghat mines.

With such massive investments at stake, big business and the government know that only by the suppression of the Naxalites there, they will be able to undertake their loot and make windfall profits. All these development projects are achievable only at the cost of the destruction of the tribal livelihood system. This big capital will be put into operation dripping with the blood of the people. The police, paramilitary, army act as the henchmen of POSCO, Jindal, Mittal, Tata and others. All this in the name of fighting 'terrorism', (!) as the world's No.1 Terrorist and Liar Bush has taught them, in order to dupe the people of the country.

Thus even as these traitorous deals were being struck through scores of MOUs between the government and the Big Business and the MNCs by the governments of Jharkhand, Orissa, Chhattisgarh and MP in the past year, simultaneously plans were drawn up to create the most brutal terror in this vast region. There has been a spate of meetings of Chief Ministers, Chief secretaries, police chiefs of several states continuously since the formation of the CPI(Maoist) in September 2004 and Joint Task Forces were set up; over 24 CRPF battalions were sent to these states, and several new IR battalions are being raised. A key aspect of this heinous plan hatched by the reactionary governments is: Setting up private armies, unleashing terror, forcing a section of the people to join this statesponsored terror campaign and pitting them against the Maoists and the revolutionary masses, thereby creating the big lie that the adivasis have risen up against the Maoists. And this plan began to unfold in the name of Jan Jagaran Abhiyan or salwa Judum in Dandakaranya, Sendra (meaning 'collective hunting' in Santhali) in Jharkhand, Gaon Bandi in Maharashtra, Shanti Sena in Orissa. In AP, the private armed gangs like Cobras and Tigers led by the police officers have multiplied creating murder and mayhem since January this year.

Horrors & Barbarism of Saalva Judum

These goons are employing the most barbaric methods to terrorize the people. They are burning down village after village by spraying kerosene on the houses and setting them on fire. Thus they burnt more than 40 villages to ashes and partially burnt another 10 villages so far.

The following incidents reveal the savagery of their "peace campaign". On August 28, jawans of the Naga Battalion and Judum goondas cut the head of a 12-year-old boy in Aakva village. On September 2, they caught hold of 10 boys who were hiding in the jungle near Arial village 2km from Mirtul, ordered them to stand in line and shot them dead. One of these was a 12-year-old boy. On October 10, a 14-year-old boy, Barsa Sonu was caught and shot dead after brutal torture in Paralnar village by the police. On October 3, the police murdered Koval, who was the president of janathana sarkar of Mankeli village and abducted his 14-yeay-old son Raju, whose whereabouts are still not known. Even more gruesome is the murder of two women in the village of Mukavelli when they were working in the fields. One of them was pregnant and the savage police-judum goondas. not content with killing them, tore open the womb of the woman and pulled out the foetus. A 1 1/2 –year-old baby nearby was also shot dead. There was a heart rending story of an Aanganwadi worker, named Soniya, who was beaten up by the Jawans of the Naga battalions, tied up with ropes at the ankle, dragged in this condition to the police station and forced to spend the night in the lock-up along with men, all on the suspicion that she was a Naxalite supporter. Similar story of excesses committed on women by police, CRPF and Naga forces have been recounted by NGO activists from Dantewada

The above are only a few of the countless indescribable atrocities being committed daily by the Central-state police forces and *salwa judum* goondas jointly. If in one village a young boy's head is chopped off and hanged on the door-post of his house, in another village the beheaded body of an old peasant is hanged in the village centre, with a note warning that the same fate will befall all those who do not surrender to them. They captured a PLGA fighter who was wounded during a police firing and then murdered him by cutting off his limbs and genitals. Many are murdered and thrown into *Indravati*.

They are not even sparing ordinary peasants who cross the Indravati river from the north to the south on some personal work. In one incident they killed 5 peasants who crossed the Indravati. Now, one need not say any thing about the looting spree that is going on in this campaign. Hundreds of peasants have been looted of all their possessions – grains, money, valuables, chicken, goats, pigs etc. – by these murdering gangs. They are not sparing even those who surrendered, inflicting inhuman tortures on them. When some of the victims died unable to bear these tortures, these goons disposed of their bodies by simply throwing them down the Indravati River.

The state is forcefully herding people into concentration camps along the lines the US forces did in Vietnam – Strategic Hamlet Policy. More than 15 thousands people are at present languishing in these camps. Moreover the state is trying to give a picture that all these people are victims of Naxalite's atrocities, who are being provided police protection.

Anyone suspected of being a supporter of Naxalites or a Sangam member is brutally tortured, beaten and in many cases killed. Many adivasis are forced to play the role of police informants. Democratic and civil rights hardly exist in the Bijapur and Bhairamgarh blocs where several villages have become devoid of male members, who had either run away or forcibly brought to the police-protected camps where their activity is regularly monitored. The meagre seasonal agriculture of the adivasis is hit. All this has led to the virtual break down of economic and social life of the adivasis.

Though the present campaign is a continuation of two earlier Jan Jagaran Abhiyans – one in 1990 and the other in 1996 both led by Mahendra Karma –which failed miserably due to stiff resistance from the revolutionary masses, this time the Central and state governments have prepared plan for a long-drawn campaign of terror combined with reforms to win over a section of the adivasis.

The 'Salwa Judum' began in Bhairamgarh and Bijapur blocks of Dantewada district but is not able to extend to the adjoining areas of Bhopalpatanam, Barsur, Narayanpur, Dantewada, Konta and other areas due to stiff resistance of the local people. Attempts are being made to extend it to Ambikapur (Sarguja), Jashpur and other areas.

Is Salwa Judum a Revolt against the Maoists?

It is not a revolt of the masses against the Maoists but a most barbaric suppression campaign being conducted by the ruling classes.

'Salwa Judum' is nothing but a campaign aimed at terrifying the fighting masses of Dandakarnya into submission through murder and mayhem. The local reactionary forces and a section of those who were punished for their crimes against the people are pouring in huge amounts of money and gathering lumpen elements. The police is arming and training them and forming visesh police units. These goons, along with the state and central armed forces, are forming into a gang of about 200-300 people and are conducting punitive raids on villages considered to be Maoist strongholds. At present their campaign is concentrated in the Bhairamgarh and Bijapur blocs of Dantewada district covering the area lying between the road going from Kutru-Nimed-Bhairamgarh and river Indravati. Salwa Judum activity is actually concentrated in the 70 villages in this belt where the Maoists never had much organization. From this periphery the police-Judum goondas are hatching plans to advance into Maoist strongholds in the interior by creating terror.

Dubious role of the Media

The 'Salwa Judum' clearly exposed the anti-people nature of the big media in the country. The media is maintaining a complete silence about the murders and atrocities that are going on in the name of 'Salwa Judum'. Though more than 40 villages were burnt down, and though the local representatives of the media know well about the real perpetrators of these ghastly acts, the media has closed its eyes willfully. When a progressive reporter here and there sends factual reports the media barons are suppressing it. Moreover the media has been enthusiastically running one false story after the other, depicting the 'Salwa Judum' as a "spontaneous uprising" of the adivasi people against the so-called violence and atrocities of the Naxalites.

The police machinery presents some of the people in their concentration camps (the so-called relief camps) before the media as surrendered Naxalites. And the media shamelessly interview these people in stage-managed shows arranged by the police (reminding us of the embedded journalists during

US invasion and bombardment of Iraq) and churn out stories against the Maoists day in day out. The manner in which the events in Kotrapal and Taadimendry on June 19 and 18 respectively were depicted and interpreted by the media will make even the master liar-Goebbels-turn in his grave. Throughout the second half of June and July stories of scores of adivasis being massacred by the Maoists appeared in the media. These lies are continuing to this day. See for instance the so-called Reports such as the one filed by someone named Annie Zaidi in the October 21, 2005 issue of the Frontline, which says: "At a meeting at Talmendra, attended by more than 10,000 people, naxalites allegedly opened fire and killed hundreds of people" or by one Mr. Ananda Rao in Vaarta Telugu daily, and series of news items in *Dainik Bhaskar* and most of the Hindi dailies published from Raipur. These reports are not just a travesty of truth but show the blatantly partisan nature of the media. Such lies are a blot to journalistic ethics. The fact is that in both places the people retaliated when they were attacked by armed hooligans led by Mahendra Karma and the BJP government and only three people were killed in both these incidents. Not much investigation is required to find out these facts as anyone in these villages would have explained if one cared to visit these villages instead of basing on the stories floated by the police and the Karma-Kashyap gangsters. But even after the district collector of Dantewara admitted in his official report that no one was killed at Tadamendry, the media continues to repeat the same story.

Even more shameless is the indifference exhibited by the journalists when the SP of Bijapur police district issued orders to kill any journalists trying to cover the activity of the Naxalites even after these orders were taped and displayed before the media personnel by the Maoists.

People's resistance

Even though the state machinery is rushing more and more para military forces into Dandakarnya its 'Salwa Judum' is not progressing to its expectations as it is facing stiff resistance from the revolutionary masses and the PLGA forces of the CPI (Maoist). Despite the terror campaign by the police-judum gangs the PLGA forces are providing protection to the lives and property of the peasants. On September 3rd, the PLGA forces successfully blew up a mine proof vehicle of the police forces, killing 27 policemen. The people's militia is providing protection to the people who

have to go either to the forest or to the market for their daily needs. The militias have been maintaining a 24-hour vigil. It has exposed and annihilated the leaders and the most notorious ones among the 'Salwa Judum' goons. The revolutionary masses have firmly rejected the propaganda of the state and are preparing to intensify their resistance under the leadership of their Party, the CPI (Maoist).

An Appeal to All Progressives & Democrats

The above is a brief picture of the campaign of murder and mayhem going on in the Dandakarnya for the past 5 months. The tribals of Bastar have appealed to all democrats and progressive intellectuals to condemn this brutal campaign and demand an immediate halt to these atrocities.

The government of India, backed by the imperialists (particularly the US) wants to unleash a civil war on the impoverished masses of this country. Instead of meeting their just demands and livelihood questions they are being pushed deeper and deeper into the abyss of destitution and poverty to serve the interests of the likes of the Jindals, Mittals, Tatas, Reliance and the TNCs. India is being turned into a hunting ground of these robber barons. At the rate at which MoUs are being signed with these business magnets in just this past one year the iron ore reserves of this country will get fully depleted within the next 30 to 40 years. This is not 'development' it is 'destruction'. The vast mineral wealth of the country is being looted. The forests are being devastated; the rivers polluted and the entire ecology ravaged. Vast tracts of the country are being handed over to the mining mafia. All this is the result of the neo-liberal policies pursued by the ruling classes in league with the imperialists, who leave no stone unturned to suppress the local adivasis to achieve their greedy ends. Economic liberalization and globalization require fascist political repression.

The people of our country face a clear choice — and that is not between so called peace and 'terrorism', but between the rule of this mafia led by the imperialists and that of the masses led by the Maoists. The lines are clearly being drawn; all must decide where they stand.

Central Committee (P) Communist Party of India (Maoist)

COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST) CENTRAL COMMITTEE

8-1-2006

Kalinga Nagar Massacre is a Pre-Hatched Conspiracy of the BJD-BJP Government and the Tata Steel!

Save Our Jal-Jungle-Jameen-Khanij from the Rapacious Plunder by the Imperialist-Comprador Big Business Marauders!!

The Central Committee, CPI(Maoist), strongly condemns the brutal massacre of twelve tribals by the Orissa police on Jan 2nd of the new year. Over 40 tribals were also severely injured in this ghastly attack by the police forces who are acting as the mercenaries of the big comprador capitalists and the MNCs. The tribals were protesting against the construction of a six-million tonne steel plant by the Tatas on their lands near Kalinga Nagar industrial complex in Jajpur district of Orissa. The ghastly attack by the fascist BD-BJP government in Kalinga Nagar is carried out according to a premeditated plan to teach a lesson to the adivasis opposing the MNCs and the comprador capitalist companies.

The Kalinga Nagar killing has surpassed two such earlier blood-baths perpetrated by the BJD-BJP government of Naveen Patnaik-the Maikanch firing on tribals in December 2000 and the Raigarh firing. The killing of policeman only shows the righteous indignation of the tribals who are being continuously displaced from their *jal, jameen and jungle* by the rapacious comprador and imperialist exploiters. We hail the heroic, militant resistance put up by the adivasis against this exploitation and oppression braving massive cruel repression. The central government and the state governments of Orissa, Jharkhand and Chattisgarh and their mercenary police force, along with the central security forces, are acting as the henchmen of Tatas, Mittals, Jindals, Ruias and the MNCs and are prepared to unleash any number of blood-baths to allow the day-light loot and plunder of the mineral wealth of these states by these rapacious bloodhounds whose lust for wealth is insatiable.

The BJD government led by Naveen Patnaik is on a selling spree of the rich natural resources of Orissa-a state abundantly rich in minerals-to the

Indian Comprador Bureaucratic Bourgeoisie (CBB) and to the imperialists even as the vast majority of the people in the state, particularly adivasis, is groaning under miserable conditions with a record number of starvation deaths every year. 41 % of untapped bauxite, 68 % of chromite, 26 % of iron ore reserves and 20 % of manganese of Orissa's mineral resources are at put at the disposal of corporate giants like BHP Billiton (Australia and UK), Rio Tinto (UK), Alcan (Canada), POSCO (South Korea), Hindalco (Aditya Birla), Larsen and Toubro, Vedanta (UK). In the period of 1992-97 alone, around 1 lakh crores of foreign direct investment (FDI) came to exploit these natural resources. It has now signed another 43 MOUs for setting up steel plants with a total investment of Rs.1,18,000 crores. The South Korean Pohang Steel Company (POSCO) alone is investing around Rs. 51,000 crores for an integrated steel project at Paradip. The big mining projects will usurp 1,10,000 acres of fertile agricultural land, 10,000 acres of forest land and 50,000 acres of grazing land in the region of Raygada-Koraput-Kalahandi. Compensation to the people is a pittance and rehabilitation is a mirage and their land is sold away to the CBB and MNCs at throw-away prices.

The monstrous MNCs and Indian Compradors threaten the vast stretches of adivasi areas ranging from the Dandakaranya to Jharkhand. In Jharkhand, the Arjun Munda government recently signed 42 agreements in mining, steel and power. To set up these industries 60,000 acres of land has to be grabbed from tribal people. The Manoharpur area in West Singhbhum district is sold out to the steel tycoon, Lakshmi Mittal for setting up a 12 million tonne steel plant besides selling out vast areas to Tata Steel for its proposed 10 million tonne plant. The BJP government in Chattisgarh had signed deals worth Rs. 60,000 crores to exploit the mineral wealth of the state.

The Congress and the so-called Left parties who act as its bootlickers, the BJP and other parties, are shedding crocodile tears and showing mock-opposition to the killing of tribals in Kalinga Nagar while all these parties have been carrying out the same policies wherever they are in power. It is these very parties which had resorted to massive deployment of paramilitary and other armed forces in Jharkhand, Chattisgarh, AP, Bihar, West Bengal, Maharashtra, MP and elsewhere. They had unleashed several massacres by using not only the state's repressive forces but also various fascist gangs.

This is witnessed during the so-called *Salwa judum*, *Sendra* and such campaigns. The *Salwa Judum* fascist gangs had so far killed 100 adivasi people, raped over 40 women and destroyed about 50 villages. Around 20,000 people had to leave their homes because of this State-sponsored terror.

We appeal to the people of all walks of life to condemn the ongoing repression on Kalinga Nagar tribals' struggle and to firmly stand in support of their just and democratic demands. Our Central Committee also appeals to the Indian masses to support all the struggles of adivasi of this region where people are losing their livelihood due to massive industrialization and mining in the name of development which is only meant to fatten the exploiters like the big Comprador capitalists and the imperialist MNCs while emasculating and pauperizing the vast majority of the Indian people. We also warn the people to beware of the hypocrisy and mock-opposition of the various parliamentary parties to the massacre in Kalinga Nagar as all these traitors are birds of the same feather.

It is only through militant united struggle that we can stop the imperialist MNCs, the comprador capitalists and their loyal henchmen in the Central and state governments from looting our mineral land, water and mineral wealth. The adivasis of Orissa have a heroic tradition of militant resistance as witnessed in Gopalpur in Ganjam district where Tata Steel had to shelve its proposed 10 million tonne steel plant after massive protest by the people following the police firing in Sindhigan in 1997 which killed two women. Jharkhand government had to shelve its plans to set up the Koel Karo Hydel project due to the united militant resistance that took six lives in police firing in 2001. Our Central Committee extends its unequivocal and firm support to the struggle of the adivasis in Kalinga Nagar, in the various regions of Orissa, Jharkhand and Chattisgarh, as well as AP, MP, Maharashtra and other parts of India. We have immense confidence that the fighting spirit and determination of the Indian people and their militant united resistance will thwart the diabolic plans of the central and state governments to sell away the resources of our motherland to their imperialist mentors and the comprador capitalists.

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COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST) CENTRAL COMMITTEE

13,-1-2006

We Demand the Immediate and Unconditional Release of CPI (Maoist) Politburo Member, Comrade Narayan Sanyal (Bijoy), who is Undergoing Severe Mental Torture in the Hands of the Notorious SIB of AP!

On 28th of December, the SIB personnel from AP kidnapped 68-year-old comrade Bijoyda from Raipur city in Chattisgarh and illegally detained him for six days in their secret torture chambers in AP. In fact, the SIB had conspired to murder him just as they had done when they arrested comrades Shyam, Mahesh and Murali in Bangalore and several other revolutionaries in the past. However, they could not carry out their cherished aim due to the immediate and persistent protest by the civil rights organizations and democratic intellectuals who exposed the abduction immediately and demanded his release. Our CC appreciates the role played by the various democratic and civil rights organizations and individuals in immediately exposing and protesting against this abduction and illegal detention by the extra-Constitutional SIB whose hands are stained with the blood of hundreds of our comrades as well as innocent people in AP.

The lawless SIB goons have been inflicting mental torture and harassment of comrade Sanyal ever since his abduction without any concern regarding the age and health condition of the Maoist leader. They claimed to have arrested Comrade Sanyal only on 2nd January in Bhadrachalam bus stand in Khammam district and produced him in Kothagudem court on the 3rd. The DGP Swaranjit Sen and the Home Minister Jana Reddy shamelessly propagated the white lie that Sanyal was arrested in AP itself, that too, on the 2nd of January, even though he knew quite clearly that he was arrested on the 28th of December in Raipur.

Even after producing comrade Sanyal in the court, and not satisfied with the six days of illegal interrogation, the SIB has once again taken him

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for interrogation for another five days with the permission of the Court. Numerous cases have been filed against him in several states including the attack on Chadrababu Naidu's life in 2003, Jehanabad Operation jailbreak, Raid on Homeguard armoury in Giridih, Madhuban multiple raid, Killing of 24 CRPF personnel in DK, and so on. Despite his poor health no medical facilities are provided to him. We demand that the mental harassment and torture of comrade Sanyal by the AP SIB persecutors be stopped immediately and an enquiry be conducted into the abduction and illegal detention of comrade Sanyal by the AP police from 28th December-2nd January and to punish the concerned police officials who had violated the Constitutionally-guaranteed fundamental rights. We demand the immediate and unconditional release of comrade Sanyal and to stop foisting false cases on him.

We appeal to all the democratic organizations and individuals in the country to agitate for the release of this veteran leader of the CPI(Maoist) and the Indian revolution, for the scrapping of the false cases being foisted against him, for providing proper medical care during his stay in the jail, and for initiating action against the culprit officials responsible for his abduction and illegal detention. We also demand the immediate and unconditional release of other veteran leader of our Party, comrade Sushil Roy, and others lodged in the West Bengal jails by the fascist Left Front government led by the CPI(M).

We warn the leaders of the Congress, the BJP, and the CPI(M) that they have to bear the full consequences of the continued detention and harassment of the veteran leaders of our Party in AP, West Bengal, Bihar, Jharkhand and Chattisgarh.

Ganapathy
General Secretary
Central Committee (P)
Communist Party of India (Maoist)

COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA (MAOIST) CENTRAL COMMITTEE

18-1-2006

Condemn the Brutal Fascist Onslaught on the Revolutionary Movement by the Central and State Governments!

Observe Bharat Bandh on January 26th!!

Ever since the historic merger of the two main Maoist streams in India and the formation of the CPI(Maoist) in September 2004, the reactionary big comprador-feudal ruling classes of India, with the active support and advice of the US imperialist global terrorists, had unleashed a massive all-round offensive, with the military offensive as the chief component, against the people's war led by the new Party. Declaring that Naxalism is the principal threat in the country today and propagating that Maoists have established a Red Corridor or Compact Revolutionary Zone from Nepal to AP or even upto Kerala, the reactionary ruling classes have drawn up plans to drown the people's movements in rivers of blood.

The UPA government led by the Congress at the Centre and the state governments of AP, Bihar, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, Orissa, Maharashtra, West Bengal, MP, UP, Uttaranchal, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu etc., led by various comprador bourgeois-feudal parties including the revisionist parties, have launched joint operations and countrywide coordinated attacks under the Joint Operational Command. Two Joint Task Forces led by AP DGP and Jharkhand DGP were set up in September 2005. The Chief Ministers, Chief Secretaries, and DGPs of 13 states are meeting frequently to effectively implement this gory plan of enacting blood-bath in these states.

The ruling classes have been cherishing the fond dream of suppressing the rapidly advancing people's war in the country and the emerging alternative people's revolutionary political power in vast tracts of Dandakaranya (Chhattisgarh and Maharashtra), Jharkhand, AP, Bihar, Orissa and Madhya Pradesh and the spreading movement in West Bengal, Uttaranchal, UP and other states. The region stretching from Jharkhand to

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AP is strategically important for the Indian ruling classes and the imperialists as this region contains most of the minerals and forest wealth in the country. The new alternative power of the masses at the grass-roots which represents genuine democracy is, obviously, intolerable to the exploiters ruling our country whose so-called democracy is exposed as the rule of the corrupt, authoritarian, communal and fascist forces that bulge at the expense of the vast majority of the masses of our country. Hence the ruling classes have drawn up a complete plan to unleash a brutal reign of terror to pave the way for investments from the CBB and the MNCs in this vast mineral-rich region and to nip the growing revolutionary people's democratic power in the entire region.

The ruling classes have resorted to the age-old dual policy of carrot and stick i.e., reform and repression, to divide the people as well as to suppress them most cruelly. They have poured huge sums of money to win over a tiny section of the people in the areas of armed struggle, set up private armies on a big scale in almost all the states to eliminate revolutionaries and democratic individuals and create white terror, created covert agents and informers from the poorer sections through coercion and outright bribery, killed hundreds of people belonging to the Maoist Party or sympathetic to the revolution, arrested and tortured thousands of people, raped and molested women and destroyed the property of anyone suspected to have links with the revolutionaries.

And this onslaught has reached horrendous proportions in Dandakaranya region of Chattisgarh where over a hundred people had been killed, including 15 women, 2 minors, 9 old-aged persons, 35 women were raped, 1300 houses in 70 villages were burnt down, and property worth over Rs.3.5 crore was looted from the poor adivasis during the murderous campaign of *Salwa Judum* (so-called shanti yatra) since June last. Led by feudal gangster and the pet-dog of Marvari traders lobby, CBB and imperialists, Mahendra Karma; Ram Vichar Netam, the state Home Minister and police and central security forces are invading the hamlets of revolutionary masses of Bastar (Dantewada, Bastar and Kanker) and taking up mopping up (destroy all, loot all and kill all) campaigns. More than fifteen thousand people were forcefully displaced and forced to stay in the slavish like concentration-camps of the mercenary armed forces and local reactionary armed gangs.

The government, in order to cover up its heinous campaign, has launched a big false propaganda campaign claiming that *Salwa Judum* is a people's revolt against the armed hegemony and atrocities of the Naxalites. The media, particularly of Chhattisgarh, is trying to manufacture consent for this campaign of terror by spreading blatant lies and falsehood and willfully suppressing the truth.

In AP, state-sponsored terrorism became one of the chief means of suppressing the revolutionary movement from the time of Naidu's TDP government and even earlier. The lumpen gangs, which call themselves Nallamala Tigers, Narsa Cobras, Green Tigers, Kranti sena, Kakatiya Tigers, Palnadu Tigers, Nayeem gang, etc., were set up, equipped, and trained by the SIB. These gangs had brutally murdered several leaders of democratic organizations and family members of revolutionaries under the direction of the YSR fascist government.

In Jharkhand, the SP of East Sighbhum had openly declared the formation of *Sendra* against Naxalites in 2003 itself and 9 Maoists were killed in Lango village by the feudal goondas-police combine. In Giridih and Saranda area in West Singhbhum, the former Chief Minister of Jharkhand, Babulal Marandi, and his brother had organized several Gram Raksha Dals forcing Muslims to be in the forefront thereby making them scapegoats. However, their plans were shattered after the Bheluvaghati retaliation in Giridih. Nagarik Suraksha Samiti, Gram Suraksha Samiti and Shanti Sena are being formed in Jharkhand.

In Bihar, the massacres by private armies of the feudal forces, aided and abetted by the state, are well-known. *Ranaveer Sena, Lorik Sena, Brahmarshi Sena, Sunlight Sena* etc., were used extensively against the revolutionaries and the struggling masses. Although most of these *senas* were defeated by the people led by the Maoists, the state has been trying to revive Ranaveer Sena and others. In West Bengal, the campaign is conducted through Gana Suraksha samiti and the CPI(M)'s hoodlums; in Maharshtra through *Gaon Bandi* and so on.

Thus *Salwa Judum* and *sendra* are part of the bigger plan of plundering the entire region from Jharkhand to AP without hindrance by suppressing the Maoists. The police, para-military and army act as the henchmen of

POSCO, Tata, Jindal, Mittal, Ruia, World Bank and various imperialist powers and pounce on the revolutionary movement branding the Maoists and all those democratic forces struggling against their exploitation as "terrorists". This is but natural as in the past year alone, over Rs. 3,00,000 crores of MOUs were signed by these business houses and the imperialists in Jharkhand, Chattisgarh and Orissa alone. The massacre of 12 adivasis in Kalinga Nagar industrial area in Orissa on January 2nd shows the pre-hatched conspiracy of the imperialist-big business-bureaucrat-politician criminal combine to spread terror among the adivasis and subdue their protests. The ferocity of the white terror reflects the insatiable greed of the imperialist vultures and the big business houses for mineral and forest wealth.

The huge mining and extraction industries being set up by these houses, the hydel, irrigation and multi-purpose projects being built with the aid of the World Bank, the so-called social forestry in the adivasi areas do not lead to 'development' but 'destruction'. Destruction of the forests, pollution of the rivers and environment and the plunder of the vast mineral wealth of the country by the mining mafia—such is the result of the neo-liberal LPG policies pursued by the ruling classes in league with the imperialists, who leave no stone unturned to suppress the local adivasis and the revolutionaries to achieve their greedy ends. **Economic liberalization and globalization require fascist political repression.**

The people of our country face a clear choice — and that is not between so called peace and 'terrorism', but between the rule of this mafia led by the imperialists and that of the masses led by the Maoists. The lines are clearly being drawn; all must decide where they stand.

The CC, CPI(Maoist), calls upon the Party ranks, PLGA fighters and the people of the country to observe **general strike** (*Bandh*) on 26 January, to organize meetings, rallies and protest demonstrations, and take up massive propaganda campaign. They should thus demonstrate their strong opposition to the neo-liberal and repressive policies of the ruling classes and their unflinching support to the people's war led by the CPI(Maoist). We pledge to expand and advance the people's war to every corner of our country and defeat the enemy through intensification of the armed agrarian revolutionary war. All reactionaries are paper tigers; people are real heroes. People's war is invincible.

- Stop state and state-sponsored terror in the name of Salwa Judum in Dandakarnya!
- Fight to scrap the steel plants and mining industries in Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh and Orissa!
- Punish the police officials responsible for the Kalinga Nagar massacre! Hand back all lands snatched from the adivasis in the name of development!
- Stop all fake encounters, arrests, torture and harassment of Maoists and their sympathizers; disband armed private lumpen gangs illegally maintained by the governments and the political parties;
- Scrap all Black acts and stop infringement of the fundamental rights of citizens!
- Fight against the imperialist-dictated LPG policies that are ruining the lives of the masses!
- Fight for the Immediate and Unconditional Release of comrades Barun, Bijoy, Tapas and all political prisoners!

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5-2-2006

Stop the Sellout of Airports in the Name of Modernization! Condemn the Betrayal of CPI(M) and CPI!!

The long toyed idea of privatization of airports has been done just before the Davos meeting to please the imperialist masters. The yesteryears argument to privatization was with the pretext that these PSU units were loss-making units. These arguments became outdated. Now outright sale as policy matter of privatization is being done. The single mantra repeatedly chanted by the ruling classes is that there is not much capital to develop the infrastructure. As if developing the so-called infrastructure and its modernization is panacea of India's backwardness.

As part of the sale of all airports to private players- imperialists and CBB- immediately the Delhi and Mumbai Air ports were given to GMR-Fraport and GVK Industries. As it is true everywhere, with the privatization of the airports, future of the thousands of employees is at stake. It is natural that the employees rose in protest against the UPA government.

But within two days, CPM and CPI withdrew the strike that were leading it, and completely betrayed the employees and the interests of our country as it is doing everywhere. It is crystal clear that wherever privatization was done, it led to inevitable retrenchment. When did the imperialists and CBB stuck to the written agreements in the past? Could the so-called Committee constituted would review the privatization and annul the contracts? Simply impossible! It is the unity of the workers and their united militant struggle that have the power to solve their demands and to protect the interests of the country. This is an outright betrayal of the CPM and CPI. Keeping the impending West Bengal and Kerala elections, and duping the workers and the people, the CPM is posing as if it is opposing the policies of the UPA government. These revisionists, the agents of ruling classes and imperialists who themselves are implementing the LPG (Liberaliszation, Privatization and Globalisation) policies in the states where

they are ruling without any shame, and are posing themselves as protector of people's interest.

The privatization of airports is just one step in the long chain of sellout of strategic sectors by Indian ruling classes. It is the beginning and ultimately the strategic control over the skies will go into the hands of imperialists. And one after another all the strategic sectors will be in the hands of the imperialists enhancing the neo-colonial plunder, exploitation leading to more sinister and intensified political control.

Indian working class and all sections of the people should understand that as long as the revisionists and bourgeoisie parties lead the struggles, they are destined to be betrayed. As the imperialist grip increases more and more, through the nefarious LPG policies, struggles are bound to increase. Class struggle is bound to intensify. To lead these struggles to transform them into revolutionary ferment, working class and other revolutionary masses have to reject the bourgeoisie and revisionist leadership.

CPI(Maoist) is leading the people's war in vast areas of Andhra, Bihar, Jharkhand, Dandakaranya. Under its leadership the heroic fighters of PLGA are bringing nightmares to the Indian ruling classes. Koraput, Madhuban, Giridh and Jehanabad are shining examples in the history of Indian revolutionary movement. Joining the on going protracted people's war in many ways is the only way to the liberation of the Indian people.

8-2-2006

Oppose Indian Government's Capitulation to the US Imperialists!

Oppose Indian Government's Voting in Favour of the US Sponsored Resolution in IAEA Meeting!!

Indian People should Fight against the Shameless Surrender of the Indian Ruling Classes to the US Imperialism!!

Oppose the Bush Visit!!!

Indian government's voting in favour of the US and other imperialists' sponsored resolution in IAEA meeting on February 4th against Iran is disgraceful. The slavish Manmohan government has bent his back to lick the boots of US imperialists. This shameful and servile act was done in the "national interest"!! It seems the threats of Mulford that the result would be "devastating" on the Indo-US "strategic partnership" has worked. The Indian ruling classes, natural to its class nature, took the arm-twisting on the Iran Pipe line issue, and on the Indo-China joint ventures in Syria without any protest. The "strategic partnership" is nothing but strategic surrender to the US imperialists.

The history of Indian ruling classes- the comprador bourgeoisie and feudal classes- is the history of faithful serving of the imperialists. Since the beginning of 90's Indian ruling classes are more and more chaining India's polity and economy to the US imperialists' needs.

It is very obvious that the present threats and pressures on Iran, with the fig leaf of platitudes and pretexts are nothing but preparations for making Iran another Iraq. The "War on terrorism" is nothing but war on the oppressed nations and people. The pretext that Iraq was hoarding "weapons of mass destructions" turned out to be a complete hoax. But still the illegal, criminal and bloody war is continuing. Like wise on the Afghan nation the bloody war of US aggression is going on.

One of the weapons inspectors of IAEA, Hans Blinx, clearly revealed many a time and recently too that weapons inspection was just a pretext and preparation for the attack on Iraq. Same is being repeated. The IAEA's (a tool in the hand of nuclear haves of imperialists, particularly the US imperialists) inspections are nothing but a ruse to prepare the onslaught on Iran to control and to plunder enormous oil resources of the country.

The US and other imperialist countries that have the monopoly of nuclear weapons, whose capacity can destroy the whole world hundreds of times, have not any authority whatsoever to impose restrictions. This had been the argument of Indian ruling classes till Pokhran-II. Now after flexing its muscle as a nuclear power, it has joined the bandwagon of the imperialist clique to avert any possible nuclear possession by Iran. India has already surrendered its so called sovereignty by agreeing to inspect its nuclear sites for IAEA inspection (read US inspection). Having surrendered in such a brazen way, now by voting in favour of the US sponsored resolution it wants to follow the Indian way. Not much can be expected from these imperialists' running dogs.

The leftists, posing as anti-US imperialists are supporting the UPA government that is neck deep involved in "strategic partnership" with the US. These class collaborationists can peacefully co-exist "opposing" the US imperialism on one side and supporting the UPA government on the other. The rhetoric of these revisionists against US imperialism is nothing but hogwash.

Indian people and all oppressed nations and people should unite and fight against imperialism and its faithful running dogs, especially US imperialism, which is the no.1 enemy of the world people!!

In this context, Central Committee, CPI(Maoist) gives a fervent call to Indian people to staunchly oppose the impending Bush' visit, which is intended to augment its tightening grip over India, scheduled to be in the first week of March. Our party gives a call to all party committees and to PLGA to mobilize masses in a big way to protest international terrorist no.1, GW Bush's visit.

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12-2-2006

Condemn the Brutal Killing of Comrade Sridhar and Two Other Comrades in Nallamala Jungles

Central Committee, CPI (Maoist) condemns the brutal killing of comrade Sridhar alias Shivanna alias Eswaraiah along with two other comrades. The three were caught in Cuddapah district of Andhra Pradesh, taken to Nallamala jungles of Malakonda peta village of Racharla Mandal of Prakasam district and killed in cold blood on February 5th. These heinous killings were planned and executed by the notorious Special Investigation Bureau (SIB) of AP police.

The fakeness of this police claimed 'encounter' was exposed as Nallamalla zonal comrades called news channels during the day and informed that the AP police caught hold of the three comrades and torturing them. They even called the channels again in the evening, well before two hours of the declaration of the 'encounter' by the police, and said that their detained comrades' lives were in danger. TV9 (a Telugu news channel) clearly told about this fact in its bulletins.

Police have alleged that com. Sridhar was looking after the supply of arms, ammunitions, and communication sets. They also alleged that com. Sridhar is in link with Maoists in Bihar.

Our Central Committee calls upon people to oppose the ongoing counterrevolutionary campaign and support the people's war.

18-2-2006

Extend Active Support to the Countrywide Indefinite Strike of the Central Government Employees and Railway Workers!

Condemn the Arrogant Anti-Worker Attitude of the Imperialist Stooge Government of Manmohan Singh!

The Joint Action Council of the Confederation of Central Government Employees and Workers Coordination Committee that represent over 35 lakh workers and employees, have declared a countrywide indefinite strike from March 1st. The railway workers constitute an important component of the Joint Action Council and their strike comes 32 years after their historic strike in 1974 during the fascist regime of Indira Gandhi. They are compelled to take recourse to this measure when their repeated appeals to successive governments at the Centre to fulfill their just and democratic demands had drawn a cold and callous response. The central committee, CPI(Maoist), extends its unequivocal, whole-hearted and complete support to the proposed strike and calls upon all its Party units throughout the country to actively support the strike through all possible means. It calls upon the people to come out in support of the railway workers' strike and the strike by other Central government employees against the anti-people pro-imperialist policies of globalization, liberalization and privatization pursued by the Manmohan Singh government that have disastrous impact on all sections of the Indian people.

The proposed strike by the railway workers and other employees is entirely the making of the Congress-led UPA government at the Centre. It is due to the callous, anti-worker, pro-imperialist policies pursued by the UPA government led by the World Bank stooge Manmohan Singh that the workers are forced to go on strike. Acting upon the dictates of the World Bank and the imperialists, the earlier BJP-led NDA government and the present Congress-led UPA government had initiated a series of anti-working class measures such as refusal to constitute the 6th Pay Commission, drastic

reduction in the strength of the Central government employees and workers by 3% every year, not filling in the vacant posts and a virtual ban on recruitment, reducing the interest rates on GPF and EPF, and so on.

The anti-people measures of the successive governments at the Centre had reduced the strength of the railway workers from 18 lakhs to 14.5 lakhs and the Central government employees from 50 lakhs to 32 lakhs. This, in spite of the massive growth in the number of Mail and Express trains, Freight trains, and several new services, and massive increase in unemployment. The workers, through hard and overtime labour, had created record revenue of Rs. 10,000 crores. Since 1986, the successive governments in the Centre had been refusing to implement the Arbitration awards related to HRA, transport allowance, washing allowance, upgradation of account & audit staff, etc. While it is mandatory for the government to either accept the arbitration award or refer it to the Parliament, it had callously kept at least 30 arbitration awards pending since the past 6 years.

The workers had placed their just demands before the government as far back as 2003 itself. The government should have constituted the 6th Pay Commission in 2003 itself based on the recommendations of the 5th Pay Commission and the new scales of the 6th Pay Commission were to have come into implementation from 1-1-2006. However, the government had rejected the workers' demand to set up the 6th Pay Commission al these years. The informal announcement of the 6th Pay Commission by the Prime Minister recently is a mere eye wash as it is yet to announce the terms of reference and a time frame for announcement of interim relief.

Moreover, the government had initiated several anti-worker measures as mentioned above. While the DA was to have been merged with the Basic from 1-7-2002 it had merged it only from 1-4-2004. The government had also unilaterally decided to implement the HRA and CCA from 1-4-2004 instead of 1-1-2001. The workers are further enraged when the Finance Ministry led by the most loyal stooge of the World Bank and the imperialists, P. Chidambaram, scrapped all the posts that are lying vacant (rather deliberately kept vacant) for more than six months.

Hence, faced with no other alternative, the Joint Council of Action, in its meeting held on 15th January 2006, issued the final revised 20-point

charter of demands and served the strike notice on 7th February.

It is not the central government employees and railway workers alone who are bearing the brunt of the anti-people neo-liberal policies of the government. The entire working class, state government employees, peasantry, students, youth, intellectuals, women, dalits, adivasis and even the small and medium industrialists have become direct victims of these imperialist-dictated policies of the traitorous regime at the Centre. Hence it is only through broad-based united militant struggle by all the oppressed sections of the Indian people that we can stop this onslaught by the reactionary ruling classes that are hand in glove with imperialists.

The CC, CPI(Maoist), calls upon the central government employees and the railway workers to be prepared to courageously fight the fascist measures that the ruling classes would most likely initiate against the strike and to teach them a lesson by persisting in militant united struggle until all the demands are met. We also call upon the Party cadre, democratic organizations and parties, and the people of the entire country to render all out support to the proposed indefinite strike by the employees and workers and to disrupt any attempt by the government to run train services by force.

25-2-2006

Say "NO" to the Proposed Visit of World's No.1 Terrorist and Warmonger George W Bush to Our Country!

Let Us Teach Bush and the Comprador Manmohan Singh Government A Fitting Lesson through Massive Protests!!

George W. Bush, the No.1 International terrorist and the greatest enemy of the world people, has announced his plans to visit India in the month of March this year. The visit of this world's biggest rowdy to our country is only meant to further tighten the grip of the US Super Power over our country. The immediate aim of Bush's visit is to coerce the Indian comprador rulers to completely toe its line of isolating Iran, Syria, North Korea and other countries that have adopted an anti-US stance at least to a certain extent, and to win support for its blood-bath in Iraq and Afghanistan and for its war mongering policies all over the world. The Central Committee of CPI(Maoist) calls upon the people of our country to oppose the proposed visit of this international gangster and prevent his entry by all means at their disposal. We, on our part, will leave no stone unturned to stop this butcher of the world people from setting his foot on the soil of our great motherland.

Using the pretext of 9/11 attacks on the World Trade Centre and the Pentagon, this big bully, egged on by the oil lobby and the military-industrial complex in the US, had unleashed the bloodiest wars of this century by invading Afghanistan and Iraq and creating unending gory blood-baths. He has threatened to attack Iran, Syria, North Korea and several other countries in the world. He had openly supported the bloody terrorist attacks by the Israeli Zionist rulers against Palestinian civilians, massacring even women, children and the old-aged in so-called acts of retribution. He had fomented disturbances in Venezuela, Bolivia and other countries of Latin America. In the name of containing terrorism he had launched attacks on "targets" in other countries such as the missile strike in Damadola in the Bajur tribal region of Pakistan on January 13 this year that killed 13 civilians. He is openly blackmailing countries such as India as seen in the open threat by

David Mulford, the US Ambassador to India, on the 27th of January that India should vote against Iran in the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA). The Indian government is being pressurised to abandon its plans of investing in Syrian oil project jointly with China.

In the name of fighting Islamic terrorism and, duping the people by aggressively propagating CIA-fabricated lies, the US imperialists led by Bush had unleashed heinous attacks on the Muslim people all over the world. This global terrorist had either outlawed, or declared as terrorist, several Maoist Parties such as the CPN(M) in Nepal, CPP in the Philippines, CPI(Maoist) in India, and provided massive aid to the reactionary regimes in these countries to enact fascist repression on revolutionary and democratic movements. Such is the real aim behind the so-called war on terrorism led by Bush and other imperialist chieftains. To allow this blackmailer, arm-twister, rapacious plunderer, greatest liar and the principal enemy of the world people into our country will be a shame to the hundred crore plus Indian people.

It is only outright comprador agents like the Congress-led UPA, BJPled NDA, the TDP, AIADMK, etc., who kowtow before this big bully and willingly sell out the interests of the people. Prime Minister Manmohan Singh, has proved himself as the trusted agent of the US imperialists during his visit to the US last July when he assured his mentors in Washington that India will not pursue the proposed gas pipeline project from Iran to India. The US tightened its vice-like grip over the India by offering the so-called Indo-US nuclear deal under which the US will lift sanctions on dual-use technology trade with India provided India separates its civilian and military nuclear establishments. The deal is yet to be ratified by the US Congress and this is used as a bait to bring India in line with the US stand on Iran. The conditions agreed upon by the comprador Manmohan Singh government in the civilian-nuclear agreement is kept a guarded secret and is said to entail inspection by the IAEA, which is humiliating to the Indian people. The UPA government had also voted against Iran on September 24 last year in the IAEA in the most humiliating manner in accordance with the dictates of the US imperialists. In exchange for a few crumbs from Washington it is all set to repeat this humiliating act in the IAEA meet on 2nd February and push the issue to the UN Security Council that is responsible for creating the greatest insecurity in the world. The treacherous acts of these traitors in power should be opposed by the freedom-loving people of India tooth and nail.

Let us pledge our unflinching support to the heroic fighters of Iraq, Afghanistan and the Palestinian territories who are waging daily battles against the US imperialist marauders. Let us extend our support to the people of Iran, Syria, North Korea, Venezuela, Bolivia and in all countries that are threatened by the US imperialist aggressors. Let us extend our support to the people of Pakistan who are protesting the air strikes by the US imperialists in Bajur. Let us join the people of the entire world to oppose the wars of aggression unleashed by the US imperialists led by the world's No 1 criminal Bush and their acts of interference, bullying and subversion in other countries that undermine even their limited sovereignty.

The visit of Bush to India is only meant to be an exercise in arm-twisting and bullying our country and striking nefarious deals with the traitorous comprador UPA government which is ever ready to place the Indian people's interests most shamelessly at the feet of this blackmailing gangster. Let us unite all democratic and revolutionary forces in the country to oppose the proposed visit of the international gangster George W Bush to our country. Let us teach this head of the most blood-thirsty imperialist country in the world and his covert agents ruling our country a fitting lesson by organising massive protest rallies, road blockades, effigy burning and all forms of protest if at all he dares to visit our country against the wishes of the vast majority of the Indian people.

It is a great honour for our Party to have been blacklisted by this enemy of the world people - US imperialism - since it shows how our Party poses a serious threat to the interests of these gangsters in India. It places great responsibility on the shoulders of our Party to lead the vast masses of India against this monster that is fleecing the blood of the world people. We shall fight shoulder to shoulder with the oppressed people of India and the entire world against this monster of US imperialism, which, despite all its deadly arsenal and weapons of mass destruction is, after all, a 'colossus with feet of clay'. Like all reactionaries, it too, is a paper tiger when confronted with the might of the people.

26-2-2006

Racist Cartoons against Prophet Mohammed are
A Deliberate Conspiracy of the Imperialists
to Denigrate the Muslim Community!

The So-Called Crusaders of Free Press are Only Apologists of Neo-Colonialism!!

The Central committee, CPI(Maoist), condemns the publication of the racist cartoons caricaturing the holy symbol of the Muslim community-Prophet Mohammed-by the Western media which is nothing but a sinister design of the imperialists led by George Bush to create a so-called civilisational clash between what they portray as "archaic and medieval" Muslim culture and "Western values" that are supposed to promote democracy.

The publication of the racist cartoons caricaturing Prophet Mohammed, first by *Jyllands-Posten* of Denmark, and later by several papers in the West, is neither accidental nor has any relation to so-called freedom of speech and free press. It is not just the Right-wing section of the media and the rulers that have been chanting the mantra of freedom of speech but even the Liberals and some civil liberties activists of the West too joined the chorus overlooking the sinister designs of the imperialists.

The popular fury that is vent out on the streets across the world by the Muslim masses is not just the result of the cartoons though it served as a flash point. Imperialism led by the 21st century Hitler, George Bush, has been demonizing the Muslim symbols; launching wars of aggression on Islamic countries as in Afghanistan and Iraq; threatening to invade or destroy Iran, Syria, Libya etc.; and endorsing every act of terrorism perpetrated by the Israeli Zionist racist regime on the Palestinians and other Arab countries. The heartrending agony suffered by the Muslims ever since the brutal campaign unleashed by the imperialist marauders led by George Bush in the name of a permanent and global war against terror, using the 9/11

incidents as a pretext, is indescribable. The savage bombings, indiscriminate arrests, blood-chilling torture of the detainees, as revealed by the horrifying photos and videos of Abu Ghraib; the denial of legal and human rights to Muslim prisoners held without trial for almost five years by the criminal Bush administration in the concentration camp in Guantanamo Bay and the terrible conditions prevalent there as revealed by the latest report of the UN Commission on Human Rights which recommended its immediate closure; the repeated humiliation of the Muslim citizens through surveillance and interrogation in the US and European countries; derogatory acts such as trampling upon and even urinating upon the Muslim holy book of Koran; the portrayal of Muslims as villains and barbarians by numerous films, novels and the Western media: and several such racist acts have made the Muslims furious and alienated. No wonder, more and more Muslims are pushed into the fold of religious fundamentalism and are willingly volunteering to join the so-called terrorists thanks to the global terror unleashed by George Bush

Thus it is due to such historical and cultural factors, that the racist cartoons became the focal point for letting out the anger, disgust and agony felt by hundreds of millions of Muslims against the violence, oppression and exploitation perpetrated by the imperialists and their global corporations in their insatiable thirst for oil, rubber, diamonds and super profits.

The western media continues to sprinkle salt on the wound by republishing the controversial racist cartoons of the Danish press in several newspapers in France, the US, Australia and so on. The so-called liberals and advocates of free speech and free press maintain criminal silence at the repulsive, repugnant, brutal tortures inflicted by the mercenaries of Bush, Blair and Co in Abu Ghraib, Bagram, Guantanamo Bay, and in numerous concentration camps maintained by the US and its allies in Iraq, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Turkey and even within the US. Nor are they concerned about the massacres that are being perpetrated in Falluja, Baghdad, Samara, and so on. For them, tortures, massacres, rape of women, destruction of towns and houses by missile attacks, and inhuman economic sanctions causing deaths of millions of Muslim people, including women and children, never become issues. There is no outrage, no crying foul, no tears shed for the victims of such abuse and violence perpetrated by the world's so-called

democracies. The horrifying, blood-chilling photographs and videos from Abu Ghraib that would put even a Hitler to shame draw no protests or condemnation of the perpetrators of these crimes seated in the White Hose and Downing Street. Why wouldn't these self-styled champions of fundamental rights speak of the fundamental rights of prisoners in the torture chambers of Abu Ghraib and elsewhere? It is clear that the so-called freedom of speech and press is a sham and what these hypocrites and frauds, masked as liberals and democrats, mean is freedom for publishing overtly racist, anti-Muslim, provocative and derogatory literature while censoring the inhuman, savage and criminal deeds of imperialism led by butcher Bush.

The ruling regime in Denmark led by the Centre-Right coalition of Rasmussen, has racist constituents such as the rabidly anti-Islamic and anti-immigrant Danish People's Party and the Conservative People's Party. Obviously, it has allowed the publication of the cartoons with malafide intent to make the Muslims the scapegoats for the ills of the Danish society and to tighten the immigration laws to prevent the flow of more people from the Muslim world into their country. In fact, Rasmussen's coalition came to power with the slogan of tax freeze and strict restrictions on immigration. The racist face of this supposedly liberal regime in Denmark can also be seen from the fact that it has denied the Muslims the right to build mosques in Copenhagen or cemeteries in Denmark. It is with the same intent of whipping up anti-Muslim passions and thereby divert the people from the real issues confronting them that the ruling regimes in other imperialist countries too allowed the republication of the cartoons.

George Bush, as expected, defended the publication of the cartoons in the name of free press. This international terrorist who cares a damn for international public opinion, rejects the Geneva Convention as inapplicable to his soldiers found guilty of the worst war crimes in history, maintains prisoners without trial for years without end, derives vicarious pleasure as his mercenaries inflict cruel torture on hapless prisoners, considers the UN Commission's report regarding the conditions of 500-odd prisoners in the hell-hole of Guantanamo Bay as unacceptable, has become a crusader of freedom of expression and free press!!

The CC, CPI(Maoist), calls upon the people of India to fight shoulder to shoulder with their Muslim brethren against the sinister designs of the

imperialists led by George Bush to whip up racist, anti-Muslim sentiments, their attempts to portray Islam with terrorism and thereby achieve their aim of plundering the resources of the Islamic countries through wars of aggression. It is only by waging uncompromising war to wipe out the racist imperialist oppressors and plunderers from the world that genuine democracy, freedom, equality and self-respect of nations, religions and all communities can be protected.

26-2-2006

Vote against Iran is A Vote against National Sovereignty, independence and Inalienable Rights of Nations!

It is A Vote for Another US War of Aggression!

Fight against the UPA Government's Total

Sell-Out of Our Country's Interests to US Imperialism!

The Congress-led UPA government of Manmohan Singh has brought shame to the country by voting in favour of the US-sponsored Resolution against Iran in the Vienna meeting of the IAEA on February 4th. As this Resolution lays the basis for inhuman sanctions against Iran and a possible brutal war of aggression by the No.1 global terrorist George Bush, as had happened in the case of Iraq, India too becomes an accomplice in these crimes against humanity.

The Resolution, dressed up as an EU-3 draft of Germany, France and Britain, is actually a US-sponsored one that had been ratified by Russia and China in the meeting of the Big Five plus Germany in a meeting held in London a week before. Of the 35 member countries of IAEA, 27 succumbed to US pressure, five abstained from voting and only three—Cuba, Venezuela and Syria—voted against the resolution referring Iran to the UN Security Council if it does not suspend its uranium enrichment activities and unconditionally cooperate with the humiliating inspections by the IAEA. The Central Committee, CPI(Maoist) condemns this outright sell-out of the UPA government to the US blackmailers and regards it as an insult to the 104 crore people of India and the peace-loving people of the entire world.

How the Bush administration manipulated a majority vote is not hard to guess given its military and economic prowess and its political clout on the one hand, and the timidity, spinelessness and comprador, slavish attitude of the ruling classes of the Third World on the other. For instance, a few days before the crucial IAEA meeting, the US ambassador to New Delhi,

David Mulford, publicly warned that the India-US nuclear pact would "die" in the US Congress if India did not support the US against Iran.

Even without such open blackmailing, India's vote against Iran was on expected lines given the outright comprador character of the Indian ruling classes and the shift in their allegiance to the US after the collapse of the Soviet Union in the beginning of the 1990s. They had been pleading before US imperialism to recognize India as a regional power and grant it a permanent seat in the UN Security Council and assured that they will fulfill the US needs and protect its interests in the region. Since the 1990s, they had even moved closer to the Israeli Zionist regime to please the US. They attempted to provide refueling facilities to the US military aircraft during its first war of aggression but had to abandon it confronted by a wave of opposition from the people. In November last, Manmohan Singh government conducted the largest ever Indo-US air exercise in Kalaikunda air force base in the West Midnapore district of West Bengal with the US offering special status in the world nuclear regulatory order which will pave the way for US nuclear-power technology exports to India. It is scheming to sabotage the Iran-Pakistan-India gas pipeline as per US diktat, and has strengthened the pro-US lobby in the Cabinet by bringing in the US stooge, Murli Deora, as the Minister of Petroleum in the January 29 Cabinet expansion.

The Prime Minister, in his address to the country on February 17, defended his government's stand on Iran by asserting that India's security will be threatened by the proliferation of nuclear arms in its neighbourhood. Like the law of Manu dharma, which says that only Brahmins should recite the Vedas and the lower castes who dare defy this should have their tongues cut off, eyes blinded and so on, the Big Five Brahmins of the present-day world and their sycophants, Israel and India, consider all other countries only fit enough to be enslaved like the Shudras, and regard nuclear weapons as their sole monopoly.

In fact, it is the nuclear weapons in the hands of Israel—the "front paw of US imperialism" in West Asia—that poses the greatest threat to the stability and security of the countries and people of the region. Yet, not a word is said by Manmohan Singh or the Big Five about the Zionist expansionist Israeli regime—which is the sole possessor of nuclear weapons in the region, continues to occupy territories belonging to Syria, Egypt,

Jordan and Lebanon, bullies the Arab nations and conducts punitive raids on the Palestinian population. Such is the hypocrisy and double standards maintained by these self-acclaimed global gendarmes led by the biggest international terrorist George Bush. As witnessed in the case of Iraq, the Bush administration's real concern is not the alleged nuclear weapons programme of Iran which, it knows, is no threat whatsoever. It is only a ploy, like its big lie regarding Iraq's possession of WMD prior to its brutal aggression in March 2003, to establish the economic and strategic dominance of the US in the resource-rich region of West Asia. Both Russia and China, which have heavy stakes in Iran (with Russia building Iran's nuclear reactors and selling arms, and China obtaining 14 % of its oil needs from Iran) might oppose sanctions, but their appeasement of the US by passing the Resolution against Iran is a moral booster for the international terrorist and butcher Bush to unleash another war of aggression.

The BJP, a strong advocate of Indian expansionism with a genetic hatred for the Muslim nations and which has a primordial urge to wipe out Pakistan and other Islamic countries from the face of the earth if it could, has also naturally come out in support of the UPA's vote against Iran in spite of its smock-opposition to Mulford's humiliating remarks. The CPI, CPI(M) and other so-called Left parties have expressed "grave concern" at India's stand but are totally unprepared to take a tough stand in spite of the fact that Manmohan's government would come down like a pack of cards if the "Left" withdraws its support. In fact, it was Manmohan who, on the contrary, threatened the Left Front government in West Bengal last November that if it obstructed the Indo-US air exercises in West Midnapore, he would step down as Prime Minister and recommend President's Rule in West Bengal.

The Indo-US nuclear deal and India's growing military partnership with the US imperialists will take our country deeper into the Octopus-grip of US imperialism. The UPA government has placed the country's interests at the feet of the international terrorist George Bush. It has kept the nuclear deal it has entered into last July a guarded secret. Even eight former Ambassadors expressed their grave concern regarding the threat posed by the nuclear deal to the country's integrity. The Central Committee, CPI(Maoist), calls upon the people to wage resolute struggle to pressurize the UPA traitors in power to divulge the secret agreement made by

Manmohan Singh with the US last July and to reverse its stand supporting the US-sponsored Resolution against Iran. Let us unite to defend our motherland from interference, bullying, blackmailing and subordination by the US and other imperialists. It is only by establishing real people's democratic power that our country can stand up resolutely against the pressures of imperialism. Let us intensify the people's war to overthrow the country-selling compradors from power and establish a society free from all imperialist intervention.

1-3-2006

Communist Party of India (Maoist) Strongly Condemns the Imposition of Emergency in the Philippines

The Communist Party of India (Maoist) strongly condemns the imposition of Emergency in the Philippines by the US puppet government of President Arroyo. The government banned the rallies to be held on the 20th anniversary of the "people's power" and had arrested military officers, opposition leaders and have closed down all anti-Arroyo newspaper offices. More details are yet to come to light.

There has been months of mass unrest against the anti-people polices of the Arroyo government involving a large section of the people of the Philippines stretching from the parliamentary opposition at one end to the revolutionary forces of the country, including the National Democratic Front of Philippines (NDFP). This government acting as a stooge of the US has been systematically selling out the country to the imperialists and has even gone to the extent of inviting the US armed forces into the country. It has been bogged down in all sorts of corruption.

Not only that, even before the declaration of Emergency the government has been using vigilante forces to assassinate leaders of mass organisations and the trade unions. Over the last year or two about 50 of such leaders have been murdered by these killer forces. They have also been ruthlessly using the military against the peoples forces led by the CPP (Communist Party of the Philippines) and even against Moro nationality movement. In a recent action 16 Maoists were brutally killed by the military forces.

Our Party strongly condemns these actions and fully stands with the oppressed masses of the Philippines. The people of India stand shoulder to shoulder with the people of the Philippines in their struggle for justice, democracy and socialism. We demand the immediate lifting of the Emergency in the Philippines and strong punishment for those responsible for the assassination of the leaders of the mass organisations. The struggle

of the people of the Philippines is part of our common struggle against the common enemy of imperialism, particularly US imperialism. The people of India firmly unite with the people of the Philippines against their reactionary rulers.

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11-3-2006

Condemn the Brutal State-Sponsored Salwa Judum Terror Campaign against the Maoists and the Revolutionary Masses of Chhattisgarh!

Our Retaliation is Only against the Police-Paramilitary-Congress-BJP Gangster Combine that is Perpetrating Gory Massacres of Innocent Adivasis!!

On 28 February, in the attack by the people's militia and the PLGA led by CPI(Maoist), around 25 Salwa Judum activists were killed near Errabore village in Konta block of Dantewara district. The central and state governments, the police bosses, Mahendra Karma—the leader of the criminal gangsters carrying on brutal terror in the name of Salwa Judum—and the media unleashed a campaign that the Maoists had killed innocent adivasis. Unfortunately some civil rights organizations too fell prey to this false propaganda and had described the attack as an attack on innocent tribals without even conducting minimum investigation. Though there were two or three civilians among the dead for which we express our heartfelt regrets, our attack was targeted entirely against the Salwa Judum activists and the special police forces who have been running amok burning entire villages considered to be the strongholds of the Maoists, destroying houses and property of the activists of sangams, murdering the adivasis who are active in the revolutionary movement, raping women, forcing entire villages to be evacuated and organizing forced surrenders of the sangam members. In the preceding fortnight our heroic PLGA annihilated almost a dozen personnel of the notorious Naga Battalion and injured several more in various incidents in Dantewara district. None but the spokespersons of the exploiting classes can think that we, the real representatives of the adivasis and the oppressed people, can ever launch attacks on these very same people. We appeal to those genuine but misinformed sections to conduct investigation at the grassroots level and declare the truth to the world.

The irrefutable truth is that the so-called Salwa Judum campaign is not a campaign organized by the adivasis for peace, not a revolt against the Maoists, but a consciously organized terror campaign by the UPA government at the Centre and the BJP government in Chattisgarh and directly led by Chief Minister Raman Singh, Home Minister Ramvichar Netam and the ex-Congress Minister and opposition leader, Mahendra Karma. Eight Battalions of central forces are mustered along with a massive police force in the state to conduct this peace march. Ruias of Essar Steel, Tatas, Mittals and several comprador houses, big contractors and the feudal forces had poured in huge funds for the campaign. The worst type of anti-social lumpen elements, rapists and murderers who were punished in the people's courts, some tribal elders who had lost their traditional privileges due to the awakening of the adivasis, the big traders, and the people from the villages that fall outside the organizational influence of the Maoists have been mobilized in this brutal war against the adivasis in the interior villages that are the strongholds of the Maoists for over two decades.

The atrocities committed by these criminal gangs are indescribable. During the past nine months since June, when this state-sponsored terror campaign began, over 60 villages were burnt to ashes and 20,000 people were forced into the concentration camps maintained by the government in the name of relief camps. The plan is to create Vietnam-type strategic hamlets with a view to flush out the fish from water. At least 150 adivasis were murdered in the most brutal manner by the CRPF-Naga Force and the Salwa Judum gangs led by Mahendra karma. 50 women were raped. The media, which today cries foul when some Salwa Judum activists are killed by the Maoists, has maintained criminal silence when these savage acts were going on. We cite a few of these ghastly crimes committed by the Salwa Judum-police gangs. On August 28, Naga Jawans and Judum goondas cut the head of a 12-year-old boy in Aakva village. On September 2, they shot dead 10 people, including a 12-year-old boy, who were hiding in the jungle near Arial village 2km from Mirtul. On October 10, a 14-year-old boy, Barsa Sonu, was caught and shot dead after brutal torture in Paralnar village by the police. On October 3, they murdered Koval, president of Janathana Sarkar of Mankeli village, and abducted his 14-year-old son

Raju, whose whereabouts are still not known. Even more gruesome is the murder of two women in the village of Mukavelli. One of them was pregnant and the savage police-judum goondas, not content with killing them, tore open the womb of the woman and pulled out the foetus. A 1 1/2 –year-old baby nearby was also shot by Insas rifle. One Anganwadi worker, Soniya, was beaten up by the Naga Jawans, tied up with ropes and dragged to the police station. There are several such bizarre stories of police-judum atrocities. If in one village a young boy's head is chopped off and hanged on the door-post of his house, in another village the beheaded body of an old peasant is exhibited in the village centre, with a note warning that the same fate would befall those who do not surrender. Thus, anyone suspected of being a supporter of Naxalites or a Sangam member is brutally tortured, beaten and in many cases killed.

The Salwa Judum is thus a campaign of mass terror conducted with the aim of facilitating the plunder of the natural resources of Chhattisgarh by the big comprador business houses and the imperialist MNCs. It is a campaign aimed at smashing the organs of people's democratic power popularly known as Janathana Sarkar that have come into existence in hundreds of villages in Dandakaranya and to reestablish in their place the old oppressive institutions and the exploitation by the feudal forces, forest officials, bureaucrats, contractors and the police, which were uprooted by the Maoist **movement.** It is a campaign to create divisions among the adivasis and pit one section against the other, to create police informers among the adivasis as the cent percent support the Maoists enjoy among the adivasis has made it almost impossible for the police to undertake their suppression campaigns successfully until this day. To hide these real aims they are trying to paint this campaign as one led by the adivasis. Mahendra Karma and his gang are as much representative of adivasi aspirations as the neo-liberal Tony Blair and his gang for British labour. And, likewise, the Salwa Judum campaign is as much a campaign for peace as is the global campaign of terror unleashed by butcher Bush. Just as there are criminals, sadists and deliberate liars who aggressively support Bush's wars of aggression in the name of global peace, so are there criminals, sadists and liars who call this terror campaign of Salwa Judum a peace campaign.

The dubious role of the media controlled by the big financial barons, is exposed before the people by its criminal silence on the atrocities committed by the police-Judum goondas and concoction of lies that Salwa Judum is a 'spontaneous uprising' of the adivasis and about the alleged killings and abductions by the Maoists. The media personnel hold interviews with people in stage-managed shows arranged by the police (reminding us of the embedded journalists during US invasion and bombardment of Iraq) in the so-called relief camps and churn out stories against the Maoists day in day out. Depiction of such incidents that happened in Kotrapal and Taadimendry on June 18 and 19 last year as massacres by Maoists when hardly anyone was killed in these incidents will make even the master liar-Goebbels-turn in his grave.

The CC, CPI(Maoist) calls upon the democratic organizations and individuals and the entire oppressed people of the country to condemn the state-sponsored Salwa Judum terror campaign in Dantewara, Bastar and Kanker districts of Chattisgarh and to support the just resistance of adivasis masses. We call upon the people of these districts to resist the Salwa Judum goondas and the police and paramilitary who force them to participate in this terror campaign. We appeal to the media to investigate the facts and not rely on the lies and stories fabricated by the police, paramilitary and Raman Singh government that will only encourage and justify their brutal terror campaign. We warn once again that our retaliatory actions and defensive war will further intensify if the police, paramilitary and Salwa Judum goondas do not stop their mass terror. It is the central and state governments that are entirely responsible for the bloody consequences.

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22-5-2006

Reservation is A Right of the Oppressed Castes of India!

Beware of the Conspiracies of the Upper-Caste, Hindu
Chauvinist Forces in Whipping Up Sentiments
against Reservations!!

The announcement of 27% reservation in higher educational institutions to students belonging to backward castes has once again given rise to an anti-reservation agitation by the students belonging to the upper castes. For over a week, the Brahminical upper caste chauvinists and Hindu fundamentalist forces have been instigating and fuelling these protests with the connivance of the administration. The various parliamentary parties are also using these protests to outwit their rivals. The brutal lathi-charge on the agitating students by the police in Delhi and Mumbai on the first day of the agitation had inflamed the passions of the student community and brought a significant section of the student community into the agitation.

The CC, CPI(Maoist), while condemning the police high-handedness against the students, warns the students and the people at large to beware of the diabolic schemes and conspiracies of the upper-caste, Hindu chauvinist forces led by the BJP-RSS-VHP-Shiv Sena-Bajrang Dal as well as the Congress and other parties to divide the students by using the issue of reservation. It firmly upholds reservations to the economically and socially oppressed castes of the Indian society who had been denied their rightful share in the society for several centuries.

As usual, the anti-reservation pundits are dishing out typical elitist arguments such as: lowering of professional standards and qualities, denial of opportunities to students of merit, and so on if reservations for the Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST) and Other Backward Castes (OBC) are continued. They try to mystify the stark reality of how the obnoxious caste system and the caste-based oppression has divided the Indian people since the days of *Manu* and, instead, argue that it is the reservation policy that is dividing the society. The anti-reservationists are "generous" enough to show some lip sympathy for the downtrodden by

saying that they could be economically supported – but maintain that they should never be given place in institutes of higher education. For, these institutions had always been, and should be, the monopoly of a few uppercaste, Brahminical, Westward-looking elite. The multi-millionaire industrial and business tycoons, such as Tatas, Brilas, Ambanis, Narayan Murthys that is, the comprador bureaucratic bourgeoisie have also joined the band wagon of opposing the reservations for the downtrodden and backward sections of people and say that reservations would retard the present "progress" that India has been achieving. The democratic-sounding argument of merit is like the argument for a level-playing field between all countries as proposed by the World Bank-IMF-WTO and other imperialist powers.

Congress (I)-led government at the centre had announced the reservation policy statement a couple of months back with an eye on the assembly elections in Kerala, Tamil Nadu, West Bengal, etc. Two months had elapsed and the Cabinet has still not taken the decision to implement the policy immediately. Now it is trying to appease the upper-caste sections by saying that it would expand the number of seats in institutes of higher education to compensate for the reservation to OBCs. No bourgeois parliamentary party has come out officially against the reservations till date. But many are stealthily assisting the anti-reservation agitation, especially that of the medical students. The Director of AIIMS is directly encouraging the resident doctors to go on strike against reservations.

In India caste system is a fact and caste-based oppression is a reality. In the back drop of the existing conditions of social oppression and glaring inequalities, the demand for reservation in jobs and education is justified and democratic. The awfully meager, if not negligible, percentage of persons belonging to SC and ST who are employed in various central and state government jobs shows, that despite reservations, the oppressed castes are hardly represented in various government departments. Hence all sections of people cannot but support this just and democratic demand for reservation.

The upper-caste elite have the money power and political leverage to get into the elite institutions and merit actually plays a secondary role. There are numerous instances of brilliant people from the oppressed castes being denied seats in these elitist institutions and jobs at the higher levels by the well-entrenched upper-caste Brahminical establishment. Reservations are long overdue in these institutes of higher learning without which they would remain forever elitist institutions serving the interests of the comprador big

business and the imperialists.

The bourgeois parliamentary parties openly do not come out against reservation policy, but they all encourage the anti-reservation movement. The ruling classes always want to divide the people by fanning anti-reservation sentiments, anti-minority sentiments.

However, it should be borne in mind, that reservations alone will never solve the basic problems of the oppressed castes of India. The solution lies in the redistribution of land, wealth and other assets in favour of the poor and oppressed people, the majority of whom belong to the oppressed castes. And even more important, they should be able to exercise political power along with the oppressed people of all castes under the leadership of the working class.

The Central Committee, CPI(Maoist), appeals to the student community not to oppose reservations to backward castes and fall prey to the divisive tactics of ruling classes. We appeal to them to grasp the stark reality of social and economic inequalities and the conditions of downtrodden in our country, and not fall into the trap of misconceived arguments of "merit".

We also appeal to all democrats and progressive forces to expose the policies of the ruling classes to divide people by fanning anti-reservation sentiments.

- * Institutes of Higher Education cannot remain the monopoly of a tiny upper-caste elite forever!
- * Reservation is only a reform. Redistribution of land, wealth and other assets and the rightful share of the oppressed castes in the political power are essential for solving the basic problems of the oppressed!
- * Merit is a myth. It is money power and political leverage that open up the gates of the Institutes of Higher Education!
- * Redistribute all wealth and then do away with reservations!

29-7-2006

Hail the Heroic Martyrdom of AP Party Secretary Comrade Madhav and other Comrades in Nallamala! Intensify and Expand the People's War! Defeat the Brutal Enemy Offensive to Avenge the Death of the Martyrs!!

In the early hours of 23rd July the special police forces led by the anti-Naxal Greyhounds force, launched a massive attack on a camp of the AP State Committee and murdered eight comrades of our Party—CPI(Maoist) including the state secretary comrade Burra Chinnayya alias Madhav. The highly clandestine operation, planned at the highest level in Hyderabad by the fascist YSR government, was carried out by a huge force of around 800-1000 policemen based on precise information regarding the location of the camp from a Maoist who was arrested a few days earlier. The CC, CPI(Maoist) hails the martyrdom of comrades Madhay, Ramesh, Uday, Sushila, Shyamala, Sangita, Nagamani and another woman comrade who had laid down their lives in the course of the ongoing people's war for the establishment of a new democratic society by throwing out imperialism, feudalism and comprador bureaucrat capitalism from the soil of our country and for achieving socialism and communism. The CC conveys its condolence and shares the deep sorrow of the family members of the martyr comrades, the entire Party cadre and the people at large. It pledges to avenge the death of these comrades and fulfill their dreams of establishing a classless society.

As usual, these so-called Greyhounds indulged in the most cowardly act of murdering comrades after they were caught or injured in firing. Basing upon clear information and accompanied by informers, they surrounded the Maoist camp, situated between Palutla and Nekkanti in the Nallamala forest in Prakasham district, and fired indiscriminately on the Maoists in the early hours when the latter were deep in sleep. Those who were injured were tortured brutally and shot dead. And, what is even worse, the government deliberately delayed the shifting of the corpses from the spot

and, citing the silly pretext of inhospitable terrain, it tried to avoid handing over the dead bodies to the concerned families thereby deliberately allowing them to rot for almost three days. Their heinous plan was to avoid proper postmortem of the bodies and to burn them at the same spot without handing them to the families. Such is their fear of the masses turning up in thousands to have a glimpse of their beloved leaders and to perform the last rites.

It was only after a hue and cry was raised by the families of the martyrs as well as by several democratic organisations and individuals demanding that the government should hand over the bodies and after they moved the High Court that the government was compelled to comply with the Court order. But the AP government and its mercenary police force are so much scared by the revolutionary passions that the dead comrades would ignite among the masses that they blocked all roads leading to Mangapeta, stopped the vehicles and sent back people who were coming to the village on foot to have a last glimpse of the dead body of their leader. Despite these attempts by the police the people defied the prohibitory orders imposed by the police and rushed to have the last glimpse of their beloved leader.

The latest attack in Nallamala is part of the larger plan hatched by the YSR government from the beginning of 2005 with the objective of eliminating the state leadership in AP. Several comrades like comrade Yadanna, a member of the NTSZC, DC comrades Ramesh, Babanna, Sreenu, Ranjit, Sreekanth, Jagadeesh of NT, comrades Ravi, Mohan Raghu, Santosh of AP and several other commanders, fighters of PLGA and activists of mass organizations, along with many democratic intellectuals were murdered through cowardly methods in the year 2005. The offensive was further stepped up in the summer of 2006 by intensifying the combing operations, cordoning off the roads surrounding the Nallamala forest region and arresting anyone entering or leaving the area, building an extensive network of informers by recruiting surrendered Maoists and lumpen elements from the villages, attempting to convert those who are arrested into covert agents, using helicopters for survey and airdropping of the Greyhounds forces, and so on. Several comrades were murdered in Nallamala and adjoining regions in the past six months.

In April end nine comrades including the district committee secretary comrade Ganesh and DC member comrade Rammohan alias Naresh were

killed in the Seshachalam forest in Cuddapah. On June 16 comrade Matta Ravi Kumar alias Sridhar, a member of the AP state committee's secretariat, was murdered in the Pullalacheruvu forest along with three other comrades due to the betrayal by an arrested squad member. Two days later, comrade Suresh, a member of the district committee of Guntur, was arrested when he was going to the town for treatment and was brutally murdered. On June 28, eight comrades were shot dead in Mahboobnagar district. This bloody campaign was stepped up by the Congress government of YSR with specific instructions from the World Bank and the US imperialists as all these reactionaries know that it is only the Maoists who have the potential to lead the masses against the imperialist loot and exploitation. The CC pays its humble red homage to all these martyrs and conveys its condolences to the families of the martyrs.

Comrade Madhav hails from a poor peasant family and had joined the Party in 1980 when the armed agrarian revolutionary movement in north Telangana was surging ahead. He went to south Telangana in 1985 when the Party made plans to extend the movement to areas outside North Telangana. He was one of the founders of the movement in Mahboobnagar district. He became the district secretary in 1989 and later a member of the regional committee of south Telangana. He was elected to the state committee in the state conference in 2000 and became its secretary in August 2005 when comrade Ramakrishna was transferred from AP. Comrade Madhav has always been a down-to-earth organizer and won the love and affection of all comrades and the masses through his simplicity, hard work, comradely attitude towards one and all, fearlessness when confronted by the enemy, and constant encouragement that he gave to the cadres in times of extreme difficulties. Martyrdom of com Madhav is a great loss to the entire party and Indian revolution, particularly to the revolutionary movement in AP.

The CC, CPI(Maoist), calls upon the Party members to emulate the exemplary values set by comrade Madhav and to continue the struggle with greater steadfastness in order to defeat the fascist enemy offensive in AP by intensifying the people's war and massive mass political mobilizations. The enemy's dreams of smashing the movement in AP by killing the then secretary comrade Puli Anjanna in 1993 had failed miserably. Once again the enemy's plan to suppress the people's war through the brutal killing of

comrade Santosh Reddy (Mahesh), the secretary of APSC, in 1999 along with comrade Shyam and NT secretary comrade Murali, was foiled and the people's war had further spread to wider areas and other states. Let us prove once again that people's war cannot be suppressed by eliminating some leaders. New revolutionary successors will continue to emerge and take up the task of advancing the war. The CC assures the party and the masses in AP that it will strive by all possible means to intervene to defeat the enemy offensive and strengthen the movement in the state. The cowardly murder of leaders and cadres of the Party cannot stop the onward march of the people's war.

10-10-2006

Revoke the Death Sentence on Afzal Guru!

Death Sentence against Afzal is A Reaffirmation of the Indian State's War against the Kashmiri Freedom Fighters and Muslims!!

The Supreme Court had convicted Mohammad Afzal Guru and pronounced death sentence for the attack on the Parliament in December 2001 and the date for the execution is set for October 20. This is not only unjustified and inhuman but also betrays the anti-Muslim bias and hatred harboured by the Indian rulers. There was no fair trial and no direct evidence. The sentence was given basing on sheer circumstantial evidence. Death sentence against Afzal is not just a punishment given to an individual but a reaffirmation of the ongoing war by the fascist Indian state against the Kashmiri national liberation fighters and the entire Muslim community in India. The so-called of 'rule of law' cannot obfuscate this obvious fact.

One would not, of course, have expected anything less from the pro-Hindu, anti-Muslim fascist rulers of India. Whether they are in the guise of the BJP or Congress or any other parliamentary party, or in the form of the legislative, judiciary, executive, the police and other security forces, the bias against the Muslim community is crystal-clear. That is why, in the past several decades, not a single Hindu chauvinist terrorist has been awarded such a stringent punishment, no matter if he had burnt alive scores of Muslims, dalits, adivasis and women. No single police official had gone to the gallows for having massacred people going against every law and fundamental right incorporated in the Constitution of India. Mass murderers of the Muslims like Narendra Modi of the BJP or butchers of Sikhs like H K L Bhagath of the Congress are even adorned with titles of honour. Vajapayees andAdvanis should have been hanged for their crimes of inflaming communal passions by overseeing the demolition of Babari Masjid and causing death and destruction on an unprecedented scale in the country. The real terrorists, whether communal-fascist, or state-sponsored, roam scot-free as liberation fighters, revolutionaries and Muslim youth are killed every day by the state and state-sponsored gangs. Such is the real face of democracy in our country.

It is, in fact, the Parliament that has the greatest number of the top terrorists, gangsters, criminals and scamsters of our country. These criminal gangsters are in leading positions in every parliamentary party and they enter the Parliament and Assemblies, and this has now become a granted thing. There are scamsters who occupy the highest seats of power despite swindling hundreds of crores of people's heard-earned money through kickbacks and commissions. These traitors have no compunction in selling the motherland to the *videshi* masters for a few crumbs. Yet all these antinational, anti-people criminals continue to hold the lifelines of the country, posing a grave threat to the security of the country. The BJP, whose hands are stained with the blood of thousands of Muslim people, and whose bestiality and sadism was displayed in full colours during the Gujarat genocide, has been shamelessly clamouring loudly for the death sentence to be carried out without any leniency.

The state's security forces had committed indescribable atrocities in Kashmir since 1989. They had massacred over 80,000 Kashmiri people, tortured several thousand people, raped hundreds of Kashmiri Muslim women, and destroyed property of the Kashmiris and had not even spared Muslim masjids. Hundreds of people had just 'disappeared' without any trace. As Kashmir bleeds in agony, the state has decided to add salt to the festering wound by conspiring to send Afzal to the gallows. Not seeking clemency by Afzal shows the pride and the passion for freedom of the Kashmiri people. As long as the brutal oppression of the Kashmiris goes on, as long as youth are killed are abducted, women are raped, and the Muslim community is discriminated against leading to further alienation, attacks on parliament or assassination of the political leaders and cruel police officers and bureaucrats will continue unabated. Death sentences will only strengthen the resolve of the freedom fighters. More and more Kashmiri youth will be

inspired to step into the shoes of Afzal who will be identified as a martyr for the cause of Kashmir

Let us wage a massive people's movement not only to repeal the death sentence against Afzal, but also to withdraw all the security forces who are creating insecurity in Kashmir, punish all the officials responsible for the atrocities on the Kashmiri people and Muslims, repeal of all draconian laws, releasing all political detainees and those 'missing' persons who are in the illegal custody of the police, para-military and the armed forces. And, most important of all, we must build a powerful people's movement demanding self-determination to the Kashmiri nation.

11-10-2006

Release Central Committee Member of CPI (Maoist) Comrade Shobha and Two Other Comrades Immediately and Unconditionally!

Committee of CPI(Maoist), was arrested in Rourkela on October 7th, illegally detained for two days and subjected to severe physical and mental torture at the CRPF camp at Lathikata in Rourkela. Two other comrades, Sanjay alias Bijay Tudu and Rajan Rahul Munda, both members of PLGA, were also arrested along with comrade Shobha. All the three were arrested by the Orissa and Jharkhand police in a joint operation.

The CC, CPI(Maoist), demands the immediate release of these comrades as well as an enquiry into their illegal detention in the CRPF camp in violation of the fundamental rights guaranteed by the Constitution.

The illegal detention and the torture of comrades Shobha and others only shows how the so-called fundamental rights provided by the Indian Constitution only exist on paper. Comrade Shobha is a very senior member of our Party who has been in the forefront of the women's movement in Bihar and Jharkhand for several years. She has been a great inspiration to the adivasi women of Jharkhand, Orissa and North Chattisgarh who have been oppressed and suppressed for centuries. It is due to this active role of comrade Shobhadi in awakening the adivasi women and galvanizing them into united militant struggle that the exploiting classes in Jharkhand, Orissa, Chattisgarh had become unnerved and their police and para-military goons acted in coordination to arrest her and thereby to weaken the revolutionary women's movement in the country. The arrest of comrade Shobhadi cannot stop the onward march of the revolutionary women's movement in the country.

We call upon all Party members, PLGA fighters, members of all revolutionary mass organizations, revolutionary people's committees and

the entire masses of the country to organize protests and build a mass movement to secure the release of the CC member and leader of the revolutionary women's movement, comrade Shobhadi, and other two comrades immediately and unconditionally.

8-11-2006

Condemn the Death Sentence on Saddam Hussein by the US Occupiers and their Puppet Regime in Iraq!

George Bush — the No.1 Perpetrator of Crimes against Humanity — should be Hanged, not Saddam!!

On November 5th, the US occupiers and their puppet regime in Iraq had completed their farce of so-called judicial enquiry into Saddam Hussein's crimes when he was the head of state of Iraq and sentenced him to death on charges of his alleged role in the killing of 148 people in the Shia village of Dujail in 1982. Two others, a former military intelligence chief and a chief judge, too were sentenced to death while several others were given rigorous imprisonments. The timing of the judgement, coming as it is on the eve of the Congressional elections in the US, shows the deep-rooted conspiracy and the ulterior motives of the Bush administration. Having lost its credibility among the American people who had begun to question their government's continued occupation of Iraq and the debacles its occupation forces are facing, the Bush administration has used the death sentence as a bait to woo the voters

The sentences have no validity under any count as the entire judicial process had taken place under the direction of the US occupiers, three lawyers defending Saddam were brutally assassinated, two judges were changed and puppet officials were appointed as judges of the fake Tribunal. It is only the people of a country who have the right to punish its rulers and this can happen only after the US occupiers quit Iraq. Through this verdict, the Bush administration had also aimed at furthering the divide between the Shias and Kurds on the one side and the Sunnis on the other. It is unfortunate that Shia Muslims should hail the judgement that will benefit only the US occupiers. The Shia people have the right to punish Saddam but the first and foremost task before them is to throw out the US occupation forces from the soil of Iraq, build a sovereign Iraq and then to hold trial of all those responsible for killing innocent people.

If the killing of 148 people can be cited as an example for awarding death sentence, then how many times Bush should be hanged for killing over 6,50,000 civilians in Iraq since his invasion of that country in March 2003? And for his sadistic brutalities in Abu Ghraib, Guantanamo Bay and elsewhere? Virtually every US President at least since WWII could be hanged to death for the countless crimes they had committed in Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia, Nicaragua, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Dominican Republic, the Congo, Somalia and several other Third World countries. Killings in Dujail pale into insignificance before a My Lai massacre in Vietnam. And the daily bombardment of civilian localities by the Israeli Zionist forces in Gaza, West Bank and other Palestinian territories, usage of weapons of mass destruction on Lebanese territory and the genocide of the Palestinian people are the fittest case for sending Israeli dictators like Ariel Sharon to the gallows.

The war on Iraq is not for preventing Saddam from using the non-existent WMD but to grab its rich oil resources for satisfying the insatiable greed of the oil lobby and the military-industrial complex that Bush basically represents. People of Iraq—Sunnis, Shias, Kurds—should join ranks to throw out the foreign imperialist forces occupying their country. They should resolve their differences and reject the judgements delivered under colonial rulers. Acceptance of the US-dictated judgments would only mean legitimizing the colonial rule imposed by the US-British imperialists on the people of Iraq.

We call upon the people of India to condemn this fake verdict fabricated by the US imperialists led by George Bush and other imperialists. We call upon all sections of Indian people to condemn the ambiguous attitude of the UPA government which, in essence, means tacit support for the death sentence and US occupation. Let us unequivocally declare that no foreign power has the right to interfere in the judicial process of any country and that the death sentence on Saddam and others imposed by the imperialists is null and void in the eyes of the world people. Let us demand and fight for the hanging of Bush, Blair and other imperialists for their indescribable crimes against humanity, not sparing even children and old people.

1-12-2006

Support the Working Class Strike of 14th December against Imperialist-Dictated Industrial and Agricultural Policies of Central Government!

SeveralAll-India Trade Unions have given a call for All India Industrial Strike on December 14 to oppose the imperialist-dictated anti-people industrial policies as well as agricultural policies of the Central government. Ironically, the political leadership of these trade unions belongs to the very same parties like CPI and CPI(M), that are among the chief architects of these policies of the UPA government, and are notorious for betraying the workers struggles to the benefit of industrial managements. The CC, CPI(Maoist), calls upon workers, peasants and oppressed masses throughout the country to support the strike by the working class while exposing and opposing the revisionist and bourgeois reformist parties that are leading the trade unions.

The industrial policy of the UPA regime is part and parcel of the Liberalisation-Privatisation-Globalisation(LPG) policies of the imperialists unleashed by the rulers of our country about a decade and half ago. Be it the regime led by the Congress or the BJP, with or without the support of the CPI-CPM, these policies have played havoc with the working classes and the peasantry at large. Lakhs of workers have lost their jobs over the last decade and a half due to lock-outs, industrial closures, "golden handshakes," pro-capitalist labour laws and pro-management courts. The bourgeoning populace of the unemployed and underemployed find no hope of even eking out a livelihood, not to speak of decent jobs.

Central India, moreover, faces a relentless onslaught by multinationals and compradors to extract minerals and set up big steel and other plants, evicting a huge population of adivasis and even some non-adivasi people from their land, forests, water and socio-cultural environs. The moneybags from India and abroad have launched a rapacious scramble for the natural resources that belong to the sovereign people of the country.

Peasants, meanwhile, have been driven to suicide in thousands all over the countryside. Whether in developed Punjab or backward Bundelkhand or the heartland of Vidarbha and Telangana, the unprecedented tragedy that has gripped the producers of cash crops speaks volumes for the exportoriented thrust of the Agricultural Policy. As alarming as the increasing corporatisation of land are the recent attempts to acquire peasants' lands by hook or by crook to set up Special Economic Zones (SEZs) where not even the law of the land would apply. Ravaged through the decades by floods, drought, famine, and irrigation systems limited only to pockets, peasants are now increasingly neck deep in the agrarian crisis due to escalating input prices and stagnating prices of farm produce. Far from carrying out land reforms to uproot feudalism, the rulers of "modern" India are now amending ceiling laws to serve big landowners and business houses.

The call for All-India Industrial Strike on 14th December is part of the dual role of the CPI and CPI(M) which respond with token calls to the simmering discontent of workers while serving the imperialists and compradors like docile managers of their state. We oppose the fake communists of the CPI(M) and CPI leading the trade unions while supporting the demands raised by the trade unions under pressure from its broad membership.

Finally, we would like to issue an appeal on the occasion of the countrywide industrial strike to workers and peasants to forge links with the armed agrarian revolutionary movement led by the Communist Party of India (Maoist) in many parts of the country. It is only through overthrowing feudalism and imperialism through armed might can we build a just, free and self-reliant India and end the miseries of the millions toiling in factories and fields

5-12-2006

We Stand by Singur Peasants

Singur has turned into a battle ground against the fascist police force and CPI(M) goondas led by the self-proclaimed agent of the Tatas, Mr. Buddhadev Bhattacharya. Singur is bleeding with the defiant peasant masses putting up a brave resistance against forcible acquisition of their cultivable lands for Tata car factory. 'Land to the Tatas' has become the unabashed mantra of the Fascist hordes of the CPI(M) in West Bengal against the battle cry of the fighting Singur peasants: Not an inch of precious land be given over to the Tatas.

The CPI(Maoist) has not only been lending moral support to the Singur peasants, it has been directly leading and mobilizing the peasants for their just struggle from the very beginning. Fascist Buddha and his ilk along with a section of media are trying to create an illusion that the peasants of Singur with a dream of development via Tata motors are vying with each other to voluntarily donate lands. And they outsiders alone, they parrot, are creating a mess by opposing peace-loving Buddha police aided by CPM cadres in their great duty of handing over lands to the Tatas. Why then the pathological liars, the CPM bosses from Alimuddin street, in their desperation send thousands of armed police forces to Singur for forcibly fencing off many kilometres of land for the Tatas why do the armed police and CPI(M) goons ransack peasants' huts, destroy haystacks, molest women and brutally torture hundreds of peasants of Singur? Why did peasants of Singur drive away the Tata officials on day one itself when the Tata officials first landed in Singur? Why did the nervous Jvoti Bose have to tell the journalists that the concerned CPI(M) peasant leader of Singur was not available on that very first day to convince (read hoodwink) the agitating peasants? Why do the police go berserk, unleash a reign of terror in Singur and arrest so many peasants, mostly women and even children?

The Hitlers and mini-Hitlers of the CPI(M) determined to take over multi-cropped lands of the peasants for Tatas, Selims, Jindals, MNCs, etc.

as their licking-dogs are manufacturing false stories for public consumption. People are not fools to gulp such stories. When Singur peasants are bleeding for their just cause for their livelihood, for saving agriculture and environment from the invasion of the Indian big bourgeoisie Tata, American ambassador Mr. Mulford met Buddhadev to give him the go-ahead signal and accolades were heaped on the fascist Buddha by U.S. imperialism's ambassador. Rewards and rewards from top business houses, various chambers of commerce, World Bank officials, imperialist bosses, etc. for the CPM-led West Bengal government and its *babu* chief minister have not only turned them into hungry hyenas, they have also made them talk nonsense. Double standards, one for garnering votes, the other for serving imperialist masters and their native agents, the big bourgeoisie and landlords, are the hallmarks of this fascist CPI(M).

The whole country is like an active volcano. People at large are getting crushed by the loot and exploitation by multi-national companies, Indian comprador bourgeoisie, feudal landlords, usurers, World Bank, WTO, policies of destroying agricultural lands, anti-people privatisation, liberalisation, globalisation policy, etc. Ours is the revolutionary communist party and so it is our duty to rouse the masses, lead the masses and politicise them to destroy this system. We are mobilising workers, students, youth and intellectuals to not only lend moral support to the Singur peasants but to stand by them in their just struggle. This is the revolutionary Marxist tradition.

We firmly stand by Singur peasants' democratic struggle. We also appeal to all sections of people outside Singur to actively support the Singur peasants despite the fascist propaganda against so-called outsiders' intervention in Singur.

We also appeal to them to force the 'Left' government to stop encroaching upon peasants' lands for the Tatas in Singur, release all the arrested people immediately and to stop the reign of terror in Singur.

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Unite to Fight for the Withdrawal of the Tata Car Factory in Singur!

Fight Back the Brutal Attacks by the Social Fascists Led by Buddhadeb on the People of Singur at the Behest of the Tatas!!

CPI(M)'s hypocrisy, double-speak and its real fascist nature are revealed in naked colours before the Indian people when its government in West Bengal unleashed a brutal war on the people of Singur in who are protesting against fencing of the agricultural lands forcibly acquired from the peasants for the Tata Motors small car factory by the West Bengal Industrial Development Corporation. Around 1000 acres of prime agricultural land were acquired by the government from farmers and a fencing began to be constructed around the land after which it would be handed over to Tata Motors.

While Karats and Yechuris cry from rooftops against the Union government's policies of liberalization-privatization-globalization, their Party has made Bengal into a police state and Buddhadev has become the blue-eyed boy of the Tatas and the big corporate houses. The Left Front government in West Bengal is leaving no stone unturned to prove itself more loyal than the King by asssuring the Tatas that they can loot the state without any hindrance as long as the CPI(M)-led alliance is in power. The protests in Singherberi, Beraberi, Hasherberi and Gopalnagar of Singur block in the Hooghly district turned violent due to provocation by the khaki goons who resorted to lathicharge, teargassing, house-to-house searches and arrests. A 5,000-strong police force and Rapid Action Force were deployed to control the protesters thereby turning the entire block into a veritable battleground. The CC,CPI(Maoist) condemns this brutal attack on the people by the neorevisionist CPI(M) and their acquisition of farmland from the peasants for enriching the big corporate houses.

For keen observers of Indian history CPI(M)'s betrayal of people's aspirations and their suppression of people's movements comes as no surprise. Right from the time of their withdrawal of the glorious Telangana armed agrarian revolutionary struggle in 1951 these revisionists have been trying to dupe the people that they were committed to the democratic revolution and formed the CPI(M) in 1964 asserting that they would continue the revolutionary cause. After the outbreak of Naxalbari revolt under the leadership of Charu Majumdar in 1967 these neo-revisionists who shared power in the state government brutally suppressed the revolutionary upsurge massacring thousands of revolutionaries. They got bogged down in the parliament making occasional noises about people's issues while hobnobbing with the reactionary ruling classes and supporting them at every critical juncture. However, they are striving hard to project a progressive face by associating themselves in the people's movements against big projects in states other than West Bengal, actively sponsoring and participating in World Social Forum, Asian Social Forum and such programs, giving occasional bandh calls and organizing demonstration against the LPG policies of the Union government.

Today it is with the support of these social-fascists that the UPA government at the Centre is able to freely pass numerous anti-people laws. It is due to the support of the CPI(M) that the UPA government had become emboldened to accelerate the pace of neo-liberal reforms that had led to the huge flows of FDI and hot money into the stock markets, privatization of profitable PSUs, take-over of farmlands and displacement of people on a hitherto unheard of scale in the name of mining, irrigation and developmental projects, tax and other concessions to the tune of almost Rs. 1,70,000 crores to the MNCs, comprador big business houses by permitting the setting up of over 300 SEZs all over the country, permitting the big players and even imperialist firms in retail trade, and a host of such measures that are pushing the country into the neo-colonial fold of the imperialists and the people into greater misery.

While criticizing the takeover of farmland for setting up SEZs, the stalwarts of the CPI(M) and proven political brokers like Prakash Karat and Sitaram Yechuri are deafeningly silent when the same thing is done by their government led by Buddhadeb in West Bengal. In fact, Buddhadeb's

government had invited several MNCs and corporate houses from abroad to set up industries in so-called SEZs and infrastructure development projects. No wonder, the World Bank, ADB and other imperialist agencies are keen to disburse huge sums to the Left Front government as it can control social unrest better than other ruling class parties due to its solid control over the trade unions and its huge readily available cadre force which can be utilized to control the struggling people. It had assured the corporate houses that it would see through the West Bengal Land Reform Amendment Bill, 2006 to do away with land ceiling.

The CC, CPI(Maoist), calls upon the people to unite to scrap the Tata Motors project in Singur, oppose every move to acquire farmland from the peasants, and fight back the fascist suppression unleashed by Buddhadeb's CPI(M) government in West Bengal. It is high time for one and all to realize that there is no difference in essence between the reactionary bourgeois parties like the Congress and the so-called Left party like the CPI(M).

20-12-2006

US-India Nuclear Deal – Abject Surrender to US imperialism

The Indian government has obnoxiously cowered before U.S imperialism's diktats on nuclear deal with it. US imperialism will henceforth decide on India's nuclear research and experiments. The ignominious deal is in fact a well-crafted agreement penned by the U.S. administration binding on the supine Indian state for a backdoor compliance with the NPT obligations. The sell-out of national interests to US imperialism as a junior dwarf partner of the US with the ridiculous self patting on its own back as a recipient of recognition from Uncle Sam as a nuclear power, obviously not a member of Nuclear club, is rank betrayal by the Congress dispensation propped by the CPI (M). The 109-page Henry J Hyde United States-India Peaceful Atomic Energy Act of 2006 is laden with imperialist conditionalities, caveats and requirements agreeable to the US domination. By way of yearly certification by the US president, the Congressional approval each year for the so-called nuclear cooperation, the US made it binding on India to fall in line for nuclear fuel. Through this deal India has unabashedly accepted the bossing of the very powerful US agency National Nuclear Security administration that works closely with the US security agencies, the CIA and the NSA

The US Act imposed on an unpatriotic US lackey, the Indian state, compels it to toe the US design against Iran's nuclear programme. It also binds India to depend on nuclear supplies from the USA. Now the US President will determine if India has given credible plan to separate civil and military nuclear facilities. This imperialist Act not only extends the control on India by way of IAEA but more directly by the US super power. To add further insult, the Act directs the US Secretary of energy to intervene in the activities of the R & D scientists.

From the bear hug of Soviet social imperialism India has for many years now embraced US masters to get the country's economic and foreign policies, military strategy, etc. basically fitted with US imperialism's interests. The Indo-US summit statements of July 2005 and March 2006 kept under wraps the secret agreements. The Prime Minister Manmohan Singh like his predecessors has now taken shelter under brazen falsehoods that India's interests would not be compromised by accepting the nuclear deal with the USA. It is crystal clear that India will play America's game vis-à-vis gulf, south and central Asian problems, changing power equations in East Asia, energy question, open sea-lines and a host of geo-political issues. The US super power sees India as an ideal candidate to contain the mighty rise of capitalist China in Asia. The military treaties and the present nuclear deal with India enhance the power and threat of US imperialism in South Asia in particular. It is no coincidence that US under-secretary for state Nicholas Burns and US ambassador in India, David Mulford met Indian defence secretary Sekhar Dutt on the very day soon after the passage of the Bill by US law makers. Burns clearly told with pride that the military relationship with India would be pursued as a "separate ambition". Burns assured of US naval vessels to the Indian Navy and stated with all elation that "Military sales and technology transfer will help build a long term relationship" for the acceptance of nuclear deal by India. Indian Navy, Air Force and the whole of India armed forces will now be predominantly controlled by the US imperialism and its arms sellers.

The nuclear deal enforces on India shameful agreements with corporate houses dealing in nuclear supplies. American tycoons have been flying into India for sometime past. Already 225 US business representatives have poured into India with the US undersecretary for such dealing. Business houses like General Electric Energy, Nuclear Energy Institute, etc. will soon be grabbing the nuclear market in India. It is a shame for the Indian people for the sell-out and mortgage of India's interests to US imperialism.

Both the earlier NDA and the present CPM-propped UPA governments have been regularly holding discussions through Indo-US Joint Working Group on Counter-terrorism since 2000. This nuclear deal is the continuation of that US design with rhetoric against 'terrorism', a policy of eliminating anti-US forces. The so-called left led by the CPM is a part and parcel of

this US led conspiracy with occasional false roars. Like the hypocrite CPI (M) – that has long back sold itself to the imperialist masters in India – the BJP is also now playing the political gimmicks with posturing of anti US-India nuclear deal. All such parliamentary parties are actually serving US designs in various ways in India.

India is crisis ridden, more than one lakh peasants have been forced to commit suicide under debt burdens, crores of Indian people are going unfed, starvation deaths are increasing and unemployment is soaring by leaps and bounds. And the Indian government not only submits to the US pressure, it allows the US arms sellers and the giants of unclear suppliers to loot the country and her people.

The CPI (Maoist) firmly opposes such nuclear pact with US imperialism and calls upon all anti-imperialist forces to raise their voice of protests against it. It is the people's voice and militant movements that alone can force the Indian government to reject all such humiliating pacts with imperialist powers, particularly with US imperialism. Let us march together to fight against US imperialism and its agents in India.

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Let Us March Along the Path Shown by Kalinga Nagar Martyrs to Protect our Jal, Jungle and Zameen! Kick out the MNCs, Comprador Capitalists and Other Exploiters who are Displacing Lakhs of Adivasis from their Homes!!

On January 2, 2006, the Orissa police, acting upon orders from Tata Steel, pounced upon the adivasis who were protesting peacefully against the construction of a boundary wall for a proposed six-million tonne Tata Steel plant in Kalinga Nagar in Jajpur district and brutally murdered at least 12 adivasis. Even the bodies of the dead were mutilated by cutting off the limbs to create terror among the adivasis. By doing so, the comprador Tatas dreamt that the adivasi revolt could be suppressed forever. The Naveen Patnaik government, acting as the loyal stooge of the Tatas, the imperialist MNCs and other Indian corporate houses, assured them that it would deploy any amount of brute force to clear the path for looting the rich mineral wealth in the state. It signed MOUs with several comprador houses and imperialist companies for setting up mining and industrial projects in the state.

This inhuman attack and killing of adivasis drew huge protests throughout the adivasi belt in Orissa which continued for several months. The ghastly attack in KalingaNagar had united the adivasis not only of Orissa but also Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh and elsewhere. The movement against displacement of adivasis by the mining, industrial and so-called development projects, has gained momentum after Kalinga Nagar. The protests of adivasis against the signing of MOUs by the stooge governments in Jharkhand and Chattisgarh with the Mittals, Tatas, Ruias, and other comprador capitalists had stalled the work. Attempts by the Arjun Munda and Raman Singh governments to deploy huge police force and compel the adivasis to give their acceptance at gun-point, has only brought a bigger backlash. The myth of so-called voluntary consent of the people for these projects, which is actually obtained

with guns pointed at their heads, stands exposed before the people. Brute force had failed to cow down the people whose united resistance had in fact risen in direct proportion to the growing fascist repression.

Kalinga Nagar has thus become a symbol of heroic resistance against the mightiest in our society who, in spite of having the entire repressive force at their disposal, had failed to carry out their plunder of the mineral wealth of this vast hinterland at will. In Chhattisgarh, the ruling classes have been trying desperately to clear entire villages by carrying out the policy of "burn all, kill all, loot all" through their goonda-police nexus in the name of Salwa Judum. The heroic resistance of the people of Chattisgarh led by the CPIMaoist) had foiled their heinous plan to loot the mineral wealth of Chhattisgarh at will.

Let us observe the first anniversary of Kalinga Nagar uprising by pledging once again to continue our fight against the imperialist MNCs and comprador companies with greater resolve and determination.

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