

POLITICAL BUREAU

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Present: A. Hansen, Jenness, Lovell, Miah, Sheppard, Thomas

Visitors: Brown, Clark, Finkel, Hildebrand, Lyons, Morell,  
Seigle, Stapleton

Chair: Thomas

- AGENDA: 1. NSCAR Steering Committee  
2. Response to Situation in Indochina

1. NSCAR STEERING COMMITTEE

Miah reported on the recent National Steering Committee meeting of the National Student Coalition against Racism and building for the May 17 demonstration in Boston.

Discussion

2. RESPONSE TO SITUATION IN INDOCHINA

Jenness reported that President Ford's speech on April 10 raised the danger of U.S. troops being sent into South Vietnam under the cover of evacuating American and pro-American personnel.

Jenness proposed that the party do whatever is possible to make this question an aspect of the April 26 "Jobs for All" demonstration in Washington, D.C. Specifically, we should encourage NPAC nationally to issue a call urging antiwar activists to participate in this demonstration and raise the theme "No funds for war, no GIs to Vietnam!" NPAC will also be urged to have a leaflet on the march opposing the threat of U.S. intervention. Antiwar unionists should be encouraged to relate the war to jobs, and it is possible that some unions can be convinced to bring signs along this line.

The demand that no troops be sent into Vietnam and no more funds be allocated for the war will be a central feature of our campaign propaganda in this period.

Brown reported on the campus meetings that the YSA has initiated on Vietnam. The YSA units are being contacted to raise the idea of urging the participants in campus antiwar meetings to come to April 26. Information about transportation to D.C. should be available at these meetings. Areas who are not coming to Washington on April 26 are considering holding local actions.

Discussion

Motion: To approve the report.

Carried.

MEETING ADJOURNED