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For the information of Political Committee members

[Excerpts from Minutes of the PRT, Mexico Political Bureau meeting
January 12, 1978.]

TRANSLATION

International information report

"...Mina goes on to report on the formation of a group that says it is part of the Fourth International in the U.S., the Committee for the Construction of a Revolutionary Party in the USA. Recently one of the central leaders of this group visited Mexico and requested an interview with a leader of the PRT.

The group is led by people who have been expelled or have split from the organization the Fourth International recognizes as the revolutionary party in the U.S.: the Socialist Workers Party.

The Committee, according to the leader who talked to us, is asking the support of the PRT for several requests it is making of the Fourth International: most importantly, to be recognized as a group in the international, to be invited to the next world congress. However, they consider the SWP to be a centrist party and their position on unification with this party is ambiguous. Therefore, the PRT should refuse to support the Committee's requests and request information from the SWP about the character of this group and what recommendations they would make to us about relations we should establish with it. Of course, if the committee is in agreement, we can arrange an interchange of publications.

Motion: To approve Mina's proposal on relations with the Committee for the Construction of a Revolutionary Party in the U.S.

Vote: Unanimous.

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