

POLITICAL BUREAU MEETING No. 8, November 3, 1978

Present: Britton, Clark, Hawkins, Jenness, Lyons,
Sedwick, Seigle, Stone

Chair: Jenness

AGENDA: 1. Boston Tax Referendum
2. Iran
3. Women's Liberation Report
4. Tucson Organizing Committee

1. BOSTON TAX REFERENDUM

(Jon Britton, Schwarz, and Seidman invited for this point.)

Seigle reported on discussions with Boston comrades outlining recommendation of Political Bureau that they conduct an energetic campaign around our tax program for working people including advocating abstention on proposed amendment to Massachusetts constitution. (Report to be published in coming issue of the Party Organizer.)

Discussion

2. IRAN

(Baumann, Frankel, and Seidman invited for this point.)

Frankel reported.

Discussion

Motion: To approve the general line for campaign in our press, and to tie in with circulation campaign a special effort to get out the truth about the revolutionary upsurge.

Carried.

3. WOMEN'S LIBERATION REPORT

(Berman and Jaquith invited for this point.)

Lyons initiated discussion of draft report on our women's liberation work, which will be made available to membership nationally.

Discussion

Motion: To approve the draft of the women's liberation report.

Carried.

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4. TUCSON ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Jeness reported on recommendation of Rodríguez, the Southwest field organizer, and the comrades in the Tucson organizing committee, that since the organizing committee's perspective of transferring comrades to other cities has been nearly completed, the organizing committee be dissolved. Two at-large members will remain in Tucson.

Discussion

Motion: To concur with the recommendation that the Tucson organizing committee be dissolved.

Carried.

Meeting adjourned.