POLITICAL BUREAU

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Present: Barnes, Finkel, A. Hansen, Horowitz, Jenness, Lovell,

Sheppard, Thomas

Visitors: Camejo, J. Hansen, Lund, Ogden, Seigle, Stapleton,

Wattemaker

AGENDA: 1. Political Bureau Statement

2. Legal Suit

3. Sales and Subscription Projections

4. Representative to YSA Convention

1. POLITICAL BUREAU STATEMENT

J. Hansen reported on proposed statement on United Secretariat-OCI discussions.

Discussion

Motion: To approve the proposed statement.

Carried.

2. LEGAL SUIT

Stapleton reported on recent developments in suit against FBI surveillance of YSA convention.

Discussion :

Motion: To approve the report.

Carried.

3. SALES AND SUBSCRIPTION PROJECTIONS

Ogden reported on accomplishments of fall sales and subscription drive and proposed a spring subscription drive for The Militant and the ISR. The dates and target goals of the drive will be finalized after consultation with branch organizers in St. Iouis. It is also proposed that there be a spring sales drive in the range of the fall sales drive goal; the dates and goal will be finalized after consultation with the branch organizers.

Discussion

Motion: To approve the report.

Carried.

4. REPRESENTATIVE TO YSA CONVENTION

Motion: To appoint Sheppard to be the SWP representative to the YSA convention.

Carried.