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**Letter to Adolph Germer,  
Executive Secretary SPA, in Chicago  
from Fred Krafft,  
Member NEC SPA, in Ridgefield, NJ,  
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Adolph Germer,  
Exec. Secy.

My dear Comrade:

You ask me to wait a few days with the motion which I made to revoke the charter of Ohio. Let me say that I regret very much not to have made this motion several weeks ago, and especially so since reading the action of the "new" NEC. These fellows mean business and they proceed regardless of what we think about their actions, and it is high time to disregard their opinions in whatever we do, or contemplate to do. If the NEC deserves any censure in the entire controversy, it is because of its misplaced tolerance and hesitancy.

While you are "feeling out" the Ohio comrades, I must insist that you submit my motion. Matters can not become worse thereby. At the same time, believe me that I fully appreciate your suggestion but quick action becomes a duty.

Fraternally yours,

*Fred Krafft.*

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