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PEOPLE'S FRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE OCCUPIED ARABIAN GULF

General Political Statement on the Third Congress Held in Rakhyout from 9-19 June, 1971

With the entry of the great revolution of 9th June into its seventh year and during a period of fiercest armed People's war waged by our brave people amidst an atmosphere full of sweeping victories realised by the People's Liberation Army and People's militia over the forces of foreign occupation and their stooges of local reactionaries, the broad bases of the revolution held their third national congress during which they exercised with glittering success their great historical responsibilities towards criticising the previous stage of the struggle of our people and creating deep roots for the revolutionary operation at all levels and standards.

During the past six years of their fierce struggle against imperialism and reaction our people realised wonderful and successive victories, brought utter defeats to their enemies and foiled all their mean plans aimed at breaking the unity of the revolutionary masses and liquidating the positions of the armed revolution.

With the increase of these plans and conspiracies, the people's revolution was becoming increasingly firm, fierce and strong and recovering more positions from beneath the spears of occupation and puppet rule.

With the heightening barbaric and savage acts and expansion of the annihilation war launched by British imperialism against our people, this people was rallying further around its vanguard and leader of its struggle and increasing its hatred and wrath against the imperialists and reactionaries and its insistence to continue and expand the revolutionary war until final victory.

The imperialists and reactionaries are now pronouncing their last breaths under the blows of our brave people in the region of Dhofar. The hysterical acts and the whole insane methods branding the colonialist policy to confront the armed revolution in this region are the best proof for the major victories achieved by the struggle of our people and the major defeats befalling the colonialist and reactionary forces in this area. They are also the best proof that their end is approaching.

The year 1971 and the next few years will undoubtedly be decisive years with far-reaching effect on the history of our people and its bitter struggle against imperialism and its filthy conspiratorial plans.

The thinking of the working class, when mobilised in the broadest masses of the poor workers and peasants, will certainly topple down and foil all colonialist plans and designs, regimes and imperialist and puppet federations.

Stubborn and long armed people's struggle is the only way towards liberating the Gulf area from all forms of old and neo-colonialism and liquidating puppet regimes and classes of imperialism in the whole area.

Our people, who knew the correct way towards freedom and started their victorious procession on this long path since the dawn of 9th June, 1965, are determined to continue marching on this path until complete freedom.

The projects for imperialist federations, means of modernising decayed tribal regimes and the move for stupid reforms and rectifications resorted by imperialism for protecting its interests and the interests of its puppets and for diverting the wrathful masses of our people from their triumphant procession all these do not arouse except the mockery of our people coupled with revolutionary hatred and increasing determination to raise more guns and expand the scope of the war.

The third congress of the People's Front, with its resolutions and accomplishments, is undoubtedly a wonderful victory for the ambitions of our people and their broad hopes and a wide step on the path of their armed struggle against colonialism, reaction and defeat. Through this general information statement the third congress of the People's Front wants to demonstrate and affirm the following lines and commitments:-

AT NATIONAL LEVEL. *the*

1. The ~~People's~~ ^{Popular} Front for the Liberation of the Occupied Arabian Gulf, through its third congress ^{affirms} ~~abides by~~ the necessity of establishing a mass revolutionary party to lead the revolution through all stages of development guided by the fundamental and scientific theory, "Marxist-Leninist" for ~~the interest and aims~~ ^{which serves} ~~theory for serving~~ the interest and aims of the broadest toiling and poor masses in the society.

2. The third congress of the ~~People's~~ ^{Popular}

Front for the Liberation of the occupied Arabian Gulf affirms ~~and stresses~~ ^{the} that the central mission facing ^h current stage of development in the situation in the occupied Gulf area and the decisive answer to what is being weaved and taking place in the arena is to expand the scope of the mass armed struggle and to increase the number of guns.

3. The third congress of the People's Front for the Liberation of the Occupied Arabian Gulf affirms the ^{eed} ~~necessity~~ for serious and swift work to unite the fundamental nationalist groups in the area.

4. Emanating from the nature of prevailing objective circumstances coupled with the fundamental aims and ambitions of the revolution, the third congress ~~came out with~~ the following resolution:-

^{issued}
~~“RESOLUTION BY THE THIRD CONGRESS TO TRANSFER ALL LANDS IN THE LIBERATED RURAL AREAS INTO THE OWNERSHIP OF THE PEOPLE”~~

5. The third congress ~~resolved~~ ^{decreed definitive} the abolition of all ^{the} remains of slavery relations and ^{the} legal ban on ^{one} ownership by ^{the} man of another fellow man in all rural areas ~~and in final form.~~

6. The third congress ~~deems~~ ^{thinks is} it necessary to develop ways of administration ^{of the} of liberated areas by the revolution with the aim of realising a proper and organised procedure for solving the problems and difficulties of the masses and promoting the standard of organising their life socially, productively and politically and developing the standard of living in the rural areas. Therefore, the congress ^{decided on} ~~resolved~~ the formation of People's Councils in the whole liberated area of the region to shoulder these tasks with the cooperation and co-ordination of the ^{structures} ~~frames~~ and appropriate sources in the front.

^{the} **AT/ARAB LEVEL:-**

1. The third congress strongly deplors and condemns all imperialist and reaction-

ary conspirancies and plots aimed at liquidating the progressive revolutionary regime in the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen which is the symbol of the freedom, unity and progress of the Yemeni people—North and South—and ^{is the} firm backbone of the escalating liberation revolution in the entire Gulf and Arabian Peninsula.

2. The third congress affirms the necessity ^{of} developing and consolidating combative relations between the broad people's masses all over the Governorates of the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen and the revolution in the Gulf.

3. The third congress affirms the necessity and importance of consolidating and developing combative and comradeship relations at all levels between the two vanguard organisations, ^{Democratic} of the National Front and the ^{Popular} People's Front for the Liberation of the Occupied Arabian Gulf.

4. The third congress affirms the necessity for endeavouring and making an effective contribution in the coordination

and unity of progressive nationalist forces in the Arab arena, to work jointly for creating a united massive front from these forces and to come out with a unified working formula for facing the difficulties and crises of the Arab revolution and for confronting escalation of attacks and plans by Imperialism, Zionism and Arab reaction aiming at liquidating the positions of the Arab revolution ^{headed} topped by the revolution of the brave people of Palestine.

^{the} AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL:-

1. The third congress affirms the nature of genuine closer relations between the revolution of national democratic liberation in the Gulf and the international movement of national democratic revolution.

2. The third congress affirms the commitment of the popular revolution in the Gulf to back the struggle of all genuine national democratic movements and forces in the continents of revolutionary storm.

Asia, Africa and Latin America topped ^{headed} by the ^{vanguard} pioneer revolution in Vietnam and ⁱⁿ the entire peninsula of Indo-China.

3. The third congress affirms the backing and support of the people and revolution of the Gulf for the struggle of the Korean people against occupation and puppet regime in ~~the~~ ^{the} so-called "South Korea", for ^{the} liberation of this part of Korea and ^{the} realisation of the unity of the Korean homeland.

Long live national solidarity in the struggle against world imperialism and reaction headed by American Imperialism, the first common enemy of all nations.

Long live the victory of ^{motivated} ~~the long-term~~ people's war and long live the historical and glorious third congress.

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