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**GREETING MESSAGE OF THE CC OF KKE  
IN THE CONGRESS OF THE SACP**

Dear comrades,

On behalf of the CC of KKE we would like to express all the warmest comradely greetings and our solidarity with your struggle under these hard conditions. The firm fraternal bonds between KKE and the South African Communist Party are particularly important for us.

Your congress is held in a particularly difficult period for the working class all over the world. A serious crisis of capital over-accumulation, a capitalist economic crisis is in progress. It is characterized by synchronization both in the powerful capitalist powers such as the USA, the EU as well as in the rising powers such as Russia, Brazil etc. The cause of the crisis is the very main contradiction of capitalism, namely the contradiction between capital and labour.

This crisis causes new hardships for the workers who face the increase of unemployment, poverty and capitalist exploitation. At the same time it intensifies the competition between the capitalist powers over the control of the energy resources, the energy transport routes and the shares in the markets. It is demonstrated that the so-called multi-polar world, as many forces argue in order to conceal the essence of imperialism, is the world of the acute intra-imperialist contradictions and that it cannot bring peace and security for the people. As long as imperialism exists there cannot be any peace and security for the people.

Furthermore, in Africa develops an acute imperialist rivalry at economic, political and military level over the rich natural resources of the continent. The bourgeoisie and the multinational corporations exploit the labour and the surplus value of working class in African countries. They promote decisively measures for the exit from the crisis as well as other measures that deteriorate the working relations, restrict the social gains of the workers and the youth and wipe out the small and medium sized peasantry. The burdens of the crisis are placed on the people's shoulders while the African peoples face mass poverty, malnutrition, homelessness, the lack of healthcare, epidemics, AIDS and swine flu.

The bourgeois state constitutes a mechanism of repression of the working class by the capital irrespective of the geographic region and the level of capitalist development; it cannot be democratized and it must be demolished in order to pave the way for the workers' state power. It is also particularly important to reveal the misleading views about the "regulation", "rationalization" and "humanization" of capitalism which are spread by the capital, the bourgeois and opportunist political forces. These views attribute the causes of the crisis to neo-liberal management; in that way they whitewash capitalism and aid social democracy.

The economic crisis confirms the positions that communists promoted all these years. The issues of the workers' state power, the socialization of the means of production, the relevance of socialism appear more distinctly now. There can be no prosperity for the working class and the people unless the issue of power is solved through the overthrow of the bourgeoisie.

The experience of the international communist movement and our party shows that capitalism nowadays has developed further, monopolies have strengthened, capitalist production relations have expanded and reinforced while at the same time the working class has increased even in the less developed countries. The material conditions for the transition to socialism are now more mature than in the previous years. Under the conditions of imperialism there is no intermediate stage or state power between imperialism and socialism. The assimilation to the imperialist system and the imperialist unions sharpens the contradictions as well as the main contradiction and shows the way for its solution.

Nowadays it is particularly important to repel the new wave of state anticommunism -with the most recent example being the ban of the communist symbols in Poland- to defend the socialism of the 20<sup>th</sup> century as well as the identity and the revolutionary traditions of the communist movement.

The 18th Congress of KKE last February discussed and adopted a special resolution on Socialism, dwelled deeper into the conclusions from the socialist construction in the USSR and the causes that led to the prevalence of the counterrevolution. This decision enriches our programmatic perception on socialism and gives new impetus to the effective propagation and revival of the socialist perspective. Despite the shortcomings and deviations that led to the counterrevolution and the capitalist restoration, there is still a solid base that confirms the Marxist-Leninist theory and the revolutionary action. Socialism is based on the power of the working class and its alliance with the popular strata as well as on the social ownership of the basic, concentrated means of production, central planning and workers' control. Thus it responds to the contrived notions that propagate the alleged "socialism with a human face" or the so-called "socialism of the 21st century" that leave intact the capitalist property.

We will be delighted to receive opinions and comments from your party and other fraternal ones regarding our elaborations on socialism.

Today, in order for the communist parties to defend the principles of Marxism-Leninism, they need to develop an ideological front against the imperialist organizations, reveal their role and intensify the confrontation with them. It is necessary to expose the imperialist character of the EU as an interstate imperialist union of the capital and refute the mistaken perception that the EU is a counterweight to the US.

Dear comrades, a few months ago in Greece were held general elections that brought PASOK to government leading to an alternation of parties not of policy in favour of the working people. KKE fought a hard battle against the forces of the capital, the social-democratic and liberal management, and opportunism. It withstood although under conditions of economic crisis and electoral boost of social-democracy, while the labour movement has not yet proceeded to counterattack. The whole experience of the international communist movement and of our Party demonstrates that the firm opposition to social-democracy and opportunism, the confrontation with the yellow trade unionism within the labour movement that follows the path of consensus and "social partnership talks" contributes decisively to this resistance. Today it is necessary to develop a steady polemic against social-democracy and the opportunist ELP, a tool of mutation of the CP in Europe.

KKE will determinedly continue rallying social forces that struggle for another path of development totally opposed to the strategy of the monopolies. The fact that your party has undertaken the responsibility to host the International Meeting of Communist and Workers' Parties in South Africa is of great importance because this meeting is held in Africa for the first time. This confirms the global dimension of communists' meetings that began 11 years ago in Athens, an initiative taken by KKE, and can reinforce communists' intervention in the African continent.

Our Party supports actively and will continue to do so, all the initiatives promoting the cooperation and coordination between Communist and Workers' Parties at bilateral, regional and international level, as well as the strengthening of anti-imperialist movements and international anti-imperialist organizations.

Nevertheless, as long as the international communist movement remains organizationally and ideologically fragmented there will still be difficulties and the danger of further setbacks will increase, particularly under conditions of intensified capitalist crisis. We believe that nowadays is even more imperative the need for the distinctive presence of Communist and Workers' Parties; of communist forces committed to Marxism-Leninism and to the proletarian internationalism, actively working for the development of a single revolutionary strategy of the international communist movement. It is even more necessary now that the coordinated operation by the international imperialism and its institutions is exerting pressure on the communist parties to abandon their principles and the Marxist-Leninist ideology, to be diffused into opportunist groups of the so-called "new left", to assimilate the strategy of social-democracy and participate in the management of capitalism.

With these thoughts we wish you strength for your struggle and success in your 2nd Special National Congress.

The Central Committee of KKE





## PARTIDO COMUNISTA PORTUGUÊS

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**Message of greetings from the Portuguese Communist Party  
to the 12th Special Congress of the South African Communist Party  
Polokwane, 9th to 13th December 2009**

Dear comrades,

I would like to thank you for the invitation to attend the Twelfth Special Congress of the South African Communist Party. It is with great satisfaction that we convey to you, and through you, to all the SACP members, warm and fraternal greetings from the Portuguese Communist Party's Central Committee, as well as, the Portuguese communists' best wishes of success for your important Congress.

Your Congress is an event that will undoubtedly contribute to strengthen the SACP and its links with the working masses; to strengthen your capacity to respond to the complex problems which the South African people face; to strengthen a fundamental revolutionary force in the tri-partite alliance, and confirm this alliance as the great force of the South African workers and people, capable of carrying out the deep transformations inscribed in the National Democratic Revolution; a Congress that will reaffirm the SACP's leading role in the struggle for socialism as an alternative in South Africa.

Comrades,

We are living a complex moment in the evolution of the international situation, which confronts the Communists with new and demanding responsibilities.

Confronted with the deepening systemic structural crisis of capitalism, that exposes the profound contradictions and historical limits of the system, capitalism not just proves itself incapable of solving the profound inequalities and injustice that spread throughout the globe, as it is the root cause of those inequalities and that injustice.

Capitalism's response to its own crisis is a dangerous leap forward, that further exposes its criminal and oppressive nature: exploitation is being intensified; unemployment and the impoverishment of the people and working masses are increasing; historical rights and achievements of the workers are being destroyed; there is increased privatization and concentration of capital; attacks on democracy are being intensified, anti-communism is exacerbated and fascism is being white-washed; there are growing interferences in the internal affairs of other countries and there is more war; international relations are increasingly militarized, political and military blocs – such as NATO and the European Union as its European pillar – are being strengthened.

The present deteriorating world scene proves that capitalism is the denial of peoples' most fundamental needs; it is increasingly evident that capitalism is the destruction of the environment, a threat to peoples' sovereignty and to the independence of states, to peace and even to the survival of Humanity.

Africa, after the heroic struggles for national liberation by its peoples, which emancipated the Continent in the Twentieth Century, is once again under attack by neocolonialism. Neocolonialism aims to control and exploit vast, yet finite, natural resources, upon which the more developed economies are dependent. It threatens to strip the African Continent of resources that are fundamental to its economic development.

We are troubled by the continuous initiatives of the US, the European Union and the former colonial powers, that seek to increase their military presence in Africa; by the establishment of a single US military command for Africa (AFRICOM); by the recent NATO maneuvers in this continent; and by the growing presence of military forces and bases of NATO- or European Union-member countries, under the most diverse pretexts.

But, despite the enormous and serious dangers that confront us, we consider that the international situation also entails real possibilities of resistance and for progressive, and even revolutionary, developments.

We consider the existence and strengthening of Communist parties and their international cooperation - of which the International Meetings of Communist and Workers Parties are an important and valuable expression - as well as the strengthening and broadening of the anti-imperialist front, as key and decisive elements to invert the present course of the international situation and to create conditions to respond to the main anxieties and problems confronting the peoples all over the world.

Communists face the demanding task of mobilizing the workers and peoples for the struggle against exploitation, in defense of peoples' sovereignty and of peace, and in stating that the only possible and necessary alternative to capitalism and its crisis lies in socialism. Rest assured that you can count upon the PCP, in this demanding struggle.

Comrades,

In Portugal, following large mass struggles against the right-wing policies implemented by the Socialist Party government, we have emerged from an intense period of electoral battles where, under extremely difficult conditions of silencing by the media and discrimination, results were obtained that give us renewed confidence to continue the struggle: the Socialist Party lost its absolute majority and the PCP's position was strengthened.

We will pursue the struggle for a break with right-wing policies and to assert a patriotic left-wing alternative, based on the values of the April 1974 Revolution, and for an advanced democracy and the construction of a socialist society in our country.

We face major challenges in our immediate future: continuing to strengthen our Party and its bonds with the Portuguese workers; intensifying the dynamic of mass struggle in liaison with our institutional intervention; responding to our internationalist obligations and contributing to strengthen the cooperation and solidarity among Communist and other progressive forces.

Dear Comrades,

Expressing our will to pursue and further strengthen the ties of friendship and cooperation that unite our two parties, we reaffirm, once more, the warm greetings from the PCP to the SACP and wish you great success in the proceedings of this important Congress.

Long live to the 12th Special Congress of the SACP!

Long live the friendship between the PCP and the SACP!

Long live the friendship between the peoples of South Africa and Portugal!

The struggle continues! Amandla!

Lisbon, December 9, 2009

The Central Committee of the Portuguese Communist Party



São Paulo, 07 de dezembro de 2009

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Special National Congress  
South African Communist Party

Dear comrades,

On behalf of the Communist Party of Brazil, we are conveying the warm greetings to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Special National Congress of the South African Communist Party, to whom we wish every success.

Both of our parties and countries are in a process of intense approach, reflecting the friendship between the peoples of South Africa and Brazil.

At the Party level, we appreciate very much the broad possibilities of cooperation between the SACP and the PCdoB, at political and ideological level, as well as the exchange of working concrete experiences in the masses and institutional fronts, among others. These possibilities of cooperation swayed in our latest bilateral talks, may manifest themselves in the next period, as a fruit of desire and common understanding.

At the same time, we welcome with enthusiasm the growing approach between South Africa and Brazil. It was highly valued in our country that we have been the first nation outside Africa to receive the visit of Comrade Jacob Zuma as the new president of South Africa. At the same way, is of great importance and a paradigm of a renewed South-South cooperation, the alliance between our countries and India in the IBSA, a coalition of three large developing countries around a common agenda and the search for a new world order.

We have followed closely the evolution of the South African political frame and in particular the development of strategic and tactical thinking of your Party. Our countries are living new experiences, with the progressive government, under capitalism, with the communist's participation.

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We see with great interest the new possibilities for further substantial advances from the election of the president Jacob Zuma.

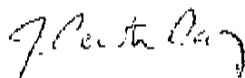
The Communist Party of Brazil has just made the 12<sup>th</sup> Congress, which had the honor of receiving a representation of you Party. The great merit of the Congress was the adoption of the new Socialist Program for Brazil, which updates and builds on perceptions of the Brazilian communists about the Brazilian path to socialism.

Next year, in 2010, the Brazilian communists, together with broad democratic, popular and patriotic forces of our nation, will face a major battle in order to win the presidential elections, conquering a third term for today's progressive forces who came to government with the election of President Lula in 2002.

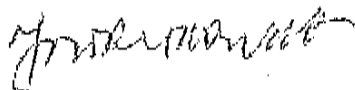
The maintenance of democratic and progressive forces ahead of the government of Brazil is beyond our own national tasks and will have major impact for the maintenance and development of progressive cycle in Latin America, increasingly challenged by imperialism and the forces of reaction.

Reiterating our best wishes for a complete successfully 2<sup>nd</sup> Special National Congress of the South African Communist Party, we reaffirm the friendship between the South African and Brazilian communists.

Fraternal greetings,



**Renato Rabelo**  
National President



**José Reinaldo Carvalho**  
International Relations Secretary

**pelo Comitê Central do Partido Comunista do Brasil**

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**ΑΝΟΡΘΩΤΙΚΟ ΚΟΜΜΑ ΕΡΓΑΖΟΜΕΝΟΥ ΛΑΟΥ**  
Κεντρική Επιτροπή

**SPECIAL NATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE SACP 9-13 DECEMBER 2009**

On behalf of AKEL – The Progressive Party of the Working People of Cyprus, we would like to extend our fraternal greetings to our comrades of the South African Communist Party and to all those present at its 12<sup>th</sup> National Congress. Together with messages of friendship and solidarity from the Cypriot people, we have the honour of sending you comradely greetings from the Central Committee of AKEL.

Dear comrades,

Humanity is witnessing during the last two years a global economic crisis that constitutes the clearest indication of the failure of the capitalist system and the neo-liberal policies that have been implemented during the last three decades on a global level.

The causes of the crisis have to do with the very nature of the capitalist system itself. This is a result of the inherent unjust and inhuman nature of this system where working people labour but only a few reap the benefits and accumulate wealth and profit. As Marx analyzed, the basic contradiction of capitalism is the social character of the production versus the individualization of the results of production by the oligarchy.

Although the working class is not in any case responsible for this crisis, they are now the ones that are called upon by the ruling classes to pay the price.

On the political level, the so-called New World Order continues to flagrantly violate the Constitutional Charter of the United Nations and impinge International Law. It continues to strive to sideline and use the UN in order to serve the selfish interests of the imperialist forces of the planet and multinational companies. The law of the powerful is being imposed by any means in the name allegedly of "exporting democracy". NATO is seeking to intervene in every corner of the world, violating International Law, through operations that are termed as "humanitarian interventions" in the name of combating terrorism. The attack of the USA and NATO against Afghanistan, Iraq, the Balkans, prove that world peace and security remain mere flamboyant declarations. In its attempt to project some kind of legal appearance, NATO is seeking to utilise the creation of programmes with glowing names, such as the "Partnership for Peace".

Of course, despite the inconsistency between words and deeds, the forces of conservatism and imperialism appear to remain very consistent on another issue: in their anti-communism propaganda. An intense incomprehensible attempt to equate communism and Nazism is underway, as if the irrefutable historical facts and political criteria do not nullify the philosophy, spirit and arguments of this effort.

Dear comrades,

Since we come from a country that has also been a victim of the imperialist conspiracies throughout its history. This year, 35 years have elapsed since Cyprus and its people remain divided as a result of the Turkish Invasion and occupation. In the past 19 months since his election, the current President of the Republic of Cyprus, comrade Dimitris Christofias is making an enormous effort for the reunification of our country and people through a just solution that will be based on the resolutions of the United Nations and that will be to the benefit of the Cypriot people as a whole, Greek Cypriots and Turkish Cypriots.

The direct talks between the leaders of the two communities began in September last year. The two leaders agreed, before the commencing of the negotiations, that they are aiming at a bi-zonal, bi-communal federal solution, with political equality as set out by the relevant UN Resolutions. It was clarified that reunified Cyprus will have a single sovereignty, a single international personality and a single citizenship.

In order to reach a solution, Turkey must abandon its current policy towards Cyprus and stop transferring settlers from Turkey to the occupied part of the island, give Varosia to its lawful owners in order to return back to their properties in this area as a Confidence Building Measure and adopt a constructive attitude that will help in the formulation of a just and viable solution to the Cyprus problem.

At this point we would like to thank you, on behalf of AKEL, for your Party's consistent and principled support to and solidarity with our Party, Cyprus and its people in our fight for our just cause, for the reunification of our people and our country. We are certain that you will continue to support actively the efforts for a solution of the Cyprus problem, as the solution of the Cyprus problem will be a significant contribution to peace in the region of the Eastern Mediterranean.

Dear comrades,

The world economic crisis has re-confirmed that the future of humanity cannot be capitalism, but socialism. The future of humanity cannot be a system that has as its primary goal the continuous concentration of wealth and the maximization of profit to the detriment of social needs.

As AKEL, we believe that the Communist forces, together with progressive, anti imperialistic and anti capitalistic forces around the world, must take more decisive steps to open up the socialist alternative path to our societies and the world. We need to convince people not just that capitalism is driving humanity into barbarism but also that socialism is the only possible alternative. In order to do

so, we have to reinforce our contacts with the working class and all the strata of the society that we are addressing. We have to convince them that our struggles are also their own struggles. We have to be out with them on the streets, in the factories, the trade unions, at the work place and anywhere else where we have to wage social or political struggles. We have to dialectically connect our struggle for socialism with our struggles to elaborate and project short-term solutions on major social issues such as unemployment, homelessness, the increase in the retirement rate, reduction of salaries and wages and the restriction of workers rights. We have to reinforce our struggles for saving the planet from environmental destruction. Marx and Engels, once again, are proved to be absolute correct when they wrote that capitalists are destroying the two basic resources of their wealth, humanity and nature. We have to unite our forces in the struggle against the unjust, aggressive, imperialist wars and strengthen our solidarity activities with all peoples and movements struggling for national independence, peace, freedom and social justice.

Comrades,

Unfortunately, we have to acknowledge that the impact by the dissolution of the Soviet Union and the socialist camp, still affect Communist and progressive forces in a negative way. Nevertheless, the Communist movement has already stood on its feet and is gradually becoming stronger. The developments in Latin America and the anti-imperialistic radicalization of many countries in this continent is one of the examples showing the possibilities we have as a Communist and left movement.

Though, it is obvious that our road still remains a difficult one, full of obstacles, however this remains the only road that can provide a positive perspective to the working class and humanity as a whole: the perspective of the emancipation of humanity; the perspective of socialism.

Thank you.

## **SUDANESE COMMUNIST PARTY**

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**Dec.1<sup>st</sup> 2009.**

Comrade Blade Nzimande,  
General Secretary,  
South African Communist Party.

**RE:12<sup>th</sup> Special National Congress of the SCAP**

Dear Comrade Nzimande,

On behalf of the Central Committee and the PB of the Sudanese Communist Party (SCP), we congratulate you on holding the 12<sup>th</sup> National Congress of the SCAP during the period 9-13<sup>th</sup> Dec 2009.

Our apologies that our representative will not be able to attend this important congress which builds on the deliberations of the September 2008 National Policy Conference. We have read the very important document presented to the conference that addresses many challenging issues of global, regional and national interest.

The strategic tasks confronting the SCAP and the SCP are huge and have certain similarities. We can learn from your struggle for working class hegemony, multiclass movement and your national democratic revolution.

As you have clearly stated Socialism is the Future. We should all work hard and relentlessly for this future.

Warmest Regards.

International Relations Bureau,  
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Speech of Greetings of the WPC at the 2<sup>nd</sup> National Congress of the SACP, December 10-13, 2009 Polokwane, South Africa,

delivered by Iraklis Tsavdaridis, Executive Secretary WPC

Dear comrades of the Presidium, dear comrades delegates of the Congress, dear guests and friends

It is with great pleasure to convey on behalf of the WPC the warmest militant peace greetings to the SACP and its congress delegates here in Polokwane. The World Peace Council, celebrating this year 60 years of struggle, is the only International anti-imperialist peace structure in the world, with more than 100 Member Organisations in 85 countries, is proud for having been always and unconditional on the side of the Liberation movement in South Africa, in the difficult times as well as today. The South African Communist Party, the Party of the late comrade Chris Hani, having been always the core of this movement, contributed decisively to the victorious struggle against colonial rule, Apartheid and imperialist interventions, which contributed also to the liberation of neighbour nations.

Being today here on African soil, we want to express our deep respect and solidarity to the peoples of Africa which are suffering since centuries from Slavery and Colonialism, plunder and exploitation by the powerful colonial and imperialist powers, later from Neo-colonial rule and dependence, having caused racism, misery, under-development and hunger all over the continent till today.

We want to express from this SACP congress our firm support and solidarity to the just causes of the African peoples, first of all to the Saharawi people and the Polissario Front, which are being deprived of their right to determine their own future. Western Sahara, today for more than 3 decades under Moroccan occupation, is an example for a poor and dignified people who are striving for its self-determination and freedom through a free and democratic referendum. We want particularly to express our solidarity with the brave Saharawi heroine Aminetou Haydar, who is for 24 days now on hunger strike in the Spanish Canary islands, after having been hijacked and deported by the Moroccan authorities with the complicity of the Spanish government.

The suffering of the African peoples in centuries till today is an unending list. The South African people and the SACP have their own brave and glorious experience in struggling against the repressive regimes and the oligarchy which were always fully backed by the imperialist forces. We are following closely the struggle you are carrying out today in new conditions against the same enemies, with new contradictions and challenges.

Africa is marked by conflicts, but this is exactly what imperialism needs to advance its policies, taking advantage of existing ones or creating new ones,

interfering supposedly to resolve them and maintaining thus its domination through so-called peace keeping troops of American or European origin.

For the implementation of its strategic goals the military presence is of important nature. Thus the USA wants to shift their "African Command" (AFRICOM) from Germany to Africa itself. The recent visit of the US President Obama to the lands of his ancestors had this, amongst others, as its plan.

Another instrument is the powerful millionaire NGOs, which are contributing to the creation of the ground where the military intervention of the EU, NATO or the USA is being "required". Particularly the increasing military presence of the EU in Africa (for example with the recent EU mission "Atlanta" in Somalia) is making it more obvious what the objective and nature of the EU is about: to defend by all means the interests of the Multinational corporations and of the powerful countries of the EU.

The WPC stated clearly in its last year's Assembly in Caracas, Venezuela, that there cannot be any illusion that the ones that are responsible for the ongoing plunder, under-development and poverty of African peoples will contribute to the solutions of these problems, through donors' conferences and "partnership" programs. The neo-colonial and imperialist domination will not end unless the peoples' struggles will bring them to an end.

According to UN data, one billion people are scourged by hunger, while two billion live under the lowest poverty threshold. At the same time, according to SIPRI data, in 2008, in the midst of the International economic crisis the military spending marked a new record, reaching the astronomical sum of 1, 46 trillion dollars, almost half of them spent by the USA.

It is obvious that today the imperialist machinery is trying to create illusions amongst the peoples by means of clever, well-designed propaganda to the effect that supposedly the strategy of imperialism has changed. The objective is to create complacency and to divide the worldwide anti-imperialist movement, with adoption of the view that imperialism can become humane. It is harmful and dangerous for such views to prevail. Likewise dangerous and dirty is the propaganda and rewriting of history by the imperialists as we were able to observe with the "celebrations" for the 20 years of the fall of the "Berlin Wall". It is not only a falsification of the truth and the service the socialist GDR had to peace and security in Europe and its internationalist solidarity with dozens of peoples, but it is also the hypocrisy and double moral of the ones who construct, support and tolerate the separation wall in Palestine, the wall in the US-Mexican borders, the wall in occupied Western Sahara or occupied Cyprus, from which thousands of peoples are dying and suffering every day. About those walls the majority of the media never report.

Dear comrades

Imperialist aggressiveness is growing day by day. The US administration of the Peace Prize Nobelism Obama already announced 30.000 more troops for the war and occupation of Afghanistan and is pushing its partners in NATO and other willing allies to do likewise. We call upon all the peoples and the peace loving forces to stay alerted and vigilant, to unite our voices and efforts against the common enemy, against wars and occupation, for a just world order of peace and justice without imperialist domination and threats.

Lastly we want once again to express our fraternal greetings to the SACP, a party with glorious history and contribution to the revolutionary movement in Africa and internationally, which is continuing today on the path of defending workers and people's rights, standing firm on the road of the necessity of building socialism as the only alternative to capitalism.

A Luta continual!