

## A/synechia

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### 1st CONFERENCE

There is a perspective!  
Struggling against the New Order,  
Constructing the Communist Organization in Greece!

Communication to all the revolutionary, anti-imperialist and communist forces

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The left-wing and communist movement in our country

We are living in one country where the left-wing and communist movement has a great tradition, and it is tied with the broad masses of the people with bonds of blood and struggle. This movement railed at cruel dictatorships and bourgeois governments, resisted heroically the hordes of nazis, fought courageously the british “liberators”, struggled against the US-led military junta. This movement rose up every time and in every place, where the enemies of the people tried to bring it to its knees: at the concentration camps, in the exile, in front of the firing squads, in the martial courts, during the persecutions and the tortures. From where this movement drew the force and the endurance to face all those situations? From the broad masses, from the underdog of Greece, with whom it was one. The communist movement in Greece supported and served the interests of the people with sacrifice and self-denial, linked its fate with the fate and the life of the broad popular masses. And, in return, the greek people gave its best sons and daughters in the struggle for a radical change of the society.

## Revisionism and liquidation

But what was not achieved through the repression and the terror by the various armed to the teeth imperialists and reactionaries, i.e. the liquidation of the communist movement, has been “achieved” by those who found themselves in its leadership and capitulated in front of the imperialists and of the the struggle’s difficulties. All those spread the poison of the submission and of the compromise. The last episode of this process was represented in international level by Gorbachev and the typical reddition to the West. But this course started decades ago, during the ‘50s and the ‘60s. During all this period, in Greece and all over the world, the revisionists squandered and wasted the heritage of the struggles. They became disreputable for their kowtows in front of bourgeois and even reactionary forces, their duplicity and sell-outs, their support for the bourgeois “order” and “legality” every time that they were in danger because of the people’s uprisings.

But it was again from the interior of the communist movement that rose up the forces who resisted against the liquidation. Thousands and thousands of greek communists didn’t accept this process. From the interior of the prisons and in the exile camps in Greece, as well as in the countries where thousands of militants were living as refugees after the military defeat of the revolutionary struggle, started the fight against revisionism. The rich experience (positive and negative) of the resistance against revisionism, reddition and liquidation, is of great importance for the new generations which are trying to give a new birth to the communist movement in our country.

## About A/synechia

The political organization A/synechia is inspired by all those struggles of our people and of the greek communists. We honour those struggles, and it is exactly because of this that we are not disposed to give them away to those who blot and dishonour them since the ‘50s and up today. The roots of A/synechia are in those struggles, and we are trying to define our actual position based on them. The political and ideological physiognomy of A/synechia has been defined by communists who served the people during their whole life, many of them as cadres and militants of the Communist Party of Greece (KKE) until the ‘50s, by communists who actively participated in the struggle during the military junta and the following years of “democratic” regime, up today. A/synechia counts on militants of today who didn’t lost their memory, on workers of the hand and of the mind, on young people and toilers. We are addressing our effort to those people, we defend their rights and at the same time we construct the communist organization in our

There is a perspective!

This is the message that we address to the working people and the youth of Greece. To open this perspective today, when the imperialist New Order seems so powerful and the

correlation of forces between the capital and the labour seems overwhelming in favour of the capital, we must:

- \* construct a unity of thought, will and action around the basic problems concerning the humanity
- \* exploit creatively all the tools and heritages of the revolutionary marxism, in order to interpret the modern world and the way that Greece is placed in it
- \* reverse the process of backwardness imposed by revisionism to the communist v movement, contribute to the construction of the communist program of our times
- \* draw up our forces in the struggle for the repulse of the biggest enemy, the New Order of the imperialist directorate, and bring into life the International Community of the Peoples.

A/synechia is actually marching towards its 1st Conference and, through this process, addresses the message of hope and struggle to thousands and thousands of toilers and young people. During the previous years we undertook concrete steps in this direction. Among others we can mention:

- \* the construction of the Union of the Working People (a broad front of workers inspired by the general line of A/synechia, actually active in several working places all over Greece)
- \* the construction of the Left Mass Formations of the Youth (a front organization regrouping high school, technical college and university students in many cities)
- \* the publication of the journal "Aristera!" ("Left!") and of the theoretic-politic revue "A/synechia"
- \* the opening of "Cultural Centres" in the three main cities of Greece (Athens, Thessaloniki and Patras)
- \* the organization of important meetings, debates, campaigns, demonstrations all over Greece and the active intervention of A/synechia in all the struggles of the working people and of the youth in our country.

Dear Comrades,

The 1st Conference of A/synechia is the most important procedure undertaken up today by our organization, in the course for the reconstruction of the communist movement in our country. For us and for all the left-wing people who are implicated in this process, it is important to further develop our internationalist bonds on a base of mutual respect and equity, in order to advance the coordination of our common struggle. In this context, we ask from all the consistent revolutionary forces, with which we have developed fraternal relations during all those years, to express their solidarity with our effort during this crucial period.

We decided that it is not possible to cover the financial cost of the invitation of delegations from the Parties, Organizations, Coordinations and Fronts with which we maintain and

develop bilateral or multilateral relations. But it is essential to receive messages addressed to our Conference. Thus, we ask from you to send messages of greetings and solidarity (on paper, video or audio tapes, or any other means that you consider appropriate). In case that you have the possibility to send a video-recorded message, it would be interesting to include images from struggles developed in your country, from mobilizations, etc. In this way, there will be presented during the opening of the Conference a panorama of the struggles all over the world. Anyway, if you have video material, even not elaborated, we ask from you to send it with your message. We can record the translation of your message and display it on the background of your video.

The 1st Conference will take place in May 1998. Exact place and dates will be communicated later. We would like to receive your messages by the end of March, so we can prepare their presentation to the Conference in the best way. You are requested to send your messages (in english, french, italian, german or spanish language) to the following address:

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We thank you in advance for your solidarity.

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