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Comrade Provash Ghosh, General Secretary, SUCI(C), is addressing the vast gathering of the open session of 3rd Party Congress at G-Town Club Ground in Jamshedpur on 26 November 2018. Seated on the dais are Comrades Mubinu Haider Chowdhury, General Secretary, Socialist Party of Bangladesh (Marxist), Ranjit Dhar, Manik Mukherjee and Asit Bhattacharyya, all Polit Bureau members, and Comrades K Radhakrishna and Satyawan, both Central Committee members.

Not farce and deception of bourgeois vote politics

Road to emancipation lies in accomplishing anti-capitalist revolution

Call of the 3rd Party Congress of SUCI (C)

It was beyond their anticipation. So they — the police, the administration, the media — simply took it to ignore it. They thought that the innumerable posters, decorative wall writings, the artistically designed flexes at various important junctions of the streets were only propaganda of an otherwise insignificant event. But once the 40,000 odd torchbearers of revolution steeped in revolutionary discipline from 23 states including the host state of Jharkhand, began assembling at the G-town ground, the venue of the open session on 26 November 2018 in culmination of the five –day long of the 3rd Party Congress of the SUCI(Communist), everyone in the industrial city of Jamshedpur was awestruck! Like gushing waves they marched to G-town club maidan from various junctions. From Sakchi Ambagan, from Tatanagar Railway Station, from Adityapur Railway Station the processions marched towards the maidan. Rallying from nearby and far-off states, carrying red flags, Party banners, the participants fermented in revolutionary spirit and committed to the cause of the people, the makers of history, raised slogans of revolution, offered tribute and Red Salute to the great leaders and teachers Marx-Engels-Lenin-Stalin-Mao Zedong-Shibdas Ghosh. In their firm treads, one could hear the muffled step of history changing its rhythm into prescient beats of a gathering current. A tide had arisen amidst despair and disgust and the harbingers of new age were treading along

towards the triumphant arch of mankind.

Politics, the people is made to believe for sure, is a profession of sheer opportunists and greedy sort who make their own fortunes by deceiving the people, pilfering and cornering what is legitimately due to the people, folding hands before the election and then baring teeth and claws once saddled in power; the typical group marked by their roughness, rogueness, rowdism, arrogance, muscle-flexing, power-mongering, peddling in falsehood, double-dealing, self-seeking, scruplelessness, dishonesty and utter corrupt character. But who were these people marching boldly to the G-Town G round of the city with grit, determination and firm resolve writ large on their faces? Are they all political workers? Then what kind of politics is epitomised in them? People wondered! The very essence, the very kernel of the noble ideology-politics they carried in them were resplendent in their attitude and conduct which bore glory to them. The entire city could witness the living demonstration of what Comrade Shibdas Ghosh, the Marxist thinker and their leader, teacher and guide instilled in them—nobler feelings of heart spurs on to revolutionary politics. “The pain and sorrow of the entire society together with the revolutionary transformation they underwent in the realm of values made such a penetrating impact that they have become steeled in their resolve to make revolution a concrete reality.” So, when the thoroughly

degenerated bourgeois politics pulls the political careerists and avaricious lot with the lure of wealth, name, fame and other material benefits, genuine revolutionary politics beckons with its higher ideological mooring, its higher human essence and values and above all, with the appeal to discover the real import and fulfilment of life in the noblest existence as a revolutionary by discharging social obligation in conformity with the law of social development. Bourgeois politics in dying capitalism preaches self-aggrandizement by using power-politics as tool and riding roughshod on all that is human and humane while proletarian revolutionary politics calls for becoming man worth the name by changing the self through an all-embracing relentless struggle and attain a truly dignified and honoured life on the edifice of higher ethical-cultural base. So, when bourgeois politicians hold meetings or rallies to petty political interest of enjoining pelf and power, those turn out to be either a sickening show of mud-slitting, chaos, indiscipline and disorder or a fair where people come with a mood of excursion. In contrast, a rally or meeting of the legions of revolution, the revolutionary fervour and solemnity impart an altogether different character to the human assembly that sparks the heart of the oppressed millions who find their yearning and cherishment vivid before them. While the bourgeois politicians derive

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pleasure from brag and bluster of their position or status in the polity, revolutionary politics occupies a place of stature among the masses as the prosody of realization of their aspired emancipation.

Past the arches built up to welcome them, the partisans of today, the soldiers of tomorrow who thronged the Jamshedpur ground comprised factory workers, peasants, agricultural workers, students, unemployed youth, daily wage earners, mothers with toddlers and children, white collar employees, intellectuals, professors, teachers, engineers, lawyers, doctors, nursing personnel and all other sections of the people. Their heart reverberated with the call of the great leader of the proletariat to live with honour and to die with honour and there is only one sure way to do it is to take active part in revolutionary transformation of the society. Supreme in all matters in revolution is this cognizance of honourable life which has been rousing people and gradually turning the tide, generating a storm that makes the crushing chariot of capitalism roll in the reverse down the precipitous path of defeat to be ultimately overthrown. The participants of the processions also were distributing leaflets of the 3rd Party Congress to each and every beholder and passer-by and they all received them courteously. People watched in wonder the fervour of a political procession, so strange yet so close to their heart, it was their demands the processionists are raising, it was their pain the processionists were bearing, they felt one with them, an irresistible attraction rose in their heart.

Cultivation of genuine revolutionary politics does send shudders down the spine of the ruling class. So the ruling Indian monopolists are also mortally afraid at the surge of the forces of revolution imbued with Comrade Shibdas Ghosh Thought. The ruling class and its servitors had long identified its mortal danger and came down heavily on the SUCI(Communist) in every possible way. Despite creating all kinds of hindrances starting from ignoring and ridiculing the Party at the outset to mounting one after another attacks including physical assaults and murders, dangling carrot of carving out a space in the corridor of power, preventing representation in the legislature and total blackout in the media, the SUCI(Communist) is now a force of reckoning all over India that has been combating bourgeois onslaught on every sphere of life by spearheading class and mass struggles along right track and relentless cultivation of higher proletarian ethics and culture. This battle is extremely difficult, painstaking but with Comrade Shibdas Ghosh Thought providing the beacon, the path is illumined. It only calls for treading that path with yet more vigour, courage and revolutionary purposiveness. That was the objective of holding the 3rd Party Congress. The Open session also bore mark of that.

As the processions streamed on the ground, people too accompanied them. Many took seats along with the marchers and countless of them were seen to build almost a human wall on the three sides of the overbrimmed ground. In front stood the high platform announcing the 3rd Party Congress of the SUCI(Communist) called by the



Flow of the Party activists, supporters and sympathisers on the streets of Jamshedpur on 26 November 2018

Central Committee. Revolutionary songs were rendered and slogans raised from there. On the dais were seated Comrade Provash Ghosh, General Secretary, SUCI(C), Comrade Mubinu Haider Chowdhury, General Secretary, Bangladesh Samajtantrik Dal (Marxist), Comrade Ranjit Dhar, Comrade Manik Mukherjee, Comrade Asit Bhattacharyya, all Polit Bureau Members of the SUCI(C), Comrade Radhakrishna, Member of the Central Committee and Comrade Satyawan, also Member of the Central Committee and President of the meeting. The milieu of the dais was an artist's rendering of roused mutineers heralding new era of exploitation-free society and respectfully looking on Marx, Engels, Lenin, Stalin, Mao Zedong and Shibdas Ghosh for guidance and direction. On a separate plank on left side, stood a big photograph of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh with a deep red background.

The open session began with the song on Comrade Shibdas Ghosh, the great leader of the proletariat. Following it, Comrade Ghosh's portrait was garlanded by Comrade Mubinu Haider Chowdhury, Comrade Provash Ghosh, the Polit Bureau leaders on the dais one by one. Then floral tribute was offered by the State Secretaries. Thereafter, the scheduled speakers rose to speak. First was Comrade K Radhakrishna. He spoke in English touching upon the major features of contemporary international and national situations. Next to speak in Hindi was Comrade Satyawan. He too dwelt on the specific problems, which the workers-peasants and other sections of oppressed millions were reeling under. Disciplined processions were still converging at the venue. Last to rise to the rostrum was Comrade Provash Ghosh, the General Secretary of the Party and the main speaker.

Comrade Provash Ghosh, beloved General Secretary of the Party, at the outset said that when all the big bourgeois parties like the BJP and the Congress, the regional bourgeois parties and the pseudo-Marxists like the CPI (M), CPI are busy working out electoral arithmetic and assessing who would capture power and who would lose the battle in the forthcoming parliamentary election, our Party, guided by Comrade Shibdas Ghosh Thought is striving hard to develop class and mass struggles based on the

burning problems of people's life and in course of that prepare for anti-capitalist socialist revolution. Our Party believes that none of the basic problems of people's life can be resolved through electoral route. Then Comrade Provash Ghosh mentioned a few official statistics to show the widening gap between a few super-rich and the vast multitudes of toiling oppressed masses. He then discussed how the RSS-BJP were aggressively and egregiously promoting arch communal Hindutva to foment religious fanaticism, bringing regimentation of thought and disrupting people's unity to thwart development of class and mass struggles. He showed how the RSS-BJP opposed Indian freedom movement, called the revered freedom fighters as reactionaries, befriended the British rulers and preached for a Hindu-Rashtra. He pointed out that the Congress who opened the key of Babri Masjid, had orchestrated many communal riots, promulgated black acts and now in competition with the BJP in visiting temples to flaunt its own affinity for Hinduism, is being branded as "secular and democratic" by the CPI (M) and its associates with a view to forging alliance with it just for a few seats. Had there been a current of powerful united left-democratic movement, the RSS-BJP could not have raised their ugly heads. Our Party does not have any MLA or MP. We do not get any publicity in the media. Still we are growing. Because we are armed with the teachings of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh Thought. In conclusion, Comrade Provash Ghosh called upon all sections of the toiling masses—workers, peasants, students, youth, women, middle class—to come forward to build up countrywide torrents of united organized powerful sustained democratic mass movements under the correct revolutionary leadership, rising above all divisiveness and based on higher proletarian culture—ethics and morality.

Comrade Sumit Roy, Member of the Jharkhand State Organizing Committee of the Party, then placed the Hindi translation of his speech rendered in Bengali. The open session ended with the singing of *The Internationale*.

Then, it was time for the comrades to go back to their respective places carrying in their hearts the message of the 3rd Party Congress and lead the exploited millions further ahead towards the goal of revolution with much more enthusiasm, creativity and steadfastness.



Comrade Provash Ghosh addressing the Delegate Session at Study Centre of Marxism-Leninism-Shibdas Ghosh Thought in Ghatsila on 25 November 2018

DELEGATE SESSION OF THE 3RD PARTY CONGRESS

Fists clasped in resolve to strengthen the party ideologically-organizationally

Amidst the beauty of the trees with thick foliage and blooming flowers, twilight beams were casting playful dapples of light and shadow on the statue of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh, the great leader of the proletariat in whom is personified Indian Revolution. At the pedestal of the statue of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh, the worthy successor of the legendary quintet, Marx-Engels-Lenin-Stalin- Mao Zedong, were waiting patiently with a spirit of revolutionary ardour, the ardent students of his—who have made it their mission to usher in revolution in this country to end the misery of the people, to build themselves in the mould of true communists in order to be equal to the task their great leader, teacher and guide has adjured them. A gentle breeze was wafting in. It was the afternoon of 21st November 2018, the day the 3rd Congress of the SUCI(Communist) that the Party the great leader of the proletariat had founded, reared and steered—was scheduled to commence at the Study Centre of Marxism-Leninism-Shibdas Ghosh Thought in Ghatsila, on the banks of Subarnarekha in the state of Jharkhand. The somnolent Ghatsila station awakened right from previous evening into a flurry of activities when the advanced section of detached vanguard of the Indian proletariats

dreaming of emancipating mankind from the slavery of wage labour and exploitation of man by man to open the gateway to onward march of civilization and society and spurred on by the teachings of their revered leader were moving down the platforms. In the valley of Subarnarekha, a human stream was meandering its course, past the railway level crossing, past the paddy fields sprawling around, towards the Centre of the 3rd Party Congress.

While the countrymen witness day after day under the glare of extensive coverage and publicity in bourgeois media, the vote-based parliamentary parties drooling for pelf and power, that stem from the vile, degenerate and reactionary bourgeois politics, away from the fanfare and arid hullabaloo of the parliamentary drills of the vote-merchants, this revolutionary current is spreading out, traversing the expanse of the land.

This stream of revolutionary politics, this offspring of the inexorable historical law, will flow on to its historic destiny, overcoming all obstacles on the way. And now the ardent students of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh holding aloft the banner of genuine revolutionary ideology and higher proletarian politics and culture having assembled at the Centre were waiting in an

atmosphere of due solemnity for the inauguration of the Congress.

It was at 5 pm that Comrade Provash Ghosh, beloved General Secretary of the Party, Comrade Mobinul Haider Chowdhury, General Secretary of the Socialist Party of Bangladesh (Marxist) and other Polit Bureau and Central Committee leaders reached the venue and the proceedings began with rendition of the song composed on Comrade Shibdas Ghosh, the great Marxist thinker and the Founder General Secretary of the Party whose thoughts provide the beacon. It was Comrade Provash Ghosh who first offered floral tribute at the foot of the statue of the great leader, Comrade Shibdas Ghosh. He was followed by



Comrade Asit Bhattacharyya placing a document at the delegate session

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A part of the delegates

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Comrade Mobinul Haider Chowdhury and then by Comrades Ranjit Dhar, Manik Mukherjee and Asit Bhattacharyya, all members of the Polit Bureau of the Party. Comrade Ranjit Dhar hoisted the Red Flag, the icon of the Revolution. After that, the Martyrs' Column, dedicated to those, known or unknown, who had laid their life for the cause of humanity and revolution, was garlanded by Comrades Manik Mukherjee, Mobinul Haider Chowdhury, Ranjit Dhar, Provash Ghosh and Asit Bhattacharyya one by one. Then the delegates and observers from 23 states and Union Territories of the country proceeded to the main auditorium of the Study Centre in a disciplined manner and the first session of the Congress went underway.

A Presidium comprising Comrades Provash Ghosh, Ranjit Dhar, Manik Mukherjee and Asit Bhattacharyya was elected to conduct the proceedings. At the outset, Comrade



Comrade Manik Mukherjee garlanding the Martyrs' Column

Provash Ghosh moved a Condolence Resolution in memory of the Party leaders starting from Comrade Nihar Mukherjee, beloved former General Secretary, a life-long revolutionary and close revolutionary compatriot of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh to Comrades Anil Sen, Sukomal Dasgupta, Yakub Pailan, Kalyan Chowdhury and Pranati Bhattacharyya, members of the Central Committee, Hugo Chavez, former President of Venezuela and renowned anti-imperialist fighter, Nelson Mandela, the legendary anti-apartheid leader and first democratically elected Pre-sident of South Africa and Comrade Fidel Castro, architect of the Cuban Revolution, the former Presi-



Comrade Provash Ghosh offering floral tribute to Comrade Shibdas Ghosh at the inauguration of the Party Congress

dent of socialist Cuba and unwavering fighter against imperialism who all breathed their last after the 2nd Party Congress held in November 2009. Two minutes silence was observed as a mark of paying respect to the departed leaders. Then Comrade K Radhakrishna, Member, Central Committee and former State Secretary of Karnataka read out the messages received from the fraternal parties and organizations from Turkey, Russia, DPRK (North Korea), Canada, USA, Sri Lanka, The Netherlands and Pakistan. Then, on request from the Presidium, Comrade Mobinul Haider Chowdhury, gave a brief but extremely inspiring speech recalling how imbued with Comrade Shibdas Ghosh Thought, he was initiated into the revolutionary movement and since then struggled hard to hold high the banner of revolution. He also recalled the days of his introduction to and association with Comrade Shibdas Ghosh. After stating a few words about the Socialist Party of Bangladesh (Marxist) or BASAD (Marxist), that in deep fraternity and solidarity with the SUCI(C) is developing revolutionary movement braving all odds, he said that at this hour of setback of international communist movement, it is only Comrade Shibdas Ghosh thought which is the developed and enriched understanding of Marxism-Leninism which can guide world proletarian revolutionary movement today to surge forth along the right track and gain momentum. He then appealed to the SUCI(C) leadership to take initiative in bringing about a coordination among the various revolutionary parties and groups around the world to spearhead a powerful anti-imperialist movement with the genuine communists at the core.

After that, the Draft Political and Organizational Report was formally placed by Comrade Provash Ghosh. Comrade Provash Ghosh then clarified the national and international situations in which the Congress was being held with a view to revitalizing and further strengthening as well as to consolidating the Party Organization and releasing an all-out intense ideo-logical-cultural struggle to elevate the standard of the comrades at all levels, fighting out the vile individualism, the obnoxious

contribution of the decadent capitalism which poses a dangerous threat to the communist movement too.

On the next day, comrades from almost all the participating states took part in the daylong lively deliberations on the said report, moved a good number of amendments and inclusions to make the draft report more comprehensive. At the last session, after the debates and discussions on the Draft General Secretary's report were over, the delegates unanimously agreed to hand over all the proposed amendments/inclusions to the scrutiny committee to be decided by the Central

Committee for finalization. Thereafter, Comrade Gopal Kundu, Member of the Central Committee, placed the Draft Resolution on the International Situation which touched upon the significant developments that have taken place since last Party Congress. The Draft Resolution mentioned about perpetuating local wars and escalating war tension by the imperialists powers particularly the US imperialists in the entire Middle East, killing lakhs of innocent people forcing millions to flee, pushing majority of the population in the war-ravaged states like Yemen, for example to harrowing starvation and in the process, murdering of heads of the states refusing to bend before the US imperialists, planting armed 'rebel' forces in Syria and other countries to bring about regime change. Unilaterally, they have been abrogating nuclear and other treaties, announcing which place would be the capital of which country flouting all international conventions and canons of law and going on slapping draconian economic sanctions on Iran and other countries whom they consider as "rogue" countries. As a result of this imperialist machination, millions of wretched people having lost their home, hearth and whatever little means of earning they hitherto had are migrating to other countries of Europe and Asia just for bare survival or subsistence. This has triggered a new humanitarian problem of 'migration'.

Drawing attention to the aggravating capitalist crisis caused by the very laws of operation of capitalist economy, the Resolution pointed out that



Comrade Ranjit Dhar hoisting the Red Flag at the inaugural programme of the Party Congress



Comrade Provash Ghosh handing over Red Flag to Comrade Mobinul Haider Chowdhury

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the US imperialists and their allies who once boastfully prescribed the doctrine of globalization in the unipolar world a panacea for economic problems, are now talking against it and so called free market economy, instead pitching strongly for raising tariff walls to stop entry of goods of other countries into their own domestic market. In retaliation, other capitalist-imperialist countries like China, India and European Union are imposing high import duties on US goods. Thus, a global trade war has ensued. And the entire burden of the crisis is squarely passed on the common toiling people who are reeling under continuous price rise, unemployment, under-employment, retrenchment, replacement of permanent jobs by casual and contract labour system at lower wage and rising oppression and repression in every walk of life. All these developments fully vindicate the prognosis of our Second Party Congress and reaffirmed the analysis of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh that capitalism-imperialism is now plunged in an hourly crisis, staving off one crisis somehow for the time being only to plunge into a graver crisis at the next moment. The Draft Resolution also took note of the increasing contradiction within the capitalist-imperialist world which is increasing possibility of outbreak of wars at larger scale. It also reviewed the role of socialist DPRK (North Korea) and Cuba and took note of certain developments concerning them.

On the third day, the day-long lively discussions on the Draft Resolution on International situation were carried out by the delegates and observers to critically examine the important issues and developments based on available facts and from various angles. Finally, all the amendments/additions/suggestions were unanimously passed on to the scrutiny committee to be appointed by the Central Committee for appropriate sorting and finalizing the approved Resolution. Then Comrade Sankar Saha, Member of the Central Committee, moved the Draft Resolution on the National Situation.

The Draft Resolution on the National Situation briefly dwelt on important developments which took place after the Second Party Congress. The ascent of the BJP to power riding on the anti-Congress mentality of the people because of deep-seated discontent and hatred against the prolonged misrule of the Congress-led government and continuous marginalization of the pseudo-Marxists were dealt with. It was also shown how the bourgeois media had created a

Elected Members of Central Committee at 3rd Party Congress

1. Comrade Provash Ghosh, General Secretary	29. Comrade Arun Kumar Singh	8. Comrade T K Sudhir Kumar
2. Comrade Ranjit Dhar	30. Comrade V Venugopal	9. Comrade M N Sriram
3. Comrade Manik Mukherjee	31. Comrade Subhas Dasgupta	
4. Comrade Asit Bhattacharyya	32. Comrade Dhurjati Das	Polit Bureau
5. Comrade Debaprasad Sarkar	33. Comrade K Uma	1. Comrade Provash Ghosh
6. Comrade Gopal Kundu	34. Comrade Shankar Dasgupta	2. Comrade Ranjit Dhar
7. Comrade Sankar Saha	35. Comrade Pratap Samal	3. Comrade Manik Mukherjee
8. Comrade Saumen Basu		4. Comrade Asit Bhattacharyya
9. Comrade C K Lukose	Control Commission	5. Comrade Debaprasad Sarkar
10. Comrade Satyawan	1. Comrade Gopal Kundu	6. Comrade C K Lukose
11. Comrade K Radhakrishna	- Chairman	7. Comrade Saumen Basu
12. Comrade Chhaya Mukherjee	2. Comrade A Rengasamy	8. Comrade Sankar Saha
13. Comrade Tapan Roy Chowdhury	3. Comrade Surat Zaman Mandal	9. Comrade Gopal Kundu
14. Comrade Kantimoy Deb	4. Comrade Prasanta Ghatak	10. Comrade K Radhakrishna
15. Comrade Swapan Ghosh	5. Comrade Anoop Singh	11. Comrade Satyawan
16. Comrade Manab Bera	6. Comrade Arun Kumar Bhowmik	
17. Comrade Dwarika Nath Rath	7. Comrade Jaison Joseph	Secretariat
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20. Comrade Swapan Chatterjee		3. Comrade Kantimoy Deb
21. Comrade Swapan Ghoshal	Central Editorial Board	4. Comrade Shankar Dasgupta
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23. Comrade Chandralekha Das	2. Comrade K Sridhar	6. Comrade Amitava Chatterjee
24. Comrade Surat Zaman Mandal	3. Comrade Shankar Dasgupta	7. Comrade Shankar Ghosh
25. Comrade K Sridhar	4. Comrade Swapan Chatterjee	
26. Comrade Amitava Chatterjee	5. Comrade Chiraranjan	Office Secretary:
27. Comrade Shankar Ghosh	Chakraborty	Comrade Swapan Ghosh
28. Comrade Asok Samanta	6. Comrade Swapan Ghoshal	Treasurer:
	7. Comrade Shankar Ghosh	Comrade Manab Bera

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3. Comrade Manik Mukherjee	20. Comrade Dwarika Nath Rath	36. Comrade V Venugopal
4. Comrade Asit Bhattacharyya	21. Comrade Rabin Samajpati	37. Comrade Pratap Samal
5. Comrade Debaprasad Sarkar	22. Comrade Swapan Chatterjee	38. Comrade Arun Kumar Bhaumik
6. Comrade Chhaya Mukherjee	23. Comrade Swapan Ghosal	39. Comrade Nanda Patra
7. Comrade Gopal Kundu	24. Comrade Chandidas	40. Comrade Subhash Dasgupta
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13. Comrade Tapan Roy Choudhry	29. Comrade Shankar Ghosh	46. Comrade T K Sudhir Kumar
14. Comrade Prasanta Ghatak	30. Comrade Shankar Dasgupta	47. Comrade Jaison Joseph
15. Comrade Anoop Singh	31. Comrade Asok Samanta	48. Comrade Govindarajulu
16. Comrade Chiraranjan	32. Comrade Dhurjoti Das	49. Comrade A Ramanjanappa
Chakraborty	33. Comrade A Rengasamy	50. Comrade Prakash Mallik
17. Comrade Kantimoy Deb	34. Comrade Arun Kumar Singh	

Modi-hype to befool people and how during the last 4 years and a half of the BJP's strangulating rule, the people could experience the hollowness and cunningness of that bourgeois campaign. The so-called promise of ushering 'good days' (achhe din) proved to be a damp squib in no time and a slew of economic-political measures coupled with vigorous pursuit of aggressive arch communal Hindutva agenda to spew religious hatred, foster fanaticism and thereby divide the toiling masses has now thoroughly exposed the sinister bourgeois design sought to be implemented by the BJP in subservience to bourgeois class interest. The Draft Resolution also pointed out that as fallout of intensified contradiction between the national capital and regional capital, the regional-level political parties promoted by the regional capital are dominating at their respective states and are being projected as the viable parliamentary

alternative to the national-level bourgeois parties like the BJP and the Congress. The Draft Resolution also took note of the fact that abandoning the path of struggle, the pseudo-Marxists like the CPI (M), CPI, driven by sheer parliamentarism, are now frantically trying to enter into any kind of electoral alliance with the Congress and the regional-casteist-parochial-chauvinist forces. This has created considerable damage to the desired surge of powerful united left-democratic movement which alone could provide the struggling alternative to the people as against the bourgeois vote politics.

On the fourth day, delegates and observers enthusiastically took part in detailed deliberations on this Draft National Resolution and many important suggestions/amendments were proposed in written form. Such extensive

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Messages of solidarity to the Socialist Unity Centre of India (Communist) on the occasion of the 3rd Party Congress

As the revolutionary Party of India, the Socialist Unity Centre of India (Communist), adheres wholeheartedly to the cause and principles of the Proletarian Internationalism and thus maintains fraternal relations with different communist parties or forces of the world. The following are the messages, in slightly abridged form, received from some of those communist parties or forces sent to the 3rd Party Congress of the Party.

Comrade Antonio Artuso of Communist Reconstruction Canada : Montreal, Canada:

"...On the occasion of the Third All-India Congress of the Socialist Unity Centre of India (Communist), we wish your leadership and your members very successful and important results, in this period of brutal intensification of exploitation, oppression, plunder, crisis, fascism and war throughout the world.

We congratulate your great Marxist-Leninist party founded by Shibdas Ghosh and his staunch comrades in 1948. We hail the numerous and great achievements accomplished by generations of your members in the last 70 years.

One of your greatest achievements was the rejection of the revisionist line adopted by Khrushchev at the 20th Congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union in 1956. By rejecting revisionism, you upheld the theories and practices of Karl Marx, Friedrich Engels, Vladimir Lenin, Joseph Stalin, of the other great founders and leaders of scientific socialism and of the millions of activists, cadres and members of the International Communist Movement. Your strong struggle against modern revisionism was one of the most important events in the history of the International Communist Movement and of the world. Revisionism was the fundamental reason of the restoration of capitalism and of the collapse of socialism in the Soviet Union and in the People's Democracies.

... By your constant work of consolidating and developing the Marxist-Leninist ideological, political and organizational line, you are strengthening the powerful unity of the working class and the oppressed masses of India and the world. With your strong leadership within the student, youth, women, Labour and Peasant movements, you are preparing the overthrow of the dictatorship of the capitalist classes and of the imperialist powers in India,

in the region and throughout the world. With your activities in the field of proletarian internationalism, you are contributing greatly to the development of the International Communist Movement, that is crucial for the peoples of the world.

The tasks of the Marxist-Leninist parties and organizations are numerous. We must prepare the proletarian revolutionary, develop our Marxist-Leninist party, unite the workers and the masses, create a united front, organize the struggle for the socialist revolution, the overthrow of the dictatorship of the capitalists, the control of the State and of the means of production, the building of socialism, first step before the emergence of the communist society.

Down with capitalism! Long live socialism! For a united front against fascism and war! Long live Marxism-Leninism! Down with revisionism and opportunism!

Ceylon Communist Unity Centre

We Ceylon Communist Unity Centre mail our Revolutionary Greetings on behalf of the working people and oppressed nationalities of Ceylon for the success of your 3rd Congress which is to mostly concentrate on the ideology, organization and moral issues of Marxist/Communist especially members of the Revolutionary Party to march forward to establish revolutionary working class socialism in India, in order to make de-classed Global society of human beings. ...

The revolutionary parties worldwide face challenges with regard to mobilizing or winning over the younger generation towards Marxism as they are influenced by all types of irresponsible positums for which everything socially constructed is thus open to deconstruction. They are for individual autonomy without any social constraints, without the acceptance that the individual autonomy is an illusion in the absence of positive existence of social conditions.

Further, the stance that the work is only for human survival, and human being are mere consumers and mere creatures of needs is popular among them instead of taking that work is a basic human need. The growth of information technology has taken the youths as captive of devices and narrowed their outlook of society. They believe the knowledge of Information technology has taken them to the top of the society over the Labour. In fact nowadays in capitalist society the character of classes has

changed since 19th century but Labour is not removed from the centre of the historical and dialectical account of society.

On the other hand most of the elders have been honest and dedicative for the cause of Socialist Revolution but practically Marxism has been confined to politics and economic affairs sans morality, by them. Mistakenly the behaviour or moral of Marxist followers were mostly ignored thus as important aspect for the failure of Revolutionary Parties. Marxism is a revolutionary scientific style of life with democratic centralism in all aspects and against oppressive hegemony, exploitation and unscientific approaches. It is a methodology to understand the present and for a higher developed future free from all political, economic, social, exploitation. It has dealt with moral issues and values as well. Therefore ideological struggle on new forms are necessary with well-disciplined party organization with revolutionary spirit of the cadres.

In this backdrop, we are pleased to hear that our most fraternally tied revolutionary party in India the SUCI (Communist) is holding its 3rd congress to resolve the issues of ideology, organization and moral. We are aware that the cornerstone of the SUCI is made also by teachings of its founder General Secretary Comrade Shibdas Gosh. We see his teachings are equally valuable and inspiring as other teachings in building of Revolutionary Party.

We Ceylon Communist Unity Centre have spent much time in party building thereby the contributions of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh are persuasive. ...

Politburo of Communist Party of Pakistan

Dear Comrades! Please accept our heartiest congratulation for holding the congress of your party. We hope that this vanguard event will endure the present scenario and put the movement on progressive-socialist path. Struggle of leftists and communists, begun from the liberation movement till date, is a role model especially for neighbouring countries and for the world in general. Role of S.U.C.I. in Indian politics is very important and exemplary. Though our friendly relations are not that long yet we have learned a lot from each other through the recent relation between Communist Party of Pakistan and S.U.C.I. We share a lot of commonalities regarding ideological

vision of S.U.C.I., its struggle and its stand about international politics.

Dear Comrades! Today capitalist system has pushed the largest chunk of population into the calamity of poverty through concentration of wealth. Consequently deprivation is on the rise. Demand of the prevailing situation is to sharpen the class struggle for revolutionary change in the system under the leadership of revolutionary parties. On the contrary, the tendencies of religious chaos, sectarianism and racism are excited to weaken the alternative of capitalism. Different countries are facing wars, especially Muslim countries where Islam is used as a tool to slaughter Muslims. World politics is taking new position. Communists bear the responsibility to devise new strategies to turn the politics to real issues. Indian and Pakistani rulers are recklessly spending public funds on armed forces and escalating war fever. They have never taken any step, nor can they, to improve the life condition of the poor because it is not the responsibility of brutal class. Therefore, *status quo* prevails and poverty rises.

Dear Comrades! To reorganize class struggle is the call of the day especially the more mobilization should be based on real issues. Recruitment of cadre and membership should be on ideological basis. We should increase our efforts on both fronts. Firstly to build the cadre by including militant and resolute people in the party ranks and prepare them for revolutionary war, secondly, we should work among peasants, small farmers, agricultural labour on the basis of their issues. We should organise the labour against the privatization of public institutions which are rapidly being sold to the capitalists. India is also facing the same situations. Wages in private industrial or other institutions are so meager that to have two meals a day is not possible for the workers, what to say about education of their children and health facilities. These problems demanding the communists to take front position. We hope that your congress will be successful to devise a better strategy, which will help and guide us also.

People of both the countries have lived together for centuries, share common heritage, language, culture, complexion and common thoughts. Therefore, they are influenced and inspired by the struggle of each other. We hope that your congress will formulate a

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strategy to strengthen the revolutionary struggle. Communist Party of Pakistan congratulate all the delegates and the leadership of S.U.C.I. for the success of congress and hope that it will add a new chapter in the history of socialist struggle.

Long Live Communist
Fraternity!
Long Live Marxism-Leninism!

Wil Van der Klift, International Secretary, New Communist Party of the Netherlands writes for the Central Committee

The Central Committee of the New Communist Party of the Netherlands (NCPN) wishes you a fruitful and successful Third Congress. Although in general nothing really changed in the balance of powers worldwide during the last decade, in practice many things changed in a negative way for the working classes everywhere. At the time our enemies are more brutal than they were for a long time. ... We see too many religious solutions come up that make our work more complicated. So the dialectic contradiction between the objective reality and the subjective knowledge about the situation is growing. Teaching and growing consciousness is absolutely necessary.

We had the possibility to visit your country and party three times and once also the comrades of the socialist party in Bangladesh. We saw many things that are in common and also many deep differences between the living conditions in India and the Netherlands.... Only a united international working class is able to win the class struggle at the end.

We never will forget our meetings in India (Ghatshilla, the gatherings and demonstrations with the farmers in the rural area and in Kolkatta - so many talks and discussions, also about the positions of woman, so important especially in your country). We also will never forget our visit to Bangladesh. We will stay very close although very far away and under different circumstances. ...

The leadership of the NCPN supports the changing of the Name SUCI into SUCI (Communist). ...

We really hope SUCI (communist) will grow and become stronger day by day. We wish all friends and other members of the party strength and unity. Only by learning and teaching we will find the necessary way to continue our struggle and make our activities more effective. We are with you in Ghatshila where it all started.

Korean Committee for Afro-Asian Solidarity, Pyongyang, DPR Korea

The KCAAS warmly congratulates on the SUCI 3rd Party Congress. ... The current international situation requires all countries and nations to be firmly united in their struggle to build an independent world. And Democracy should be realized in accordance with the intention and demand of the masses of people, and ... without interference from the foreign forces..

With its unchangeable stand to the socialism, the SUCI has actively struggled ... And in this process the SUCI has gained a lot of experiences and success.

We believe that all activities to build the justice, peace and socialism under the leadership of your Party would be successful in accordance with the desire of the Indian people. And also, the KCAAS sends firm support and solidarity to your Party, SUCI, in its struggle to build independent, prosperous socialist India! ...

Nina Andreeva, General Secretary of the Central Committee of the All Union Communist Party of Bolsheviks

The Central Committee of the All-Union Communist Party of Bolsheviks welcomes the organizers and participants of your Third Party Congress and wishes them success in their work.

India is one of the most densely populated countries in the world, where, thanks to the centuries-long domination of the imperialists in the past, many pressing unsolved problems now have to be solved by the Communists, lifting the people to the struggle for socialist transformations in society for raising the living standards of ordinary people. ...

Everyone has the right to a normal decent life, and therefore your struggle for the human living conditions of the hardworking and talented working people of India is rightly the main issue of your work. ...

We welcome the call of your party for the unity of actions of all parties and political associations, advocating, like your party, for a decent life of workers, all layers of the unprotected population, advocating normal human working and living conditions. In this economic struggle, everyone should realize that the only way to a happy life for themselves and their children is the struggle for socialism, for socialist ideals. No capitalist system will save the people from poverty and lawlessness, since the goal of capitalism is to maximize the exploitation of workers with the minimum wage in order to maximize

profits for employers.

Your Party unites millions of workers in its ranks, which is a tremendous force and requires the party leadership to clearly define the tasks and goals of the struggle, to believe in their victory, consistency and uncompromising in the struggle for socialist ideals.

Long live proletarian unity in the struggle for socialism!

Sara Flounders, Member, Secretariat of Workers World Party, John Catalinotto, Editor of Workers World Newspaper and Nathaniel Chase, Member of Interim Central Committee wrote:

Workers World Party sends proletarian greetings and solidarity to the Socialist Unity Centre of India (Communist) on the occasion of its Third Party Congress. We wish you a successful Conference that strengthens your party, and moves you closer to the goal of socialist revolution in India.

Here in the belly of the U.S. imperialist beast, we see many parallels between our domestic political situation, and the situation in India as described by General Secretary Provas Ghosh in his Pre-Conference Appeal. The bourgeoisie is using the Trump administration and the Republican Party to wage an all-out war on working and oppressed people, attacking every vestige of democratic rights, and rolling back gains the working and oppressed have won through struggle. We are engaged in a full defence of our class ... While the Democratic Party, also a tool of the imperialist bourgeoisie is incapable of showing any resistance. Only mass struggle, independent of the two imperialist parties can defend the working class and oppressed people and lead the way towards socialist revolution. Despite the increasing repression, there is an enormous growth in class and anti-imperialist consciousness among the youth as it becomes increasingly clear there is no future for them under capitalism. As it attacks the masses at home, U.S. imperialism is engaged in a campaign to intensify its exploitation of working and oppressed people across the globe, and crush all attempts to chart an independent course. We stand in solidarity with SUCI(C) in the struggle against U.S. imperialism and for proletarian revolution. Long live proletarian internationalism!

Marxist Leninist Communist Party International Bureau, Turkey and Kurdistan

On the occasion of the Third Party Congress of SUCI(C), we extend revolutionary greetings from Turkey and Kurdistan to all comrades

who have been able to bring the party to the present level -including the present leadership. On this occasion, we have the pleasure to salute all the comrades who struggle in the light of the Great November Revolution for the victory of the communist party and revolutionary developments in the 21st-century. As Marxist Leninist Communist Party of Turkey and Kurdistan, we always support revolutionary movements all over the world and are conscious of the urgent necessity for a world revolution. As our comrades-in-arm, we believe that your Third Party Congress will be a great answer on today's revolutionary tasks. In the contemporary world, in terms of existential crisis of capitalism, revolutionaries all over the world more than ever face important challenges. So it is our task to take every opportunity for revolutionary leaps and to strengthen our organizational level in every manner. Therefore we believe that your Third Party Congress will be a great success to strengthen your party in every area. As you know we face serious fascist and imperialist attacks and wars in the Middle East. In Turkey, the colonialist dictatorship under fascist chief Erdogan attacks with all its force to liquidate the democratic and revolutionary movement. With an increasing war against the freedom forces all over Kurdistan, they try to destroy the ongoing revolutionary process in Rojava, which is preparing to spread over the whole region. As MLKP, we fight to the end with all our forces against fascism, colonialism and patriarchy for an anti-imperialist, democratic revolution in Turkey and all the Middle East.

We salute your Third Party Congress from the fronts in Rojava, from the free mountains in Kurdistan, from the poor quarters in the metropolises with the strength, given to us by our immortals.

Long Live Comrade Shibus Ghosh! Long Live All Martyrs of Revolution!

Alexander Chebatorev writes for Communists of Russia

Get the words of Solidarity from the Communist Party - Communists of Russia. We greet your Conference, especially with the understanding that yours and our activities are going on in a difficult domestic and international conditions. But we are still sure that the huge gap ... between the poorest and richest parts of the population and other social problems can be solved by our hands weaponed by the ideas of Marx, Engels, Lenin, Stalin.

Newly Elected Central Committee Members



Provash Ghosh Ranjit Dhar Manik Mukherjee Asit Bhattacharyya Debaprasad Sarkar Gopal Kundu Sankar Saha Saumen Basu C K Lukose Satyawan K Radha-krishna Chhaya Mukherjee



Tapan Roy Chowdhury Kantimoy Deb Swapan Ghosh Manab Bera Dwarka Nath Rath Chiraranjan Chakraborty Rabin Samajpati Swapan Chatterjee Swapan Ghosal Chandidas Bhattacharjee Chandrakha Das Surat Zaman Mandal



K Sridhar Amitava Chatterjee Shankar Ghosh Asok Samanta Arun Kumar Singh V Venugopal Subhas Dasgupta Dhurjati Das K Uma Shankar Dasgupta Pratap Samal

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discussion also helped the House to derive wide-ranging views on various aspects and issues. Finally, the House unanimously agreed to hand over all the proposed amendments/inclusions to the scrutiny committee to be decided by the Central Committee for finalization. Then the proposed amendments to the Party Constitution (Principles of Party Organization) were moved by Comrade Asit Bhattacharyya, Member of the Polit Bureau of the Party.

On the last day, the delegates provided their views on the proposed amendments to the Party Constitution to strengthen operation of democratic centralization within the Party and authorized the Central Committee to finalize the Constitution. Then, in keeping with the practice of open self-criticism and criticism which the

Party leadership has initiated, written self-criticism and criticism made by the Central Committee members among themselves was placed before the House and read out by Comrade Gopal Kundu. This was not only educative but a deeply moving and inspiring experience for all the delegates and observers. Thereafter, Comrade Asit Bhattacharyya placed the proposed names of the new Central Committee members, members of the Control Commission and Central Editorial Board and the list of new Staff Members. The House unanimously approved the names with thunderous applause. Then, with a further round of applause, Comrade Provash Ghosh was re-elected as the General Secretary. Thereafter, Comrade Provash Ghosh felicitated Comrade Mobinul Haider Chowdhury, General Secretary

of BASAD (Marxist) and two other delegate comrades from BASAD (Marxist) by handing over red flags to them and presenting them some gifts. The two delegate comrades from BASAD (Marxist) also handed over small gifts to both Provash Ghosh and Mobinul Haider Chowdhury as mark of their respect and appreciation.

Finally, Comrade Provash Ghosh delivered his concluding speech. He specifically emphasized on the immense necessity of raising the ideological-cultural standard of the comrades by spearheading an all-embracing life struggle based on Marxism-Leninism-Shibdas Ghosh Thought which is *sine qua non* for ensuring relentless effort to hold back and eradicate individualism which has now taken more ugly form as crass self-centeredness, thereby insulating the Party from all vile bourgeois attacks. He pointed out that this 3rd Party Congress was convened to revitalize and consolidate the Party Organization and reconstitute the Party Bodies. As a preparation to that, based on the teachings of Comrade Shibdas Ghosh regarding code of conduct and style of work of the Party workers, there have been sessions of open self-criticism and criticism right from the cell-level to the Central Committee. This would continue in future also. He called upon all to imbibe the essence of Marxism-Leninism-Shibdas Ghosh Thought and be wholeheartedly dedicated to strengthen the Party more and more, both ideologically and organizationally, so as to lead the Indian Revolution. (Text of his full speech would be published later.) With rendition of *The Internationale*, the five-day long delegate session came to an end on 25 November 2018.

Speeches delivered by Comrade Provash Ghosh at the Delegate and Open sessions of the 3rd Party Congress would be published later.



KOMSOMOL members marching ahead to pay the Guard of Honour at the Open Session of the 3rd Party Congress

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