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## STATEMENT

The junta continues to play with fire. While carrying out manoeuvres of so-called transition to democracy, giving May 19 speeches on independence, it continues to take dangerous steps along dragging our country into new adventures and trampling on the national independence.

The junta and its satellite in Cyprus, the Denktaş Administration talks about forming an "independent Turkish state" in Northern Cyprus. Those who push our country into isolation in the world are now trying to hide the reality behind this mongering. As a result of isolation in the international arena by such adventurist steps, the junta administration tries to hide the heavy offence in the United Nations. That gives impulse to the nationalist chauvinist propaganda.

Whom would benefit from such an attempt? Obviously, neither the Turkish community in Cyprus nor the people of Turkey have any interest in this. On the contrary, such a step will make it more difficult to find a just and peaceful solution for the question. It will further isolate the people of Turkey and the Turkish community of Cyprus in the world and increase the tension in the region.

If the generals of the junta have really concerned about the security of the Turkish people in Cyprus, they could not hide the radical changes that have been taking place in the Republic of Cyprus in recent years. Today, there is a democratic government in the Republic of Cyprus which is in favour of brotherly co-existence of Turks and Greeks in the island. All peace-loving forces of the world give support to this government. Tendency of both communities are in the same direction. Parties in opposition in Northern Cyprus also express this demand. They oppose the adventures of the Denktaş clique.

Meanwhile, why does the junta persistently oppose the international conference under the supervision of the United Nations to deal with the Cyprus question? Can there be more effective guarantee than such a conference in which the socialist countries, non-aligned countries would also participate and it will abide Greece as well as the USA and will have a force of sanctioning?

Undoubtedly, such a solution is not wellcomed by the US imperialism who wants to keep the Cyprus question as a soring point in the region and by the junta and the reaction in Turkey who trail in the wake of the US imperialism. The Cyprus question which was deepened yesterday with the fascist coup attempts of the pro-American Greek junta, today again wanted to become more gangrenous by the step of "independent state" of the pro-American Turkish junta.

This attempt takes place in a time when the American Rapid Deployment Forces began manoeuvres on our soil with the main aim of attack against the socialist countries and above all, against our neighbouring country, the Soviet Union. These dangerous war games are being carried out at the same time with

the aim of supporting the preparations for attacks of Israel against Syria and Palestine Liberation Organisation. On the other hand, it was observed that the USA administration increases its efforts of creating tensions between Turkey and Syria. Now, all our neighbours, all peace-loving countries of the Middle East are watching the attempts of Turkey with anxiety and deep concern. They rightly make assesment on the junta administration who tramples on our national independence and national security in line with the aggressive plans of the USA as a factor that increases tensions in the region.

The junta administration has some hopes for special interests by creating tensions in foreign policy, provoking the Cyprus question, creating dispute between Turkey and Greece. Therefore, it tries to prevent the development of internal political affairs which inspite of all its efforts could not take under control on diverse direction of its interests. It is getting prepared to reason out external political questions in applying pressure on the parties which will oppose the policy of junta in this or that extent and if necessary, in annulling or postponing the "election", in supressing the demands of people.

In order to preserve peace and achieve democratic rights and freedoms again, it is necessary today to oppose the dangerous steps of the junta in its foreign policy which only serves for the aggressive aims of the US imperialism.

The CPT warns forces for peace and national democracy and calls for increasing their efforts for not permitting any adventures of the junta.

May 23, 1983

Central Committee  
Communist Party of Turkey

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## STATEMENT

Efforts of the US imperialism and the international reaction to drown in blood the anti-imperialist developments in Iran has been spilt also onto the soil of our country. In these days, while extensive attacks and anti-Soviet blanders against the TUDEH party, Marxist-Leninist party of the working class of Iran has been stepped up, generals of the junta in Turkey have arrested 12 Iranians. It was stated that these arrested Iranians would be returned to Iran.

For a long time, the US imperialism and the chiefs of NATO are making intensive efforts in order to destroy the gains of the revolution in Iran. The campaign of onslaught and slender against TUDEH beginning in February 1983 and raised to the peak in recent weeks is the sign of preparations of drowning the revolution in Iran. The US imperialism is after a bloody provocations in Iran in order to regain its lost positions.

Both, the practises of our country and of numerous countries show that such operations directed towards communists has always resulted with wild attacks against the national independence, against economic and democratic rights of the working people of that country. The Communist Party of Turkey is in solidarity with the TUDEH party and with its members. TUDEH waged a struggle for years under very severe conditions for the people and the working class of Iran against Shah's despotism and the US imperialism. It made self-sacrificing efforts for protection of achievements of the Iranian revolution. The

CPT is together with all progressive forces who raise the demands for preservation of revolutionary, progressive gains in Iran, maintaining political freedoms. The CPT calls for the working class, all progressives and patriots to raise their solidarity with TUDEH.

Citizens,

Declaration of return of 12 Iranians who were accused of being member of TUDEH and arrested is not an ordinary event. Up to now, the junta regime turned down the demand of Iran government to take back the remnants of shah and SAVAK agents. Even the imperialist press metioned about tens of thousands of Iranian counter-revolutionaries in the eastern and south-eastern region of our country under the protection of the junta administration. Now, arrest of Iranians who stay legally in our country, declaration of their return to Iran during the maneuvres of the American Rapid Deployment forces on the soil of Turkey show that the junta administration has started to play openly the role given to Turkey by the US imperialism. None of the patriots, no democrats, no progressives can be a watcher for this development.

This terrible policy which tramples on our national honour, policy of using our country against the peoples of the region should be stopped. Iranians who were arrested unjustly in Turkey should be immediately released! The CPT calls for all patriots, democrats and peace-loving forces of our country to raise their voice against aggressive aims and bloody provocations of the US imperialism in the region including in Iran, against use of Turkey as a base for their aims.

May 23, 1983

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## SPEECH MADE BY THE REPRESENTATIVE OF COMMUNIST PARTY OF TURKEY IN THE XXVII. CONGRESS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF DENMARK

Esteemed Comrades,

On behalf of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Turkey, I would like to greet the XXVII. Congress of the Communist Party of Denmark with my deepest feelings. I would like to convey the greetings of the communists of Turkey who struggle under severe conditions. I thank You for your warm hospitality.

Comrades,

Your congress convenes in a year of making decision for a reply to the question of war or peace. Will the developments in the world follow a path drown by the US Administration and the heads of NATO, further increase of the danger of a nuclear war? Or, will detente policy dominate in the international relations on the basis of broad peace and disarmament proposals of the Soviet Union and Warsaw Treaty countries? No doubt that reply of these questions will be given by our actions, by active, decisive actions of all forces in unity for peace and disarmament, by the struggle of popular masses. At this moment while deployment of new American nuclear missiles was put onto agenda, the

"crusade" policy of the Reagan Administration and main imperialist countries takes especially new dimensions. On one hand, preparations for open attack directly against the Soviet Union and other socialist countries, slandering campaigns and a media for conflicts are being organised. On the other hand, plots against peoples who wage national and social liberation struggles, bloody onslaughts are brought into the agenda. As it is in Denmark, reactionary attacks against all kinds of economic, social and political rights of the working people are being prepared. In such a situation, like the Communist Party of Denmark, the Communist Party of Turkey puts in front of itself the task of activating the struggle as much as possible against the plans of the US Administration and the chiefs of NATO on driving the mankind to a nuclear annihilation and raise it to the highest level. Joint appeal of the communist and workers' parties of NATO countries made public on April 28, 1983 and signed by our parties will be an important lever in this direction. The CPT also underlines the importance of mobilising workers, students and political refugees from Turkey living in Denmark in the same direction with the communists of Denmark.

Comrades,

We followed the developments in relation with the Action Programme to be approved in this Congress in the communist press with a great interest. For almost more than a year, your party makes intensive efforts for fixing the most urgent demands in the trade unions in youth movement, in the peace movement and in other fields, to obtain the broadest unity of the forces. We wish that in Denmark, in one of the countries of the West Europe that the burden of the crisis of the capitalist world was put heavily on the shoulders of the working people, the action programme put forward by your party becomes an important lever for relieving the working people from the burden of crisis which becomes heavier with the reason of NATO and EEC membership and for pushing back the attacks of the reaction against social reforms and democratic rights.

Comrades, at the moment, the monopolist press of the West Europe who uses the developments in Poland in order to slander real socialism and distort the developments in Poland in order to slander real socialism and distort the developments in the world, claims that Turkey who is a NATO member country passes into democracy. In a situation where the members of the Peace Committee of Turkey are being tried and 30 years of imprisonments are being demanded, trial of the DISK leaders with the demand of death penalties, they are not passing into a democratic regime but into a military-police state with a parliamentary appearance. As you know, a reactionary military dictatorship is in power in Turkey since September 12, 1980. In the time passed since then, as the consequence of their repression, persecutions, mass arrests, demands for death penalties, tortures, murders by tortures, all kinds of restrictions of economic, democratic and political rights of the people, they produced broad opposition before themselves. Yes, that is right, the generals of the junta are in difficulty of being able to rule the country under an open dictatorship. However, by no means they decrease their repression for not recognising even a smallest democratic right. "New law on political parties" which is being introduced in the western monopolist press is an example. The generals of the junta have prepared such a law that the leaders of the parties to be established will be determined by the 5 members of the junta. Besides, after imposition of the constitution as it was shown as an example by the dictator of Pakistan, Ziya Ul Hak saying that "Turkish type constitution" crimes, repression and tortures of the junta con-

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## SOLIDARITY WITH TUDEH PARTY OF IRAN

*Statement made by 61 communist, socialist and social democrat parties, including the Communist Party of Turkey.*

On February 6 of this year, Comrade Nurettin Kiyanuri, First Secretary of the Central Committee of the TUDEH Party of Iran and its other leaders and members were arrested by accusations based on no reason.

According to some representatives of Iran Islamic Republic, at the moment, preparations are being carried out for a trial and repression on the party and its leadership is being increased.

Since the day of its foundation, the TUDEH Party of Iran wages a struggle against imperialism for protection of independence of Iran and establishment of freedom, justice in the country. Active participation of TUDEH party of Iran in the anti-imperialist people's revolution and its efforts for protecting the gains of the revolution is the proof that its decisive line continues.

We, the parties and organisations who signed this solidarity statement and defenders of the gains of the anti-imperialist, anti-dictatorial revolution of the Iranian people, consider the repression directed towards TUDEH Party of Iran, continuation of this repression as a serious danger for the revolution, for preservation of independence and freedom of Iran. For that reason, we demand immediate release of Comrade Kiyanuri and party members who were arrested unjustly and to stop the repression directed towards TUDEH Party of Iran.

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## —from party organs—

### AMERICANS, NATO CHIEFS - GO HOME!

In eastern region of Turkey, near the Soviet border, war manoeuvres have been carried out for weeks. It is apparent that these provocative manoeuvres, namely "Adventure Express-83", take an important place in the expansionist plans of the USA and NATO. Visits of arms tradesmen of Pentagon and NATO generals one after another in order to follow these manoeuvres are the proof of it. Meanwhile, J.Luns, the General Secretary of NATO, and general Rogers are also on the stage of these manoeuvres. American Rapid Deployment Forces also participate in these manoeuvres. Visit of Luns and Rogers was followed by the visit of ex-Secretary of State of the USA, H. Kissinger who prepared the bloody plot against Allende in Chile. These war experts of the USA and NATO, what do they want, what do they look for in our country? The adventure express departed in a dangerous and tense atmosphere, where does it go? Where does it drag our country to? Operations of Turkish armed troops which were driven into the territory of Iraq was the rehearsal of which American or NATO plan? These questions give a reply to the question of what do the Pentagon and NATO chiefs want in our country? This body show of the US and NATO heads in our country at the same time aims to give support to the junta who could solve none of the economic and political problems of our country and bankrupted with its play of transition to democracy. The junta who backed itself with the arms tradesmen of the USA and NATO try to present itself before the broad opposition stronger than it is. But this shows its fears. All its repressive laws, its efforts of searching reasons in order to postpone the elections expose its helplessness.

NATO manoeuvres being conducted in the Eastern region of Turkey is not an ordinary provocative manoeuvre. That is so not only from the point of number of soldiers participating in this manoeuvre, but from the point of its aims. These manoeuvres, from the very beginning, had the character of frightening the forces of democracy who oppose the democracy game of the junta and mounting tensions against our neighbouring countries. On the other hand, the heads of NATO, through these manoeuvres, are trying to make Turkey to be accustomed to the adventures. In the recent meeting of foreign ministers of NATO countries in Paris, the subject of broadening the area of influence of NATO towards non-aligned countries was brought into the agenda. Leaders of NATO and the USA however attempted to apply this decision as early as during events in Falkland. That time they dragged NATO troops to Falkland under the flag of Britain. Now they want to realize the second trial in our region through the channel of Turkey. Drive of Turkish army to the territory of Iraq, use of our soil for war games of the US and NATO Rapid Deployment

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Forces, all are concrete steps towards broadening the area of influence of NATO towards the countries of region. Now, the generals of the junta, hiding themselves behind the pretext of protecting the "oil pipe line" want to carry on their adventure in the territory of Iraq however, when the matter of subject is the plans on broadening the area of influence of NATO they say, "we can not take any responsibility beyond the borders of NATO". Each step they take falsify their words. Whatever the generals say about the aim of operation in soils of Iraq, can not hide the real aim. This operation, alongside suppressing the Kurds in Iraq, is a rehearsal of an onslaught of the US and NATO against the Arab countries and the progressive regimes in the region. This dangerous path can drag our country to such adventures with uncertain end. Our people see the danger and say "no" to the junta who connects the country to the adventure caravan. They raise their voices, "Americans, NATO chiefs, go home!"

"Voice of the CPT"

June, 18, 1983

### WHERE DOES THE "ADVENTURE EXPRESS" GO?

At the end of May, commando troops of the Turkish Armed Forces passed over the boundary line with Iraq and started armed operations in Kurdistan of Iraq. The junta tried to give no information to the public opinion about this manoeuvre.

Therefore, for the first time the provision of the Constitution which gives authority to the President to use armed forces has been applied in practise. Persistent warnings of the CC of the CPT that this constitution could drive the country and our people into war without their will and with the will of only one person unfortunately has been verified in such a short time.

Kurdish or Turkish, many mothers and fathers in tears do not even know why they have lost their sons in this bloody attack. The junta government however proclaimed that this attack has been conducted according to bilateral agreement with the Iraq government and with its approval, with the aim of protecting the borders of Turkey and it was limited.

Approval of the Iraq government, by no means prove the murders of the junta in Kurdistan of Iraq as just operations. What would happen, if the junta administration tried to drown an action started by Kurdish people in Turkey with national democratic demands with the help of Israeli army? The junta who made such an attempt would take Turkish or Kurdish all peoples in its own country into opposition.

The argument of the junta about protecting the border lines also has no support. The junta who uses infringing of borders here and there considers it as an enough reason for a military operation in the soils of other countries can create similar reasons on all our border lines for its aggressive policy. Especially in a country where smuggling have been organised by the state for years, it is not convincing to talk about break of borders. We should not forget that during the Second World War, Hitler occupied Poland by making use of a provocation along the borders that was specially organised by himself.

Besides, especially now, the border line between Iraq and Turkey has been brought into an unsecured state. A bloody wall has been constructed between

Turkey and the fraternal Kurdish people who have gained their right for autonomy in the past. Sooner or later, when the unity of Arab and Kurdish people is realised again, every step of Turkey who is a NATO country in the soil of Iraq will be accused as a bloody crime and the Turkish- Iraq border line will be a source of tensions.

The generals, in their propaganda in the army spread the view that Kurdish national movement along the borders will create similar developments in the Kurdistan of Turkey and defend the necessity of this operation for the sake of "integrity" of the country. But, in reality, Kurdish or Turkish, communist, left, none of the political groups who were persecuted severely by the accusations of being so-called "divisionist" by the junta could not result such deep national indignity created by this bloody onslaught of the junta in Kurdistan of Turkey.

Now each Kurdish patriot is thousand times right than in the past by thinking in such a way: Those who mercilessly attack against the Kurdish nation living in another country obviously would not hesitate to conduct genocide in Kurdistan of Turkey.

Real reasons of the onslaught in the soil of Iraq are apparent. What comes into light is that the junta had made use of the war between Iraq and Iran and the conflict between Kurdish national movement and BAAS government in Iraq and made plans of suppressing the Iraqi Kurdish movement with the fear that would have a stirring effect on Kurdistan of Turkey. Allegations of demand of the Iraqi government for help from the generals exposes such a reality: Running of the generals for help voluntarily is closely connected with Iraq's first place in Turkish foreign trade. Every patriot should ask the following question now to the generals who try to suppress the indignity created in the ranks of the army by this bloody attack with a chauvinist propaganda: The army was dragged into Iraq for the trade interests of a handful capitalists, where would it be dragged into for the interests of Reaganites? Is the Turkish soldier for hire?

Events show that in reality, the operation in Iraq is a rehearsal of a plan of the US imperialism to make Turkey its gendarmerie in the Middle East. The armed forces are getting accustomed to operations in territories of other countries and unfortunately this bloody rehearsal is conducted on poor, oppressed Kurdish nation.

During this bloody onslaught, NATO military manoeuvres along the Turkish-Soviet borderline was carried out, namely "Adventure Express- 88". What is apparent That this "Adventure Express" has made preparations for its first attack. But, neither the junta nor the Reaganites will have enough power to make Turkish or Kurdish, all our people to be the passengers of the express.

Atılım Haziran 1983

PERSECUTIONS, TRIALS, REPRESSION...

\*\*\* Legal proceedings has tarted against members of disciplinary committee of Istanbul Bar Association for not dismissing Orhan Apaydın, who is the Chairman of the association and under arrest, being tried in the Peace Committee case. Military prosecutor demands from one up to 3 years of prisonment for the members of Istanbul Bar Association.

However, proposal made for cancelation of delegation of O. Apaydın in the congress of the Istanbul Bar association was rejected.

In the congress of the Ankara Bar Association, in his speech, M. Aksoy underlined that in the country, rights of lawyers to make contributions for realisation of justice is severely restricted.

\*\*\* While the DISK Trial continues, new cases have been opened and leaders of trade unions affiliated to DISK have been arrested. Lately, legal proceedings has started for 14 leaders and members of the trade union named Yeni-Haber-İş. Between 6 years 8 months and 20 years of imprisonment were demanded for the leaders of Yeni Haber-İş.

\*\*\* 30 leaders of TÖB-DER (Teachers' organisation, having thousands of members) have been sentenced to 2-8 years of imprisonment in the trial carried out in the Number: 3 military court of Ankara Martial Law Command. Two members were sentenced to 3 months, 23 for 5 years and 4 for 8 years of imprisonments. The judge made a decision in favour of banning the functioning of all branches of TÖB-DER. Previously, 62 leaders of TÖB-DER were tried and 50 of them were sentenced to 1-9 years of imprisonments.

\*\*\* While the repressive measures of the junta arrests and persecutions of writers and journalists continue, sentence of the head columnist of daily Cumhuriyet and its managing-editor, Okay Gönensin created strong protests in the international democratic public opinion. IPI has directed strong criticism to Turkey for restricting the freedom of press. A resolution approved in this contact says: "IPI expresses its deep concern about continuation of repression on journalists, publicists and writers and banning of newspapers. It strongly condemns the sentences given to the well-known columnist of Cumhuriyet and its managing-editor." IPI has also sent a telegramme to Evren and sharply criticized these sentences.

\*\*\* Two more lecturers were dismissed from the universities with the reason of being "harmful". One is a well-known professor in economics, Oya Silier and

the other Metin Özek who is being tried in the Peace Committee case.

\*\*\* Death sentences against patriots follow one after another. Recently, in a trial in Diyarbakır, against Workers' Party of Kurdistan, its 35 members out of arrested 572 were sentenced to death.

Meanwhile, relatives of more than three thousand prisoners in Ankara presented a petition to the Presidency and demanded stop the application of death penalties, stated that death sentences is a heavy violation of human rights and an outdated feeling of avenge. It eliminates the possibility of correcting wrong decisions. In the second petition, inhuman conditions in the Ankara Metris Prison was expressed by saying that treatment of ill prisoners should be done, beating in prisons should be stopped, prisoners should be allowed to have writing material in order to prepare their defences.

\*\*\* Cross-examination of ex-Parliamentarians of the Republican Peoples' Party continues. Up to now, 160 parliamentarians out of 475 were cross-examined.

**TO COMRADE YURI VLADIMIROVIC ANDROPOV  
GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF  
THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE SOVIET UNION**

Esteemed Comrade Y.V. Andropov,

On behalf of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Turkey, communists and the working class of Turkey, and on my own behalf, I would like to congratulate You wholeheartedly on the occasion of your election for the presidency of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the Soviet Union.

We wish you great successes in this responsible task of the Soviet Union, the strongest fortress of progress, in realisation of historical decisions of the XXVI. Congress of the CPSU along the path of strengthening socialism further and preservation of peace.

As it was before, in future also, the Communist Party of Turkey will do everything in its power for development and consolidation of relations between the Soviet Union and our country on the basis of peaceful co-existence, friendship and cooperation.

Esteemed Comrade Y.V. Andropov,

We wish you health and well-being in your glorious, responsible task.

June 17, 1983

With our communist greetings,  
Haydar KUTLU  
General Secretary  
Central Committee  
Communist Party of Turkey

**TO THE XXVII. CONGRESS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF DENMARK**

Esteemed Comrades,

On behalf of the communists and the working class of Turkey, the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Turkey congratulates the XXVII. Congress of the fraternal Communist Party of Denmark.

Your Congress convenes in a period when the "Crusade" policy of the USA Administration and some imperialist countries is being imposed into the relations between two social systems, and that has been made a foundation for attacks against the Soviet Union and other socialist countries, against the peoples who struggle for peace, democracy, for national and social liberation. Plans of the US Administration and heads of NATO on dragging the whole mankind to an annihilation in a nuclear war for their hegemonistic aims, as a proof, attempts of deploying new American missiles in Western Europe have further intensified. In such a state, concrete, constructive, peace and disarmament proposals of the Soviet Union and of Warsaw Treaty countries are the strong foundations and a source of strength for peoples who struggle for detente to play a determining role in the international relations, for peace and disarmament. Joint appeal of the communist parties of the NATO member countries is an important milestone for stepping up the struggle for bridling the nuclear maniacs as much as possible and raise the struggle to the highest level.

Your Congress convenes in a time when the burden of the economic crisis is being put

on the shoulders of the working people, reactionary-right coalition government directs heavy attacks against labour rights. In this connection, we wish that the Action Programme which to be approved by the XXVII. Congress becomes an important step towards defence of the rights of the working class, stopping the additional burdens brought by the EEC and NATO membership and formation of a broad peace and democracy front.

Comrades,

The reactionary military dictatorship in Turkey, on one hand, continues its repression, its heavy onslaught, tortures and crimes against Turkish-Kurdish working people and on the other hand, it tries to institutionalise a military-police state with a parliamentary appearance. The generals of the junta have oriented themselves towards an adventurist foreign policy in the wake of the US imperialism. They approve the plans of the Pentagon to use Turkey as a base of attack against the socialist countries and a gendarmerie against the peoples of the Middle East. On one hand, whatever is connected with freedom of thought and human rights is being violated and destroyed. Determined patriots such as Comrade Deniz, member of the CC of our party have been killed by tortures. Members of the Peace Committee of Turkey, trade unionists of DİSK are being tried. On the other hand, a pro-NATO propaganda inciting the possibility of war is being accelerated.

In such a situation, in the light of the Action Programme approved in the April 1983 Plenary Meeting of the CC, the CPT wages a struggle under hard conditions, for forming the unity of broadest forces of peace and democracy. Communists of Turkey are intensifying their efforts for protecting our country for a nuclear war, realising the contribution of Turkey for the cause of peace in the world and in the region, overthrowing the pro-September 12 military regime, establish national democracy and a national economy in accordance with the rights of the working people.

The Communist Party of Turkey is tied to Communist Party of Denmark with fraternal bonds on the basis of Marxism-Leninism and proletarian internationalism, as it was before and also today, internationalist solidarity of your party with peace and democracy forces in Turkey will be an important support for the patriots of our country struggling under severe conditions.

The Communist Party of Turkey wishes great successes to the XXVII. Congress of the Communist Party of Denmark.

Long live the Communist Party of Denmark!

Long live Marxism-Leninism and proletarian internationalism!

May 12, 1983

Haydar KUTLU  
General Secretary  
Central Committee  
Communist Party of Turkey

**TO THE XXVII. CONGRESS OF  
THE WORKERS' PARTY-COMMUNISTS OF SWEDEN**

On behalf of the communists of Turkey and the working class of our country, the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Turkey sends its revolutionary greetings to the XXVII. Congress of the Workers' Party-Communists of Sweden.

Your Congress takes place in a period when the USA Administration and the aggressive circles of NATO are mounting tensions and arms race in a world scale, bringing the plans of a nuclear war into the agenda, moving towards the policy of confrontation with the socialist countries and extending its policy of "crusade" against all progressive forces and regimes up to dangerous dimensions in every field, in all directions. We wish that the XXVII. Congress of the Workers' Party-Communists of Sweden would be an important step for decreasing international tensions, preventing the danger of war and achieving a change towards the domination of detente in the whole world. Concrete and constructive proposals and persistent position of the Soviet Union and Warsaw Treaty states are a source of hope

and a strong point of start for all peoples struggling for peace. The communists of Turkey evaluate the proposals of the Swedish government forming a nuclear free zone in Europe as a constructive step towards this direction.

The CPT wishes that the programme of action which to be approved in the XXVII. Congress of the Workers' Party-Communists of Sweden would be a successful lever in the struggle for peace and social progress.

Comrades,

The reactionary military dictatorship which is in power since September 12, 1980 is institutionalising the militarist-police state in Turkey under the pretext of "returning to democracy". Attacks, arrests and tortures of the junta against all forces of peace and democracy by no means ceased away. Comrade Deniz, member of the CC of our party was murdered by torture and buried secretly. This is the latest link of the chain of bloody murders of the junta. The generals of the junta, while and the one hand are organising extensive attacks against economic, social, democratic and political rights of working people of our country, in the name of the collaborating monopolist bourgeoisie, on the other, trails in the wake of the war policy of the Reagan Administration.

The CPT wages a struggle by basing itself on the Action Programme approved in the Plenary Meeting of the CC in April 1983, in order to prevent Turkey to be dragged into a nuclear war and our country to be transformed into a base of aggression against socialist countries and to be a gendarme against the peoples of the Middle East, to realize contributions of Turkey for peace in the region and in the world, to give an end to the military regime of September 12 and to establish national democracy and national economy. Our party spends every effort in order to achieve the unity of all forces in the country who are for peace and democracy.

The CPT is closely bound with fraternal Workers' Party-Communists of Sweden on the basis of Marxism-Leninism and proletarian internationalism. Solidarity of your party with the forces of peace and democracy in our country gives strength to the patriots who struggle under severe conditions.

The CPT wishes great successes to the XXVII. Congress of the Workers' Party-Communists of Sweden.

Long live the Workers' Party-Communist of Sweden!

Long live Marxism-Leninism!

Long live proletarian internationalism!

May 21, 1983

Haydar KUTLU  
General Secretary  
Central Committee  
Communist Party of Turkey

**TO COMRADE ALVARO CUNHAL,  
GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF  
THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF PORTUGAL**

Esteemed Comrade A. Cunhal,

We have learned with great pleasure that you have been elected by the Portuguese parliament as a member of the State Council. The Communist Party of Turkey assesses this development as an important achievement for the working class and the people of Portugal. We wish You, to your party and to the working class of Portugal greater successes in the struggle for our common cause.

June, 17, 1983

With our communist greetings,  
Haydar KUTLU  
General Secretary  
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Communist Party of Turkey