

circumstances, but has always remained as glorious as our people. The Front has exposed all the conspiracies. It is a vital organization, giving to Palestine and the people militant brightness. It is a candle in the night of Palestine which is full of martyrs and prisoners..."

#### **PFLP-General Command**

«On the occasion of the 18th anniversary of the PFLP, we send the warmest militant greetings from all our cadres and our Central Committee. We highly appreciate your role in our national struggle. We pledge to continue to uphold our inalienable national rights..."

#### **Yemeni Socialist Party**

«Your celebration means relentless determination to continue on the PFLP's militant, revolutionary path which leads to fulfilling the legitimate, inalienable rights of the Palestinian people. Eighteen years of struggle have proven the correctness of your line in the struggle against imperialism and Zionism and their plans to eradicate the Palestinian identity and just cause. Experience proved the PFLP's concern for uniting Palestinian nationalists within the PLO on an anti-imperialist, anti-Zionist basis. It also proved the PFLP's concern for exposing the capitulationist line that

abandoned the Palestinian national rights..."

#### **Walid Jumblatt Progressive Socialist Party**

«In a time of decisive challenge for our Arab cause, I congratulate you on the PFLP's 18th anniversary. This anniversary increases our determination to continue the joint confrontation and support the Palestinians' just cause..."

#### **Lebanese Communist Party**

«The Central Committee of the LCP takes this opportunity to reaffirm the prominent role of the PFLP in the Palestinian people's national struggle, for achieving their rights to return, self-determination and an independent state. We reaffirm the PFLP's contribution to the Arab national and progressive struggle, in the framework of the Arab national liberation movement, against imperialism, Zionism and reaction, and for total national liberation, social progress and national unity..."

#### **Soviet Afro-Asian Solidarity Committee**

«We are confident that the imperialist-Zionist policy of oppressing and terrorizing the Palestinians in the occupied land, will not be able to break

the will of the Palestinian militants or force them to abandon the main aim of their struggle for self-determination and establishing an independent state. We are fully confident that the unity of the forces of the Palestinian resistance movement, and coordination with all the Arab forces hostile to imperialism, will bring victory to the just cause of the Palestinian people..."

#### **Communist Party of Cuba Central Committee**

«On the occasion of the 18th anniversary of the PFLP, our party sends warmest salutes and cordial greetings. We highly appreciate your struggle. We reaffirm that there can be no solution to the Middle East problem without recognition of the Palestinian people's rights, including their right to return and establish an independent state..."

#### **Communist Party of France**

«On the occasion of the 18th anniversary of the PFLP, the Communist Party of France conveys its salutes. We take this occasion to reaffirm our party's solidarity with the PLO, the sole, legitimate representative of the Palestinian people. French communists are working to develop the solidarity with the Palestinian people...»

## **Joint Communiqué**



A delegation from the Communist Party Marxist-Leninist (KPMLr) from Sweden, headed by its chairman, Frank Baude, and Politbureau member, Teddy Frank, in charge of the party's international relations, has visited the PFLP in Damascus, Syria for one week. The delegation was invited by the PFLP in connection with the 18th anniversary of the Front.

The friendship between the two parties has been confirmed and further strengthened through a series of comradely and creative discussions on different levels with leading bodies of the PFLP. The discussions and meetings have confirmed the joint analysis of the two parties regarding the Palestinian struggle and revolution, especially the struggle against the Camp David accords, the Amman agreement and the Cairo declaration; and regarding the effort of the PFLP to unite all patriotic Palestinian forces who are against the Amman agreement as a step to reunite

the PLO, which is the sole, legitimate representative of the Palestinian people, on an anti-imperialist and anti-surrenderist basis. The discussions also confirmed the joint position regarding the international struggle against imperialism and against the Reagan Administration's «Star Wars» policy. The two parties fully agree on the necessity of strengthening this struggle and supporting all democratic forces fighting for peace and social justice.

In accordance with this, the visit has strengthened the relations and laid a firm ground for increasing the solidarity and work in the spirit of proletarian internationalism.

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