

abroad, and of providing all that is needed to achieve this step.

6. The PNC salutes our people in the territories occupied in 1948, and confirms the important role they are playing in supporting the uprising and protecting their national identity despite all attempts to obliterate it.

7. The PNC welcomes the creative initiatives of our people's uprising and the programs proposed by the United National Leadership in all aspects - political, economic, social, cultural and educational, etc. The PNC confirms the necessity of supporting and developing these initiatives, and all the national institutions, in order to completely boycott the occupation and build the national economic base, reaching the point of sovereignty and total national independence.

MATERIAL SUPPORT

The PNC confirms the priority of supporting the uprising and our people's heroic steadfastness. The PNC urges the PLO Executive Committee to implement the programs and plans that have been put forth for providing everything needed for our people's steadfastness, for escalating their heroic uprising, and for laying the foundation for a cohesive socioeconomic structure which will provide for our people's needs in terms of food, clothing, housing and work opportunities. The PNC confirms the necessity of channeling support according to the following priorities:

1. Relief for the areas harmed by the savage Zionist repression; providing social care for the families of the martyrs, injured, prisoners, and homeless, whose homes were dynamited or sealed, and all those harmed.. rehabilitating the crippled and injured.

2. Providing all possible support to the uprising's apparatuses and national institutions.

3. Providing all support possible to the cultural, educational and health institutions, to consolidate their important role in the popular uprising. This includes universities, colleges, institutions, schools, kindergartens, art and cultural associations and clubs, hospitals, clinics and trade unions.

4. Providing support to agricultural and industrial production. New production projects should be established, in order to create a productive economic base which will contribute to satisfying the needs of the uprising masses, and create work opportunities for our heroic workers in their national (economic) institutions, and for new graduates. Support should be given to the commercial sector, and small projects should be founded for the artisans.

5. Increasing support for the trade unions in the occupied homeland to enable them to provide for dismissed workers and those boycotting work in the Israeli (economic) institutions in order to enact a total boycott.

6. It is necessary to begin building popular housing projects, first and foremost, for those who became homeless due to militant activities.

ON THE PALESTINIAN, ARAB AND INTERNATIONAL LEVELS

A. PALESTINIAN LEVEL

1. The PNC delegates responsibility to the Executive Committee to draft a complete plan for mobilizing all our people outside Palestine to support the uprising, provide for its needs, create new fund-raising methods, and increase their financial support to the uprising. This plan should be circulated to all PLO offices and solidarity committees as soon as possible.

Special committees should be formed in all Palestinian gatherings outside the occupied territories, through the PLO offices and all popular organizations, in order to make it successful.

2. A family support program should be developed. Support for the students from the occupied territories who are studying abroad should be continued.

3. Activating the departments and institutions of the PLO, and forming specialized departments, institutions and councils in all fields for the purpose of making programs and plans to be carried out in our main area of work (the occupied territories). All of these plans should be coordinated and unified in accordance with the declaration of national independence, and the demands of the new stage since the great uprising and the Jordanian regime's decision to sever relations with the West Bank.

4. A new, developed and active Palestinian information policy should be drawn up for the purpose of promptly spreading the news of the uprising and of the Zionist enemy's practices to the whole world. This policy will contribute to creating the necessary reactions through all forms of the media - radio, television, theatre, etc.

5. We call on all our masses wherever they are, the masses of the Arab nation and the friendly peoples to commemorate the anniversary of the uprising on December 8th every year.

B. ARAB LEVEL

1. Strengthening and organizing relations with the Arab masses, the strategic dimension for our people's struggle; supporting the glorious uprising through forming specialized committees and prominently publicizing the news of the uprising in the Arab media; organizing relations with the Arab unions and trade unions and activating their role in support of the uprising and Palestinian steadfastness.

2. Twinning Arab cities with Palestinian cities, and strengthening relations between Arab and Palestinian professional and workers unions and universities.

3. We urge the Arab states to pay their dues for the uprising as was decided at the Arab summit (the Summit of the Uprising) that was held in Algeria, in June 1988 (the financial support that was approved at the Algeria summit).

C. INTERNATIONAL LEVEL

1. We thank all of our friends that contributed to supporting our people's struggle and consolidating the uprising. We call for more active support on the official and popular levels, for the uprising and our people's steadfastness.

2. Activating all of the Palestine solidarity committees. Their activities should be directed towards supporting the uprising. New committees should be formed and specialized in supporting the different sectors' activities in the occupied territories.

3. Activating the role of the NGO's to support the specialized sectors' activities in the occupied territories, particularly the productive, health and educational sectors.

4. Continuing and encouraging delegations from all sectors in all countries of the world, to visit the occupied territories in order to witness and expose the fascist Zionist practices.

5. Consolidating and activating Palestinian participation in all international institutions of the UN, in the political, economic, social, cultural and educational fields, whereby the fascist Zionist practices should be exposed, and support should be given to our people.