

Joint Communiqué

On the 25th of November, 1984, the Palestinian Democratic Alliance held a high-level meeting with the participation of all its parties. The meeting discussing the issues on its agenda took the following decisions:

1- The Democratic Alliance emphasizes its absolute rejection of the political initiative proposed by King Hussein. This initiative bears serious dangers to the PLO's being the sole representative of the Palestinian people, and to the rights to return, self-determination and independent Palestinian national state. The Democratic Alliance calls upon all the Palestinian national forces and elements inside and outside the occupied homeland to express their rejection of this initiative. It also appeals to everyone who honors high national interests, including those participating in the Amman meeting, to stand against this initiative and to prevent its endorsement. This can be achieved by emphasizing commitment to the Aden-Algiers agreement supported by broadest Palestinian masses.

2- The meeting appreciates highly the results of the Democratic Alliance delegation's recent visit to Moscow and the meetings held with comrades in the Central Committee of the CPSU. The visit, especially in the context of the current complicated situation, reemphasizes Soviet Union's concern for the unity of the Democratic Alliance parties on the basis of a policy which guarantees the continuation of Democratic Alliance's unificationist role in restoring the unity of the PLO and in safeguarding its national line against imperialism and Zionism.

3- The meeting affirms its absolute solidarity with the comrades in the Palestinian Liberation Front under the leadership of its Central Committee headed by General Secretary Comrade Talat Yaqoub. In this context, Democratic Alliance condemns the position taken by the Central Committee of al-Fateh by encouraging the divisionist elements in the PLF and dealing with them as representatives of the Front. This position contradicts the basis of keeping national unity and the legitimacy of the institutions of the revolution's organizations.

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PFLP Visits Greek Communist Party

On September 25th, comradely talks took place between the Communist Party of Greece (CPG) and the PFLP at the CPG Central Committee headquarters.

The two parties condemned imperialism's adventurist cold war policy, especially that of the USA; they emphasized the unprecedented threat this poses to all mankind. They expressed support to the peaceful proposals presented by the Soviet Union, other socialist countries, and various states and personalities, intended to end international tension and reestablish detente and peaceful coexistence as a prelude to total disarmament.

Concerning the Middle East, the two parties strongly condemned all imperialist-Zionist-reactionary plans, especially the Camp David accords and the Reagan plan. They condemned the construction of Zionist settlements on occupied Palestinian land and the Israeli authorities' terrorist acts against the Arab people of Palestine. Special attention was accorded to the latest Soviet proposals on the Middle East, considered as an important contribution to the search for a just, lasting solution. An essential condition for such a solution is the complete withdrawal of the Israeli forces from all occupied Arab land, and recognition and respect of the legitimate, inalienable national rights of the

Arab people of Palestine, chiefly their right to return, self-determination and the establishment of an independent state on their national soil according to the UN resolutions.

The two parties reaffirmed the importance of preserving Palestinian national unity within the PLO on the basis of the resolutions of the PNC's 16th session and the Aden agreement, which ensure the PLO's anti-imperialist position and alliance with the progressive Arab forces.

The CPG delegation reaffirmed the Greek Communists' solidarity with the PFLP and all Palestinian revolutionaries and progressives. The CPG appreciates the role these forces are playing in uniting the PLO and struggling to achieve the legitimate national rights of the Palestinian and Arab peoples.

The PFLP delegation reaffirmed the Front's solidarity with the CPG and its struggle in the interests of the Greek working class and toiling masses.

The two parties reaffirmed their solidarity with the Lebanese nationalist forces and the Lebanese National Resistance. They proclaimed support for their struggle to force the Israeli occupiers' withdrawal from Lebanon, to guarantee the sovereignty, unity and democratic development of the Lebanese people.

The two parties reaffirmed their solidarity with Syria in its struggle to liberate the occupied Golan Heights and to combat all imperialist-Zionist-reactionary attempts at internal sabotage aimed at weakening Syria's steadfastness and confrontation of the Camp David accords and the US-Israeli threats.

The two parties advocated an immediate halt to the Iran-Iraq war, reiterating their position that it serves only the interests of imperialism and reaction in the region.

They declared their solidarity with the people of Cyprus and condemned the declaration of the 'state' in the northern part of Cyprus which is occupied by the Turkish forces. They supported the struggle of the Cypriot people for a united, independent, sovereign and non-aligned Cyprus, free of Turkish and other foreign forces, on the basis of UN resolutions.

The two parties reaffirmed their solidarity with all anti-dictatorial, anti-racist national liberation movements in Asia, Africa and Latin America, against the domination of imperialism and its local agents, and for national liberation, democracy and progress. They condemned the acts of violence and persecution against nationalists and progressives in Iraq, Iran, Bahrain, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Jordan, Sudan and other Arab countries.

Finally, the two parties reaffirmed their determination to strengthen their bilateral relations.