Party of Labour of Albania

Condolences to the Revolutionary Communist Party of Chile

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MESSAGE TO THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY OF CHILE

Dear comrades,

The untimely death of the beloved Comrade David Benquis, one of the main founders, organizers and leaders of the Revolutionary Communist Party of Chile, caused us immense grief. In these moments of deep sorrow for you, as well as for all the Chilean Marxist-Leninist comrades, we express you our sincere condolences.

Comrade David Benquis, as a Marxist-Leninist leader, dedicated all his revolutionary energy and capabilities to the construction and tempering of your Revolutionary Communist Party as a Marxist-Leninist Party, as the vanguard of the Chilean proletariat and people in the struggle against the fascist dictatorship and capitalist ex-

ploitation, for national and social liberation and the triumph of socialism in their Homeland. Our Party recalls with respect Comrade Benquis, as an unflinching fighter against U.S. imperialism and Soviet socialimperialism, which jointly exploit the peoples, as a Marxist-Leninist revolutionary against modern revisionism and opportunism of all hues.

Comrade David Benquis has been not only an ardent fighter for freedom, independence and socialism in his Homeland, but also a proletarian internationalist, supporter of the revolutionary movements of the proletariat and the oppressed peoples and of the unity of the world Marxist-Leninist movement. We will always preserve alive the memory of our respected Comrade David Benquis, who also nurtured a sincere love for our Party of Labour and the Albanian people.

We express our conviction that at these moments of grievance for the loss of its leader, Comrade David Benquis, the sister Revolutionary Communist Party of Chile will further strengthen its ranks and will always carry forward the revolutionary struggle for the triumph of Marxism-Leninism in Chile, for which he fought with determination and courage during all his life.

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