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The RCP has lately been running a campaign of slander against the WVO and the ALSC to cover over their own opportunism and instability of principle - from spreading lies that the WVO wanted to turn ALSC into an organization of the "advanced only," a forum for "debate only," that the WVO was opposed to a broad coalition, etc., to such lowlife gossip that the WVO won't even have a speaker from Africa at the ALD march and rally. But the slogans from the two RCP leaflets below clearly show what are <u>real</u> differences over how to carry out ALSC work.

A full ten months ago, the RCP began to reverse, stepby-step, the verdict on Soviet Social Imperialism, covering up its danger, until they finally stopped exposing it in their work and slogans. The leaflet on the <u>left</u> is one example of this: a Revolutionary Student Brigade (RSB) coalition leaflet (endorsed by the RCP and the same participants in their current ALD coalition) passed out in Atlanta last February (RSB is the youth branch of the RCP). This leaflet was no accident, but carried the line of their southern-wide mobilization in February. This leaflet opposes U.S. imperialism <u>only</u>, under the slogan "U.S. Out of Southern Africa."

Opportunists that they are, the RCP tried to use its bumbling lackies, the Revolutionary Workers Congress (RWC), to maneuver this line into the ALSC. The WVO called them both out, exposed them, and won over a majority of the ALSC steering committee to oppose this treachery and threw the RCP/RWC out of the national steering committee! After this, the RCP tried to take on a new look. The leaflet on the <u>right</u> is a current ALD coalition leaflet of theirs opposing the superpowers under the slogan, "Superpowers Hands Off." Here again, they also include their slogan to "Fight Imperialism and National Oppression from the Union of South Africa to the United States of America," which says nothing against Soviet Social Imperialism. And the text of this leaflet also has not one word exposing the Soviets' role in southern Africa. All the same, with the Soviet Social Imperialists' current aggressions in Africa smacking them squarely in the face, and with the all-round exposure by the WVO, the RCP <u>suddenly</u> must begin opposing <u>both</u> superpowers to cover their own opportumism.

Whether to oppose <u>only</u> U.S. imperialism, or to oppose <u>both</u> superpowers -- this is a question of principle! These are two opposing lines on the international situation -- yet here we see how the RCP flips from one to the other according to their own needs! This shows that they <u>never</u> based their line on the interests of the African peoples' or the U.S. peoples' struggles. All along, their only interest has been to build and promote the RCP at the <u>expense</u> of these struggles. And now exposed, their only other tactic open to them is to resort to the gossiping and slanders against the WVO, which they are today trying to spread far and wide.

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