Comrade MAO TSETUNG, Chairman of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China, has received a message of greetings from the Executive Committee of the Communist Party of Spain (Marxist-Leninist) on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China.

The message said: “We want to express hearty congratulations to the fraternal Chinese people on their remarkable successes and victories achieved in the course of these 20 years in socialist construction and in the struggle against modern revisionism and criminal U.S. imperialism.

“Thanks to the important victories won in the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution, the People's Republic of China now stands, 20 years after her founding, richer and firmer than ever as the strongest indestructible bastion of socialist revolution.

“Thanks to the correct revolutionary line based upon Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought, the Chinese people, under the leadership of the glorious Communist Party of China and its Chairman, Comrade Mao Tsetung, have achieved signal successes in the development of the productive forces in industry and agriculture, in the utilization of natural resources, in sciences, technology and medicine, and in the fundamental improvement of the living and social conditions of all the working people in China. At the same time, in these 20 years since the founding of the People's Republic of China, the broad masses of the Chinese people have armed themselves with the revolutionary ideology of Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought, and this constitutes the best guarantee for People's China to remain as the red bastion of revolution and socialism.”

The message said: “The Ninth Congress of the glorious Communist Party of China is a great victory both for the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution and for the revolutionary line of Mao Tsetung Thought; it is an event of great importance not only for the Chinese people but also for all the people of the world. The congress has also demonstrated that the Communist Party of China, as a truly revolutionary Party, has been strengthened and consolidated after clearing away the revisionist elements and counter-revolutionaries and through the admission of new revolutionary forces into its ranks.”

The message said: “People's China is an inspiring revolutionary example for the revolutionary masses of Spain who have been fighting underground for more than 30 years against the pro-U.S. fascist dictatorship of Franco and against criminal U.S. imperialism.

“The Communist Party of Spain (Marxist-Leninist), which was reconstructed five years ago on the basis of Marxism-Leninism-Mao Tsetung Thought in the course of its struggle against the revisionist renegade clique of Carrillo-Wehrling, has been all along inspired by the valuable teachings of Comrade Mao Tsetung and has been steadily reinforced by creatively applying these teachings to the concrete conditions of the revolution and the people of Spain.

“Our Party and the masses of the entire Spanish people vehemently condemn the criminal attacks against the territory and people of China by the Soviet revisionist social-imperialists, accomplices and allies of the U.S. imperialist gangsters. We are convinced that the heroic Chinese people, armed with invincible Mao Tsetung Thought, Marxism-Leninism of our era, will smash any attacks and crimes of the new tsars in the Kremlin and any other possible aggressors against the People's Republic of China.

“Dear Comrades: We wish you new and greater victories in the days to come on your road to the communist society.”