POLITICAL COMMITTEE MEETING No. 43, October 28, 1977

Present: Clark, Garza, Hawkins, Heisler, Horowitz, Jaquith,

D. Jenness, Kramer, LaMont, Landau, Lovell, Petrin,

Reid, Waters, White

Guests: Britton

Chair: Kramer

AGENDA: 1. South Africa

Membership

3. District 31 United Steelworkers of America (USWA)

Conference

1. SOUTH AFRICA (Mailhot invited for this point.)

Hawkins reported that in response to the Vorster regime's crackdown on Black activists and their supporters, protests have been called in a number of cities. NSCAR has issued a statement calling for nationwide actions and telegrams of protest to the South African ambassador. Picket lines, protest meetings, and other such actions against the repression provide an opportunity to reach out to many forces—including Africans working and studying in the U.S.—and to involve them in on-going educational activities around South Africa.

Discussion

Motion: To approve the report.

Carried.

2. MEMBERSHIP

Waters reported on recommendation of the Cleveland branch that G.M. be readmitted to the party.

Discussion

Motion: To concur with the recommendation of the Cleveland branch.

Carried.

3. DISTRICT 31 USWA CONFERENCE (Rose invited for this point.)

Rose reported.

Discussion

Motion: To approve the report.

Carried.

Meeting adjourned.