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Written from N 2

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Dear Lew:

A quick note. Two of the three gay comrades here received from Shostak a copy of his resignation and an accompanying letter. (They had written to him about a Gay Pride network they had organized here.)

His letter said he was resigning to devote himself to developing a new revolutionary approach to Gay Liberation including activity in the gay movement and that he would draw up a rev. manifesto which would serve as a challenge to "the revolutionary left (including the Trotskyists) xxx"

He said that Lauritzen had resigned and he expected others to do likewise. He did not indicate what he thought the people here should do.

He said Pathfinder had refused to publish his internal bulletin articles as a pamphlet & that he and Lauritzen were publishing independently. He gave bulk prices and asked them to order some.

I originally suggested (after the letter was shown to me) to George Trigon that, if the comrades were agreeable, a copy be sent to you.

They agreed entirely and then approached me to discuss a reply they intend to make to Shostak challenging him politically on his

agree to let the material be used as a personal
memo and send a copy to you for your possible
use.

Trip going well. Good conference in Australia
summer school here is good & my talks seem
well received. Will be going back to Australia
Jan. 15 for classes in Sydney & Melbourne, then
Congo at end of month. Have a good time.

Best
Barry