All the Palestinian revolutionary forces are called upon to extricate the resistance from the present crisis. No, to the divisive rightist policy. Yes, to the policy of national unity, the unity of the wings of the Arab national revolution against the enemies of the Arab nation as our road to the long protracted war.

Masses of our people,

Revolutionaries of Palestine,

Arab progressives and revolutionaries,

On February 22, 1969 the left wing of the Palestine Resistance Movement, represented by the DPFLP, declared its organizational, political and ideological position from the experience gained. And in February 1972 this left wing enters its 4th year and the progressive and leftist tendencies are growing and consolidating more and more within the ranks of the left wing of the Palestinian people, and these tendencies are extending in various degrees into the tanks of all of the resistance organizations, without exception. At the same time, the masses of our people more, day by day, toward the development of a broad and mass resistance to the policy of the right wing of the resistance movement, as seen when the masses and the organizations of trade unions and craftsmen declared their rejection of “the Egyptian-Saudi mediation” and “the Egyptian-Saudi mediation” between the revolution and its reactionary murderers.

These developments open, in the near and middle future, the beginnings of new revolutionary horizons for the extraction of the revolution from its present subjective and objective crisis which have been carried within the revolution since the beginning of the launching of guerrilla activities.

— These developments are opening the road for the meeting of all the revolutionary, democratic and leftist forces within the ranks of the resistance organizations along a path of a united program which will put an end to the shaking and retreating of the right wing’s leaderships within the resistance, will push the wheel of the national revolutionary unity forward and will build the dynamic dialectical relation between the wings of the Arab revolution (the resistance and the Arab liberation movements) in order to engage the mutual struggle against the primary contradiction with imperialism, Zionism and Arab reaction in the whole Arab nation.

Masses of our nation,

Fighters of the resistance,

The practical experience is the one which uncovers — and still uncovers — the continuous bankruptcy and incompetence of the policy of the rightist wings in the resistance, on all the levels, Palestinian, Arab and international.

— On the level of national unity the right of the resistance with all its wings rejected all the reactionary proposals for building a stable national unity, whereas the DPFLP introduced in September 1969 to the 6th Palestine National Congress a proposal for a “united Palestine National Liberation Front” and it also introduced after September 1970, precisely in July 1971, a proposal for “the growth of a united People’s Liberation Army for the Palestine Revolution”, but the right wing of the resistance understands national unity within the context of a reactionary policy of “annexation and subordination”, far removed from the revolutionary and democratic relations between the forces of the revolution, thus looking for rightist subjection and organizational gains first and before all.

— On the level of confronting the reactionary regime in Jordan, the right wing gave the initiative to the reactionary authority, in the form of a golden opportunity for launching a campaign of encirclement and liquidation of the resistance and the armed masses in September 1970 and July 1971 and rejected the call to take the initiative to popularize the reactionary military campaigns by taking an offensive defensive policy and reaching the contradiction with reactionary regime in favor of Palestinian-Jordanian people and revolution. The right wing took a policy of passive resistance and one step forward and two steps backward in the struggle which took place with reaction. The right wing rejected its commitment to the decision of the 4th Palestinian National Congress on August 27, 1970 which called for “the immediate work toward the transformation of the East Bank of the Jordan River into a stable base and national fortress for the Palestinian people in the connection of both Banks. This connection will block the path of the reactionary regionalist and separatist tendencies among the people of both Banks.

— Building the bridges of daily and dynamic relations with all the segments of the Arab liberation movement for the unity of the struggle against the primary contradiction in the whole Arab nation with Zionism, imperialism and local Arab reaction. The avoidance of these relations by continuing the relations with the Arab reactionary regimes and by compromising will be at the expense of the local and national cause.

The practicing of such an attitude of the resistance with the camp of the international front hostile to imperialism, Zionism and reaction is necessary. Fighters of the resistance,

Our Masses,

The correction of the path of the resistance movement and its development will begin first, in a meeting of all true revolutionaries and patriots in all wings of the resistance movement from the broadest organizational sectarianism in order to put forth a united program that will bring in all the true revolutionaries and true nationalists under one united National Liberation Front that will all rise and stand on the right wings in the resistance the new revolutionary path.

Revolutionaries of Palestine Unit! Long live the unity of all the Palestinian revolutionaries and nationalist forces.

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