## Translation by Eugenia Fuchs, March 2011

[Translator's comments in brackets; handwritten text is <u>underlined</u>; dates are DD-MM-YYYY.]

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Resolution

By the Secretariat of the CC [Central Committee] of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union [CPSU]

[Body]

Issue concerning the Department of Foreign Affairs of the CC CPSU

- To grant the petitions by the leaders of the Communist Party of Argentina, the People's Party of Panama, Nicaragua's socialist party, and Costa Rica's People's Vanguard Party, to receive in the USSR in the course of the years 1974-5 <u>twenty</u> Argentinean, <u>five</u> Panamanian, <u>five</u> Nicaraguan and <u>thirteen</u> Costa-Rican communists for the purpose of <u>completing a course in general combat training</u> lasting up to six months.
- 2. To entrust the reception, accommodation, financial support, and organization of instruction for the representatives of Argentina's Communist Party, Panama's People's Party, Nicaragua's socialist party, and the party of the People's

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Vanguard of Costa Rica, as well as the financing, in foreign currency, of travel costs for <u>twenty</u> Argentinean comrades from Buenos Aires to Moscow and back, <u>five</u> Panamanian comrades from Panama to Moscow and back, <u>five</u> Nicaraguan comrades from Managua to Moscow and back, and <u>thirteen</u> Costa Rican comrades from San Jose to Moscow and back, to the <u>Ministry of</u> <u>Defense of the USSR.</u>

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## CC CPSU

[Body]

AN ISSUE FOR THE INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT OF THE CC CPSU

The leadership of the Communist Party of Argentina, People's Party of Panama, Nicaragua's socialist party, and the People's Vanguard of Costa Rica has petitioned the CC CPSU to receive in the USSR in the years 1974-5, for the purpose of <u>combat training</u>, 20 persons from the CP Argentina, <u>5 persons</u> from PP Panama, <u>5 persons</u> from Nicaragua's SP, and <u>13 persons</u> from the PV Costa Rica (petitions included).

The Argentinean, Panamanian, Nicaraguan, and Costa Rican comrades ask us to organize for their representatives <u>a course in combat training of the general type</u> of up to six months in duration.

We consider it expedient to grant the petitions of the leadership of the CP Argentina, PP Panama, Nicaragua's SP, and PV Costa Rica. The reception, accommodation, financial support, and organization of instruction for the representatives of Argentina's Communist Party, Panama's People's Party, Nicaragua's socialist party, and the party of the People's Vanguard of Costa Rica, as well as the financing, in foreign currency, of travel costs for <u>twenty</u> Argentinean comrades from Buenos Aires to Moscow and back, <u>five</u> Panamanian comrades from Panama to Moscow and back, <u>five</u> Nicaraguan comrades from Managua to Moscow and back, and <u>thirteen</u> Costa Rican comrades from San Jose to Moscow and back, can be entrusted to the <u>Ministry of Defense of the USSR</u>. The issue has been cleared with <u>the Ministry of Defense (comrade Ivashutin)</u>.

Plans on the resolution of the CC CPSU are included.

Deputy Head of the Department of International Affairs

CC CPSU [signature] E. Kuskov

29 January 1974

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Top Secret Translated from Spanish

To the Central Committee of the CPSU

Esteemed Comrades!

We turn to you with a petition to receive, in the course of the years 1974-5, 20 of our comrades for a course of study of "Russian Language". [Quotation marks included in original document]

With gratitude for your inestimable help,

Orestes Ghioldi, Secretary of the CC of the Communist Party of Argentina

Translated by [name unclear]

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Top Secret Translated from Spanish [Most likely; exact words illegible]

People's Party of Panama [Illegible word] CC [Central Committee]

To the Central Committee Of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union [CPSU]

Esteemed Comrades,

[Unclear adverb - possibly "Presently"] I ask you to receive in the Soviet Union, in the course of the years 1974-75, 5 of our comrades for the purpose of completing a course in battle and combat training.

My deepest gratitude for your acquiescence to the given petition.

Ruben D. Sousa General Secretary Of the People's Party of Panama

Moscow, 23 November 1973.

Translated by: [Signature of translator] A. Mineev [Spelling of last name uncertain.]

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[This page is mostly illegible; the translated text is inferred. The format appears to be the same as the other handwritten letters, so this is most likely the Nicaraguan note corresponding to similar ones from the other three countries.]

> Top Secret Translated from Spanish

To the Central Committee of the CPSU

Esteemed Comrades!

On behalf of [word] the Central Committee of Nicoragua's Socialist Party, we appeal to you [...] five

[The rest unclear]

Moscow, January 1974 Translation by [unclear]

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Top Secret Translation from Spanish

To the Central Committee [CC] of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union

Esteemed comrades,

In accordance with instructions from the Central Committee of the People's Vanguard Party [PVP] of Costa Rica, I am petitioning you to receive in the years 1974-75 in the Soviet Union 12 of comrades for the purpose of completing a course in combat training. We will include the nature of the specialization of the aforementioned comrades' training in our reports that also communicate both our needs and your decision. In addition to this, we also ask that you receive one more of our comrades for combat training.

We thank you in advance for your attention to this petition, and express a deep appreciation for the aid you have already provided to our concerns in the given subject area. [Text is just as ambiguous in Russian.]

With Communist salutations,

Humberto Vargas Carbonell Member of [unclear] and Secretary of the CC of PVP of Costa Rica

Moscow, 4 December 1973

Translation by: [Name unclear]

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