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TO ALL NC MEMBERS AND ORGANIZERS

Dear Comrades,

A number of comrades around the country have received a letter from James Haughton on behalf of the Committee for a Free South Africa. The letter states that Mr. I.B. Tabata will be making a speaking tour of the United States next fall, solicits sponsorship for the committee, and lists the objectives of the committee.

There is a serious security problem involved both for the individual and the party in any member becoming a sponsor of this committee. Therefore no member of the SWP should become a sponsor of this committee.

Comradely,

Barry Sheppard

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for the Administrative Committee

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In the fall of 1970, Mr. I.B. Tabata, President of the Unity Movement of South Africa, will be visiting the United States to speak and inform the American people of the atrocious and oppressive conditions being suffered by African people. The racist government of South Africa has created a situation of profound crisis that demands the attention and support of all democratic minded people.

We are, therefore, requesting that you join the Committee for a Free South Africa as a sponsor to assist and support the efforts of Mr. Tabata. The objectives of the Committee are:

- a. To raise funds to assist in the liberation struggle of the oppressed people of South Africa
- b. To aid victims of oppression and exploitation in South Africa
- c. To sponsor speakers who may, from time to time, address series of meetings in the United States on the national situation and struggle for liberation in South Africa
- d. To arouse interest in the general struggle for freedom of the oppressed in South Africa
- e. To educate the people of the United States on the South African situation and current events by all means at its disposal
- f. To encourage the population of the United States to regard the struggle for the emancipation of the unliberated parts of Africa as their own

We trust that you are in sympathy with these objectives and will join us as a sponsor. Please return the enclosed card at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely yours,
s/James Haughton
Secretary

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Enclosure