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SACTU Rep.
Toronto

Dear Comrade,

Greetings.

At the recent meeting of ANC Wpg Unit I informed our comrades that you had been approached by Susan White of Maac and that she had extended an invitation to you to visit Winnipeg.

We assumed that you would come as a SACTU rep. and that you would meet with labour personnel.

It is the view of the Winnipeg comrades if you are taken about by a Maac person you would be undermining all the good relationships we have established via AAM. In fact we doubt very much if Nels Thibault, pres. of the MFL, will meet with you if you are escorted by anyone who has dealings with Maac. Nels knows the situation in Winnipeg and will have absolutely nothing to do with Maac.

The Winnipeg comrades feel very strongly about this issue. They see a full year's work being destroyed and all the confusion that existed a year ago will once again come into existence.

We cannot stress the seriousness of your contemplated visit to Winnipeg enough, if you were to arrive here as a guest of Maac. Our policy has been to ignore Maac and to isolate them as much as possible.

We cannot dictate to you as a SACTU Rep. in Canada, but you cannot expect our co-operation in any way, especially if it is your intention to meet with us as well. Maac is a dying group, their survival depends upon the exposure they can get by jumping on the bandwagon as the opportunity presents itself.

We sincerely hope that you will consider very carefully the points expressed above.

AMANDIA!

cc. ANC Chief Rep. ✓

In the Struggle

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