

In the process of developing its own version of a people's socialist democracy based on Islamic teaching?;, and

with the aim of realising the cherished goal of assuming the leading role in championing the cause of 3rd World liberation and the anti-imperialist (particularly anti-U\*S\*A administration) struggle\*

Libya under Kaddafi has evolved two agencies for propagating its foreign policy\*

At the political level, she has created permanent Secretariats for organising conferences which deal with Arab liberation struggle, with inter-national or regional participation for various socio-political

solidarity and peace organisations! trade unions of workers, youth or students! scientific research or academic institutions etc.

b; At the practical level of implementing the concept of a collective anti-imperialist revolution, Libya has created a Secretariat (3SAYABA) for coordinating measures for assisting those engaged in struggle for Liberation - be it against colonialism, neo-colonialism, racism, Zionism or other forms of foreign domination.

HAT ABA is a more select grouping for those organisations which are (or claim to be) engaged in revolutionary struggle to overthrow their

Group (a) is largely a platform to demonstrate Libya's anti-imperialist position, with Kaddafi portrayed as the natural successor to outstanding freedom-fighters like Nasser! prominent revolutionaries

who were specifically invited to a conference convened by the International Secretariat for 'Solidarity with the Arab People and their National Cause, Palestine (generally referred to as the Z\*S\*A «3A«)

were organised around the commemoration of the American aggression (on

Libyan Resistance to this aggression), at the various levels referred to above\*



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(i) Opinion

Wc should continue to respond to 3uch invitations, I if only to mantain contacts both with the hosts and the varied participants, such occasions should be useful for those being inducted to international Fora at

appropriate levels (students, trade unions, research etc). However, our delegation should be properly briefed not to rock the boat, but to appreciate the real purpose for attending such conferences.

## (ii) 13S Secretariat

I made it clear to the Convener that even our membership in the Permanent Secretariat does not mean we shall have a specific individual attending. ANC will on each occasion, delegate 1\*10 who would attend. I personally gained a lot from this meeting and would like others to share this educative experience.

## 3. AKC- Lyblan Relations

My major objective in attending this conference was to seek clarification on the present ABC - Libyan relations to assess the general climate vis-à-vis the ANC in the light of PAC permanent presence in the country. I also wanted to establish which was the correct channel for serious discussions at the level which receives serious attention from the Guide.

Without going into details I can report that the mission was successful.

The situation is very favourable. Our presence is genuinely desired, with good prospects for ultimate ousting of the PAC not only at (a) level, as appears to be the case, but also at the all-decisive (b) level. There is no doubt that the level of our struggle makes it difficult for Libya to retain credibility as a champion of Liberation when the AUC is visibly absent at the shrine, the stand to gain a lot from strengthening our relations without any conditions being put with which we could not live in terms of the ANC policy.

The ball is in our court.

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