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AFRICAN NATIONAL CONGRESS (SA)
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CANADA.

Dear Comrade,

We have sent you a cable on the 21st September, 1977, ^{to contact} and send a delegate to the 19th convention of the young communist league of Canada to be held in Toronto from September 30 to October 2. Due to their request to finance ourselves in transportation and not being in a position to do so, we request your office to choose a delegate to this conference.

We forward herewith the invitation to you, for this conference. We hope you will be able to set a delegate.

With warmest revolutionaly and fraternal greetings, I remain comradely yours.

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Youth and Students Secretary.

Young Communist League of Canada

La Ligue Des Jeunesses Communistes Canadiennes

Executive Council / 24 Cecil Street, Toronto, Ontario

August 10, 1977

Dear Comrades:

On behalf of the Central Council of the Young Communist League of Canada we extend our warmest and most solidarious fraternal greetings, and inform you that the last session of the Central Council of the YCL decided to convene the 19th Convention of our organization from September 30 to October 2 of this year. Our 19th Convention will be held in Toronto.

The 19th Convention will review the developments, internationally and within Canada since our 18th Convention in 1974 and will chart a new program to unite the young people of our country into an alliance for the winning and preservation of youth rights and for a democratic solution to the Crisis of Confederation in Canada.

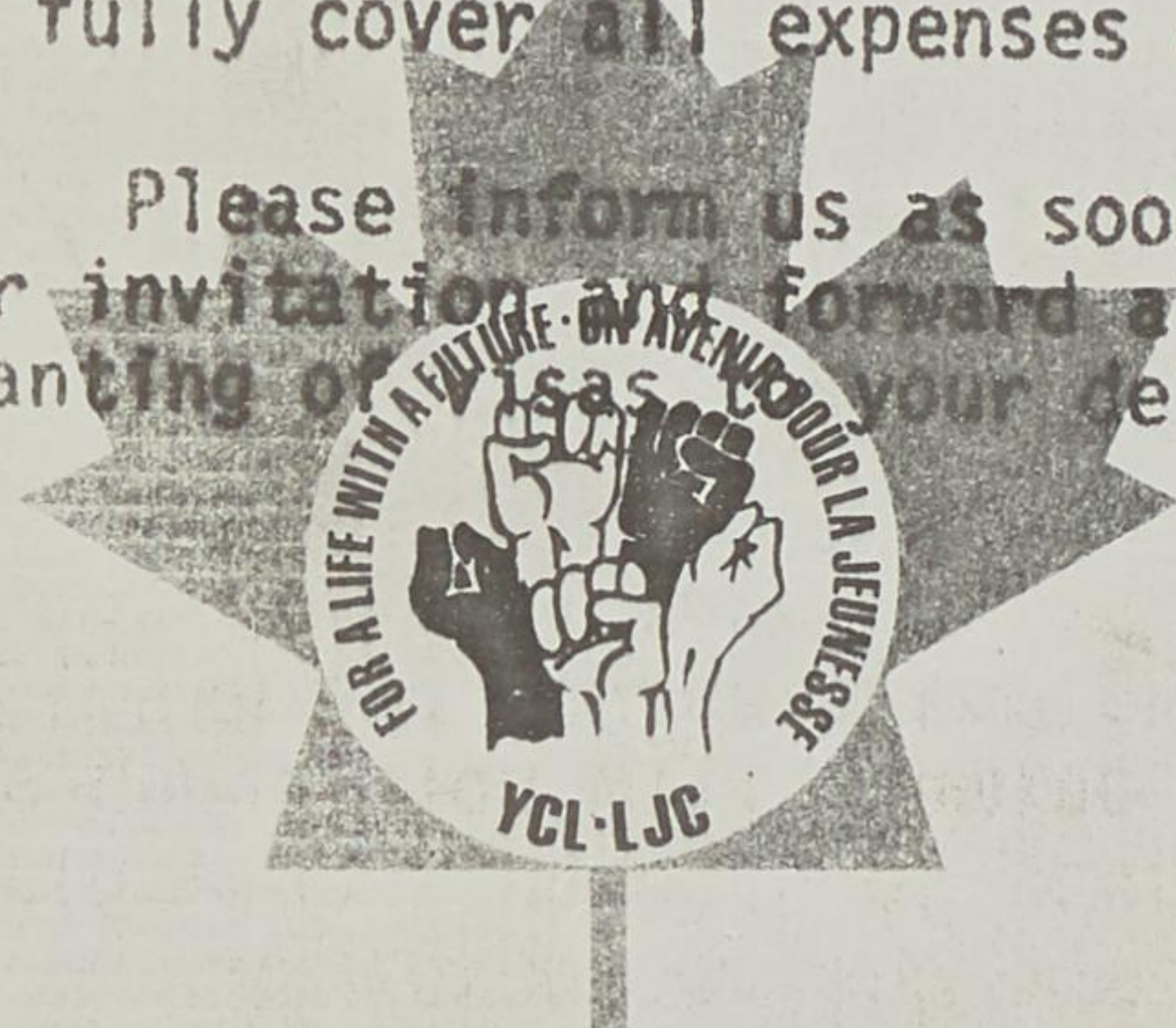
Delegates to our 19th Convention will adopt policies of struggle for the winning of the most basic of youth rights: the right to a job, the right to a quality education, the right to leisure, the right to a secure and peaceful world, the right to a genuine democracy. Our 19th Convention will propose a program of struggle for youth to win a new constitution for Canada, a constitution based on the bi-national character of our country and a constitution which will guarantee a genuine Canadian independence. Delegates to our 19th Convention will demand the right to national self determination for the youth and people of French Canada, the elimination of racism in our country, the winning of full and equal rights for young women, and the withdrawal of Canadian support for the aggressive military pacts of NATO and NORAD.

Our 19th Convention will put forward policies to win the support of the young people of Canada for peace and against imperialism, to win the support of Canadian youth for the world wide struggles of young people against colonialism, apartheid, fascism and racism. Our convention will examine and review the preparations for the Eleventh World Festival of Youth and Students and project policies to further broaden and expand the influence of the Festival movement in Canada.

On behalf of the Central Council of the YCL of Canada, we extend an invitation to your organization to send a delegation of one to attend and participate in our 19th Convention. The participation of a delegation from your organization will further deepen and extend the fraternal relations which our two organizations enjoy, but will add a special vigour to the proceedings of our convention and will strengthen the anti-Imperialist and anti-monopoly sentiment of Canadian young people and will mark a significant advance in the development of friendly relations and understanding between the young people of our two countries.

While we are unable to provide transportation expenses, we will be more than happy to fully cover all expenses of your delegation during your stay in our country.

Please inform us as soon as possible if your organization will be able to accept our invitation and forward all relevant details in order that we may begin to pursue the granting of visas for your delegation.



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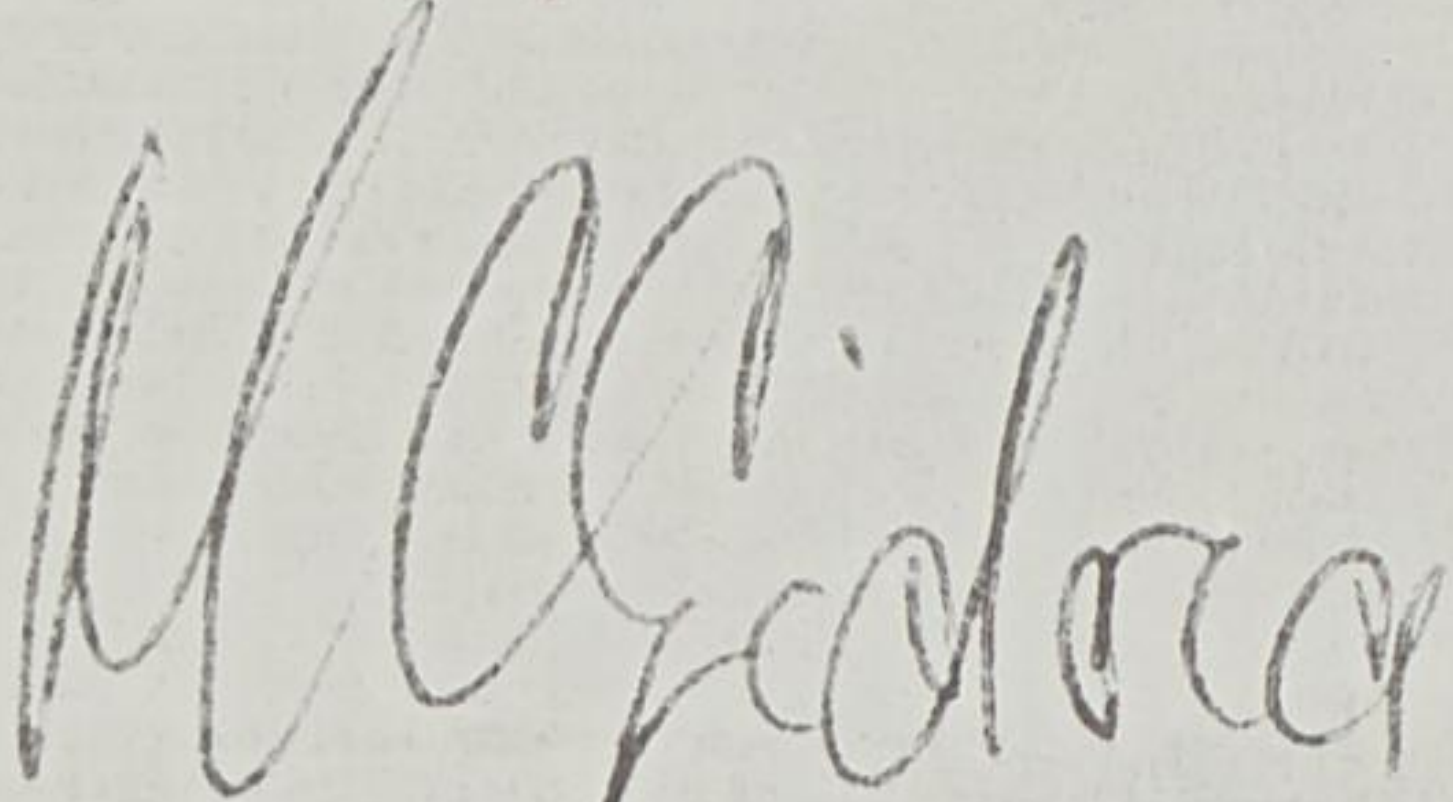
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Our best wishes to you and your entire membership in your work.

With warmest revolutionary and fraternal greetings, I remain

Comradely yours



Michael Gidra
General Secreatry
Young Communist League of Canada

