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1. Volodia Teitelboim Volosky, prominent Chilean Communist leader, has been commissioned by the Political Commission of the Party to prepare a list of instructions to be issued at a later date to the Party's cadres. Teitelboim's document has not yet been completed, [redacted] but information concerning the proposed instructions has been obtained. The document is expected to be approved by the Political Commission and put into immediate effect as soon as it is completed.
2. The following points are to be included in the report:
  - a. It is essential to study and be fully acquainted with capitalist press and radio propaganda which is directed against the Communists. This is considered important to enable the Communists to refute that propaganda effectively.
  - b. Individuals who do not believe in the imminence of war must be closely watched. Chileans frequently are indifferent to international problems stating that there are sufficient local, national problems to solve. The Party militants, according to these instructions, are to agree that numerous local problems exist but only as a reflection of the international situation.
  - c. It is necessary to insist repeatedly to both the militants and to anti-Communists that capitalist and socialist regimes can co-exist peacefully. To Communists who have been improperly oriented, it is necessary to explain that Lenin never said that the two forms of government could not live together in peace although he did predict that struggle between the two forces was inevitable.
  - d. The Communists must beware of Socialist attempts to subvert Communist groups with the message that a nationalistic class struggle, independent of Moscow, is the most effective.
  - e. American propaganda stating that the Stockholm Peace Petition solely favors the interests of the USSR must be decried as false to all Party members. It is necessary to prove that Communists sincerely want peace and that there are many non-Communists who also favor the cause of peace.

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- f. To complete these assignments there must be strict self-discipline among the Party cadres; and Party documents, pamphlets and resolutions must be studied conscientiously.
  - g. The pro-Communist press must devote sufficient space to cover fully news items regarding the Pro-Peace movement in Chile and abroad. Particular emphasis should be given to events which might serve as examples to other pro-peace adherents. Together with information on the Pro-Peace movement the press must publish information regarding the crimes which the imperialist powers contemplate, such as their project to drop an atom bomb on South America and then blame the Soviets for this outrage. This alleged American project was reported in the Cuban Communist newspaper Hoy.
  - h. As a final recommendation it is noted that the Party's enemies are daily fabricating new lies; and that they are making new plans to defeat the people and to destroy Communism throughout the world. The Party members are instructed to be alert to these dangers and to study carefully imperialist, anti-Communist propaganda in order to prepare the Communists for defense, eventual combat and final victory over the imperialist powers. The Koreans, fighting with inferior arms and threatened by the use of the atom bomb, should serve as an example.
3. Communist Senator Elias Lafferte Gavino believes that the proposed instructions should be more practical and should include specific examples to guide the militants. During his recent trips to the mining areas of the north of Chile, Lafferte reportedly decided that the Party members there needed detailed and precise instructions from the Party to enable them to operate effectively.

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