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# Communist Party of Spain (Marxist-Leninist)

## Greetings from Spanish communists

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## Greetings From Spanish Communist Party (Marxist-Leninist)

The Central Committee of the  
Communist Party of China

Comrade Mao Tsetung

Dear Comrades:

We wish to extend to you in this message the warmest congratulations of our Central Committee and the whole of our Party on the extraordinary success attained by the socialist science of your country in launching the first man-made satellite which was placed in orbit on last April 24.

Great are the joy and enthusiasm which the news of the said launching has aroused not only in the ranks of our Party but also among the masses of the Spanish people who regard the great People's China as the strongest and most powerful fortress of world revolution and of the peoples' struggles against U.S. imperialism, reaction and Soviet social-imperialism.

The launching of the man-made satellite by Chinese scientists, technicians and workers is a great victory of the revolutionary line formulated and guided by your Party and Comrade Mao Tsetung for developing revolution and promoting production and science, a line which has emerged victorious out of the battles of the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution and has been confirmed and reinforced at the Ninth Congress of the glorious Communist Party of China held last year.

In the meantime, the launching and putting into the earth orbit of China's man-made satellite deals a destructive blow to the policy of blackmail and monopoly pursued by U.S. imperialism as well as the Soviet revisionist clique in the field of space science to back up their policy of aggression and world domination and of dividing the so-called spheres of influence of theirs.

In face of this new and magnificent victory of the great People's China, the red bastion of revolution, the Spanish people, who are suffering and fighting under the yoke of the criminal fascist dictatorship of Franco, lackey of U.S. imperialism, feel elated and encouraged to continue their struggle for the overthrow of the dictatorship and the expulsion of the U.S. imperialists from our soil.

For us Spanish Marxist-Leninists, who for more than five years have held aloft the banner of struggle of

Marxism-Leninism, of Mao Tsetung Thought against modern revisionism of our country headed by the renegades Carrillo and Ibarri, have held aloft the banner of struggle for national independence, and are reconstructing the Spanish Communist Party (Marxist-Leninist), this new victory of the Chinese people is a reason for extraordinary happiness because we consider it a victory not only of your people and your Party but also of all the people and revolutionary forces throughout the world who are fighting against the same enemies.

Moreover, this new progress made by People's China in space science and technology has strengthened the defence capabilities of your great country to oppose the policy of constant threats and provocations by the U.S. imperialists and Soviet social-imperialists. This concerns vital interests of all the masses of people and revolutionary forces of the whole world who regard People's China as their firmest and most intransigent defender.

While the U.S. imperialists, the Soviet social-imperialists and all reactionaries in the world are trembling before this new victory of China's revolutionary science, the people all over the world are rejoicing over and are enthusiastic about this new proof of the correctness of the revolutionary line of Comrade Mao Tsetung and your Party in developing and consolidating the revolution based upon the dictatorship of the proletariat and the incessant struggle against the vestiges of old society.

Dear comrades, we wholeheartedly wish you new victories in building socialism and developing space science and technology under the correct leadership of your great leader, Comrade Mao Tsetung, and your glorious and heroic Party.

Long live Comrade Mao Tsetung, the Lenin of our era!

Long live the glorious Communist Party of China!

Long live the heroic Chinese people!

Long live proletarian internationalism!

Executive Committee of the Spanish  
Communist Party (Marxist-Leninist)

Madrid, April 27, 1970