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Quito, February 17, 1949

SUBJECT: Communist Meeting in Celebration of Communist  
Victories in China.

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OFFICE OF  
AMERICAN REPUBLIC AFFAIRS  
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THE SECRETARY OF STATE,

WASHINGTON.

SIR:

With reference to this Embassy's despatches nos. 101 of January 27 and 120 of February 3, 1949, there is given below, in translation, the text of a communist handbill calling for a meeting at Guayaquil on February 4, 1949 in commemoration of the communist victories in China. As indicated in the despatches under reference, such propaganda designed to make political capital of communist successes in China had been anticipated in reports reaching a controlled American source.

"POPULAR ASSEMBLY  
IN FAVOR OF A DEMOCRATIC CHINA

Place: Carpenter's Society  
Day: Friday, February 4  
Hour: 8 p.m.

On February 4 there will take place at the Carpenter's Society the tribute of the people of Guayaquil to the heroic Chinese people who are in a victorious campaign defeating the militarist Chinese bandits led by Chiang Kai Shek, servants of the Feudal Chinese masters and of Yankee Imperialism, who tried to subjugate for all time the great Chinese nation, for the purpose of keeping it in misery and under exploitation.

The defeat of the feudal masters and other anti-democratic Chinese elements is showing us the road of our own social liberation; the unity of our people, who headed by the working class and democratic forces has the obligation to struggle to death against its irreconcilable enemies; the feudal masters of the Sierra and the unpatriotic, reactionary and unprogressive capitalists.

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The defeat of Yankee imperialism illustrates, in this example, that the unity of the people and its determination to fight can achieve national liberation and that Imperialism is by no means an invincible force; that on the contrary, it is a decadent and corrupt force which is on the verge of defeat by the forces of the people of the world.

Together with the people of Guayaquil there will be found at this great Assembly, the democratic forces, who are the loyal defenders of the interests of the people and of the Fatherland.

All of Guayaquil to the Assembly of February 4 which will be a great day in the political annals of Guayaquil!

The working class, the leftist political parties, the students, the cultural institutions, all those who desire the liberation of the people, come to the Assembly of February 4!

For the destruction of Imperialism and the social and national liberation of Ecuador.

Communist Party of Ecuador - C.R.L.  
and C.L. of Guayaquil."

Respectfully yours,

*John F. Simmons*  
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