
Labour Party of Spain {PTE} Message on the death of Mao

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Letter From Political Bureau of Central Committee of Labour Party Of Spain

The Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the Labour Party of Spain sent a letter on September 9 to the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China, expressing condolences on the passing of Chairman Mao Tsetung.

The letter says: "Comrade Mao Tsetung, one of the greatest leaders of the international proletariat, has passed away. Like Marx, Engels, Lenin and Stalin, he marked out a complete historical stage of mankind with his tremendous revolutionary wisdom, his fidelity to Marxism-Leninism and his staunch confidence in the masses."

The letter continues: "Mao Tsetung raised Marxism-Leninism to a new level, and applied it creatively to socialist revolution in colonial, semi-colonial and semi-feudal countries, and to the struggle against imperialism and social-imperialism under new conditions, thereby guiding the Communist Party of China and the Chinese people to success in socialist construction." "Comrade Mao Tsetung's contribution to revolutionary theory and practice has become an inseparable part of the scientific thought of mankind, and will be an inestimable weapon in our hands in the struggle for democracy, for the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat and for the realization of communism."

The letter says in conclusion: "Our whole Party and the people of all nationalities in Spain, together with the Communist Party of China and the fraternal Chinese people, mourn for the great Marxist-Leninist revolutionary and the leader of the proletariat and the oppressed people of the world. We share your grief."