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To Members of the LTF Steering Committee

Dear Comrades,

In addition to formally calling a meeting of the LTF Steering Committee for August in North America (see letter from John Benson elsewhere in this mailing), the meeting of the LTF Coordinating Committee held around the April 30-May 2 United Secretariat meeting took up our response to the "Declaration of the International Majority Tendency" (included in this mailing). The Coordinating Committee, by majority vote, adopted the position contained in Barry Sheppard's report to the April plenum of the National Committee of the Socialist Workers Party (U.S.) (included in this mailing). This included a proposal to the IMT leadership that both the IMT and the LTF stop further discussions within each faction on their respective European resolutions, and that discussions be held in the United Secretariat to explore the possibility of writing a new common document on Europe.

Comradely,

Barry Sheppard