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4 Ashok Road, New Delhi

October 12, 1962

CIRCULAR No. GC/1/62

To All Members of the General Council

Sub: GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING
(Delhi, November ~~13~~-17, 1962)

Dear Comrades,

The meeting of the General Council is overdue. It should have been held three or four months ago. But something or the other of sufficiently overriding importance came in the way.

In the meanwhile, we had started building an office for the AITUC, since the premises at Ashok Road were no longer suitable. We have taken the second floor of the PPH Building and built our own structure according to our plan on it. We have spent about one lakh of rupees on it. We hold a lease-cum-ownership on the premises for thirty years, that is, till 1992. That is "permanency" enough for our purposes.

We could not purchase a separate plot and build on it. Because that would have cost us about three lakhs for a sizeable small building. As we had only about Rs.65,000 of the Building Fund collection, we gave up that idea and took to this semi-ownership, semi-tenancy basis. This will satisfy our needs for the present.

We thought of holding the Council in the new office in August-September. But, as usual, the work of the building did not keep to the expected time table.

Now we propose to hold the meeting in November in our own premises.

The Working Committee will meet on 13th November and the Council on 14, 15, 16 & 17th November 1962.

On 18th and 19th, the Secretariat and the Executives of the various all-India Industrial Federations such as Transport, Engineering and Metal, and Coal will meet and discuss their special problems. If necessary, some of these executives may hold sittings at night after the Council sessions.

Meetings of the Working Youth, who had held a conference recently will also take place.

The problem of working women, as workers and women, will also be given a special consideration by trade union leaders working in that field. The World Federation of Trade Unions has called for attention to both. A World Conference of Working Women has been decided upon for next year.

The agenda of the Council will be a heavy one.

The problem of wages due to rising prices and taxes have become an acute one. As a result, the workers' struggles for wages and bonus are gathering momentum.

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The unorganised and low-paid trades are showing great activity and our organisation is not able to cope up with them.

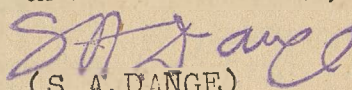
Quite a few determined struggles have taken place and with success. The Wage Boards have nearly exhausted their initial utility, though demand for them does and should exist in industries and areas not covered so far.

The Council will have to concentrate mainly on the wage problem, the struggles for wages and the organisation. We hope comrades will come prepared with reports, with necessary facts and figures, reviewing the position over a period. The Centre will try to review from whatever material is at hand or has been received from the States.

The agenda proposed is being circulated separately.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,



(S. A. DANGE)

General Secretary

ALL INDIA TRADE UNION CONGRESS

5, Jhandewallan, Rani Jhansi Road, NEW DELHI I.

November 5, 1962.

Circular No. G073/62

To all members of the General Council
and special invitees.

Subject: WORKING COMMITTEE AND GENERAL COUNCIL
MEETINGS.

Dear comrades,

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General council of AITUC will now be held on 16th, 17th and
18th November, 1962 instead of from 13th to 17th Nov. as
announced earlier.


The only agenda for consideration is to ~~discuss~~
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country.

Delhi is getting cold and therefore comrades
are requested to bring with them enough bedding and warm
clothings.

It would be helpful if you inform us beforehand
the train and the date of arrival.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,


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October 16, 1962

Dear Comrade,

The Consultative ~~Committee~~ meeting to finalise our reply to the Steel Wage Board questionnaire would be held in CALCUTTA on 22nd October 1962.

The meeting would begin at 6 P.M. in the DC Office, on October 22 and would continue on 23rd and possibly, in the forenoon of 24th if necessary.

We hope you will attend the meeting and that you would bring with you facts and reports which would be necessary for drafting the Replies to the Questionnaire.

Com.Dange would be attending the meeting. He would reach Calcutta at 3.30 p.m. on 22nd October and would be leaving on 24th October noon, for Bhubaneswar.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

me
(K.G.Srivastava)
Secretary

ALL - INDIA TRADE UNION CONGRESS

4 Ashok Road, New Delhi

October 12, 1962

CIRCULAR No.W/1/62

To All Members of the Working Committee

Sub: WORKING COMMITTEE MEETING
(Delhi, November 13, 1962)

Dear Comrade,

The Working Committee of the AITUC will meet in the new AITUC office at Rani Jhansi Road (PPH Building, 2nd Floor), New Delhi, on November 13, 1962. The meeting will begin at 11 A.M.

The following agenda is being proposed:

- 1) Confirmation of Minutes of the last meeting
- 2) Affiliation of unions
- 3) Finalisation of the Agenda of the General Council meeting.
- 4) Any other subject with the permission of the President.

Arrangements for boarding and lodging have been made at Maharashtra Bhavan (Opp. Police Station), Paharganj, New Delhi, which is only a few yards from the meeting place. These arrangements are from 13th November onwards for the Working Committee and General Council Members and a sum of Rs.15 will be charged from Members on this account and the rest will be subsidised. Comrades who come earlier or stay longer can do so, on payment of Rs.5 per day per head for boarding and lodging, on their own.

Please inform us in advance when you will be reaching Delhi.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

K.G. Sriwastava

(K.G. Sriwastava) 17/10/62
Secretary

ALL - INDIA TRADE UNION CONGRESS

4 Ashok Road, New Delhi

October 12, 1962

CIRCULAR No. GC/2/62

To All General Council Members

Sub: GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING
(Delhi, November 13-17, 1962)

Dear Comrades,

The General Council of the AITUC will meet in the new AITUC office at Rani Jhansi Road (PPH Building, 2nd Floor), New Delhi, from November 13 to 17, 1962. The meeting would begin at 3.00 P on November 13.

Following agenda is being proposed:

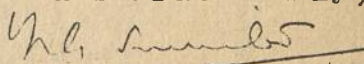
- 1) Confirmation of the Minutes of the last meeting
- 2) Report of Activities since last meeting
- 3) Organisation of Working Women and Working Youth
- 4) Discussion on Organisation
- 5) Any other subject with the permission of the President.

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