A State Department official admitted to IPS that he "was not sure if the State Department or the U.S. Government has the legal authority to activate this emergency plan." Nonetheless the Office of Preparedness stated that "this time an oil boycott would not be handled by the U.S. government, but would be under the control of the IEA." In other words, the State Department and the Office of Preparedness have gotten the word that the Congress and existing laws are to be by-passed in the event of an oil emergency or embargo.

The U.S. receives only ten per cent of their fuel supplies from the Arab countries, while Western Europe gets 75 per cent from those sources. The IEA agreement, therefore, commits the U.S. to make up the 75 per cent if a total oil boycott occurred -- the U.S. being the only country with sufficient supplies. This agreement would mean that, in case of a Rockefeller engineered second oil hoax, the U.S. would give up its sovereignty to a supranational Rockefeller body. Control over U.S. energy resources would also give the Rockefellers control over the political and economic life of the other 17 nations involved.

The International Energy Agency which is set up to include emergency stockpiling, emergency sharing arrangements, and control over distribution to member nations fits neatly into Rockefeller's plan to create a world fascist dictatorship.

DANISH CP LEADER RETAILS ANTI-ELC SLANDERS

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 20 (IPS) -- Ib Norlund, central committee member and chief theoretician of the Danish Communist Party (DCP), has resorted to CIA/NATO liberal sewer press sources for a cheap slander attack on the European Labor Committees (ELC). One of the slanders asks where the ELC gets its money, implying that it is from government sources. The Norlund piece, appearing in the latest issue of TIDEN, the DCP theoretical organ, was then picked up in a "Letter to the Editor" in the CP daily, Land og Folk Nov. 13, to ensure that the "official" word circulates widely in rank and file circles.

The interesting question is why Norlund and certain figures in the DCP feel threatened enough to mention an opponent socialist organization by name, giving the realtively tiny ELC forces in Denmark the benefit of so much free publicity.

"Dark Origins"

The Norlund piece is filled with nationalist pandering such as "they run their Danish activities from Sweden" -- implying that this alone is reason for suspicion. But the core of the anti-ELC attack, interestingly enough, explicitly draws on the authority of a CIA slander authored by "new left" CIA agent Jorgen Dragsdahl, which refers to the "dark origins" of the ELC and accuses the fraternal U.S. Labor Party of "splitting the U.S. labor movement."

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Drafsdahl printed his silly statement in the pseudo-left rag, Politisk Revy this past spring, only three weeks after the ELC established a chapter in Denmark! The Dragsdahl piece represented the introduction of the U.S. CIA line to Denmark.

The escalation of slander in the DCP occurs in the wake of effective ELC interventions into public DCP meetings in recent weeks, demanding that the leadership clarify its proposals to fight the international Rockefeller-directed attacks on working class organizations and standards of living. At one such meeting, DCP chairman Knud Jespersen, after swinishly saying "the Soviet Union doesn't need our help," responded hysterically to an ELC question: "You ELC, you go around various countries organizing workers. Listen, I wouldn't even dare tell workers in this suburb what to do."

Unfortunately, so far it appears that Mr. Jespersen was not exaggerating. DCP activity in recent weeks has been focused on a frantic effort to mobilize an estimated half million workers to demonstrate Nov. 26 in Copenhagen. So far the DCP's only response to worker ferment, now at fever pitch in the midst of the highest unemployment since the war, is to cry "Dump Hartling" (the minority liberal Prime Minister) and to call for a series of domestic public works projects to be paid for by "the state"—conveniently neglecting to say where the state must go in a depression to finance any further expansion.

The "National Roads" Disease

What is happening now within certain leadership layers of the DCP is hardly limited to Denmark. The ELC is demanding a united Europeanwide defense of the working class built around the development of a fusion power alternative and maintenance of production at the expense of Rockefeller financial interests. The slimier Communist leadership in Europe, including confessed CIA agent Amendola of the Italian Communist Party and Hermansson of Swedish Communist Party, have, like Jaspersen, come out with a very strange line, claiming that the Soviet Union can handle its own problems. This anti-Soviet "national roads to socialism" hogwash, combined with acceptance of Rockefeller-imposed austerity measures -- if adopted by the masses of CP-influenced workers in Scandinavia and Europe -- would provide the basis for mass demoralization and brutal decimation of the working class. The Norlund Jespersen leadership of the DCP must answer to the working class for its advocacy of the CIA/Amendola line.

MASS STRIKE FERMENT GROWS IN FRANCE; GISCARD NO LONGER USEFUL TO ROCKEFELLER

Nov. 20 (IPS) -- Working class ferment is reaching fever proportions in France, following yesterday's general strike and massive demonstrations. 400,000 workers demonstrated in Paris alone, and hundreds of thousands in other major cities throughout the country: 60,000 in Marseilles; 50,000 in Lyon and Toulouse; and in Brittany, masses