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In an effort to stimulate the payment of dues, the Partido Socialista Popular (PSP) has announced that those members who become current in their payments during December will have affixed to their carnets a special seal carrying a picture of Stalin. A copy of the announcement, signed by Blas ROCA, is attached. It claims that the payment of back dues is one way to render homage to "the greatest, most valiant, capable and disciplined militant communist in the world".

Any doubt as to the communist ideology of the Partido Socialista Popular is dispelled by the slogan concluding the announcement: "That each militant can show with just communist pride his carnet with the seal!"

Comment:

The PSP has admitted openly on numerous occasions that its financial situation is not good. It has frequently found it necessary to initiate special campaigns in an effort to collect dues from its members.

For the Ambassador:

Henry A. Hoyt

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Second Secretary of Embassy

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A Todos los Miembros del Partido Socialista Popular

Compañeros:

Estamos luchando porque cada militante se ponga al día en el pago de la cuota, en este mes de diciembre, como una forma de rendir homenaje al más grande, valiente, capaz y disciplinado militante comunista del mundo, el camarada Stalin, en ocasión de cumplirse un año más de su preciosa existencia.

Todos los financieros de los Comités Socialistas deben urgir a los militantes para que se pongan al día.

Todos los militantes deben buscar y encontrar la manera de ponerse al día en el pago de sus cuotas.

Es cuestión de honor para cada militante tener sus cuotas al día para merecer el preciado sello especial con la efigie de Stalin, guía genial del proletariado mundial y abanderado de la paz.

¡Que cada militante pueda exhibir con justo orgullo comunista su carnet con el sello! ¡Que ninguno se quede atrasado en este mes de diciembre! ¡Que todos se pongan al día en el pago de la cuota!

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