



**de LIBERACION NACIONAL PUERTORRIQUEÑA**  
Armed Forces Of Puerto Rican National Liberation

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Today, armed units of the FALN commemorate the 25th Anniversary of the October 30, 1950, revolution in Puerto Rico against Yankee domination and marks the first anniversary of our existence as an organization, by launching a simultaneously coordinated attack against Yankee government and monopoly capitalist institutions in New York, Washington D.C., Chicago, and Puerto Rico.

We demand the immediate independence of Puerto Rico and the unconditional release of the five Puerto Rican Nationalist prisoners; Oscar Collazo, Lolita Lebron, Rafael Cancel Miranda, Andres Figueroa Cordero, and Irving Flores, as well as other Puerto Rican Political Prisoners in Yankee colonial and neo-colonial prisons.

We extend our friendship and solidarity to the United States working class, our allies in the struggle against Yankee facism, who like Puerto Rican workers are being pushed out of work and forced to the unemployment lines while Yankee corporations, and especially the banks, are reaping billions in profits. While the rich and their puppets in government eat and drink well off the sweat of workers, more and more people are being pushed into the unemployment lines.

We also wish to draw attention to the just cause of the Panamanian people who wish to recover their canal zone. We express our unconditional support for them in the realization that the removal of the Yankee colonialists from the area is just as important as our national independence. Should the Panamanian people be forced to resort to arms, the FALN will give them whatever support is necessary.

The FALN welcomes the support given the Puerto Rican National liberation struggle at the solidarity conference in Cuba and the meeting of Non-aligned nations in Peru in September.

we especially acknowledge the moral support given to our organization by the Cuban people and government in a speech made by Prime Minister Fidel Castro in August in which he said that the Cuban government would do all that could to support the FALN. Although we have acquired everything we need at this time from our own efforts, as the struggle intensifies and the needs increase, we may have to claim concrete expression of such support, not only from the revolutionary government of Cuba, but from all supporters of Puerto Rican independence.

These developments, combined with the recent victory of the Puerto Rican cause at the United Nations where the Yanki gorillas were forced to expose their claws to the world by resorting to fascist arm twisting of their own allies in order to prevent a committee discussion of the case of Puerto Rico, reaffirms our position:

Only a protracted, organized armed struggle can force the Yanki invaders out of Puerto Rico.

At a time when our cause is rooted in the international community, the imperialists are undergoing a political and economic crisis in the U.S. and elsewhere, and our historical legacy of struggle is given living proof by the existence of the FALN and the political prisoners. Any organization entering parliamentary politics within the colony is only surrendering to colonialist tactics.

The role of Vanguard and progressive organizations now in Puerto Rico is to organize the armed struggle, telescope the contradictions and establish the Peoples' Army of National Liberation.

We wish to extend our solidarity with all the organizations waging armed struggle within the U.S. against yanki imperialism abroad and capitalist exploitation of the North American working class. We support the definition of a single working class to which everyone living in the United States and working within it belong, despite cultural and ethnic differences which actually enrich your country.

Finally, we send our warmest and most affectionate greetings to the freedom fighters of our Latin American homeland from Argentina's Tierra del Fuego to the South, to Mexico in the north where the struggle continues to end fascist oligarchies and their Yanki masters, and who are creating the many Viet-Nams necessary for the total destruction of imperialism and the victory of democracy, justice, and equality.

Independence for Puerto Rico, now!

Free the Puerto Rican Political prisoners!

F.A.L.N., Central Command