China's Cultural Revolution Is a Crushing Blow Against Imperialism and Revisionism

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A FRONT-PAGE article in the Vol. 3. — No. 32 issue of the *Vanguard*, organ of the Australian Communist Party (Marxist-Leninist), warmly acclaims China's great proletarian cultural revolution, pointing

out that this great cultural revolution is a tremendous blow against imperialism and modern revisionism.

The article said, "Mao Tse-tung for a long time has pointed out that class struggle remains long after the

victory of socialism. Capitalist elements remain in China. They long for their own power. . . . The U.S. imperialists and Soviet revisionist clique put immense hope in these elements who never give up."

Co-ordinating with each other, the article continued, U.S. imperialism and the Soviet revisionist clique have surrounded China with military bases and engaged in intrigues in the Asian countries, African countries and Latin American countries to carry out activities hostile to China. They have launched a huge propaganda and diplomatic offensive against China, and at the same time they have relied heavily upon revisionist elements seeking the restoration of capitalism within China itself. These revisionist elements were the people to plot from within China to co-ordinate with the external U.S. imperialist and Soviet revisionist pressure. But "it is precisely China and its leader Mao Tse-tung who have recognized and analysed the danger of capitalist restoration within a socialist country and who have taken resolute, determined measures against it."

The article emphasized, "The Chinese cultural revolution is uniting the Chinese people ever more firmly: it is getting rid of U.S. imperialism's friends. . . . It is dealing devastating blows against the Soviet revisionists and all those who support them. These people

are being revealed and isolated in the world as real supporters of U.S. imperialism."

Referring to the world significance of China's great proletarian cultural revolution, the article pointed out that it is a very important blow to U.S. imperialism and the Soviet revisionist clique for the benefit of all the oppressed of the world. The Chinese people are fighting the battle of the world, it said, and this battle involves the most fundamental issues of our times. In this struggle, China has the real support of the oppressed of the world, of all genuine anti-imperialists. And these constitute over 90 per cent of the people of the world. Amongst the immense number of ordinary people in Asia, Africa and Latin America, China is the symbol of hope.

U.S. imperialism and the Soviet revisionist clique have tried their best to isolate China, the article noted. But it is they who are really isolated. U.S. imperialism is a symbol of oppression, of hatred by the people of the world. "Yankee go home" rings throughout the world.

In conclusion, the article said, "the future of the world is one of immense struggle. The victory of the people is absolutely assured. But it is victory that can only be attained in vigorous struggle against imperialism headed by U.S. imperialism and against revisionism headed by the leading clique of the C.P.S.U."