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## APPENDIX

### EXHIBIT No. 1

(Referred to on p. 671.)

#### RED GUERRILLA FAMILY COMMUNIQUE

The Red Guerrilla Family is responsible for the attack on the office of Union Carbide at One California Street in San Francisco. We attack Union Carbide because of their chrome-mining operations in occupied Zimbabwe (Rhodesia), for their heavy mining and manufacturing interests in South Africa, and for their murderous exploitation of working people in the U.S., Puerto Rico and throughout the world.

Most Americans know Union Carbide through their Eveready batteries, Prestone anti-freeze, and Glad plastic wraps and bags. But the bulk of their business is as a supplier of high-technology raw materials to industry. They are the nation's largest petrochemical producer, and second only to DuPont in chemicals in general. They sell over \$5 billion worth of chemicals, plastics, metals, uranium, carbons, gases and industrial and consumer goods a year.

Union Carbide has been doing business in Zimbabwe (Rhodesia) since the 1920's, when the country was a British colony. Today Zimbabwe is ruled by the white racist government of Ian Smith. There are about six million native black people in Zimbabwe, and about a quarter of a million white European settlers, three-quarters of whom immigrated there since World War II. Ian Smith represents only the most reactionary group of these white settlers. He has refused to hold any type of democratic election, and has vowed not to allow majority rule "in a thousand years".

Union Carbide's main business in Zimbabwe is the mining of chrome ore. Zimbabwe produces about half of all the chrome used by the U.S. military and industry, and Union Carbide mines over 75% of Zimbabwe's chrome. They mine this chrome in direct violation of the United Nation's economic sanctions against the government of Ian Smith.

The greed of the multi-national corporations like Union Carbide to make money anywhere and everywhere they can is the primary reason Smith's racist regime has lasted this long. Even when the U.N. voted sanctions against Smith's government in 1966, the multi-nationals continued to export chrome from Zimbabwe to the capitalist countries in North America, Western Europe and Japan, disguising it as chrome from South Africa or Mozambique (then a Portuguese colony). In 1971, Union Carbide and the big steel companies, not satisfied with this arrangement, pushed through Congress a bill which allowed the multi-nationals to legally and openly import chrome from Zimbabwe. This bill, called the Byrd Amendment, declared chrome to be a "strategic material" and legalizes its importation from any "non-communist" nation. The bill was pushed through Congress with the same argument that the U.S. was becoming too dependent on chrome from the U.S.S.R., which was supplying from one-third to one-half of the U.S. supply. Since 1971, when the Byrd Amendment was signed by former President Nixon, Russian chrome has continued to account for at least the same proportion of U.S. chrome imports.

Union Carbide also mines chrome ore in South Africa, but it is considered vastly inferior to the ore from Zimbabwe. Union Carbide has been doing business in South Africa since the 1930's. In addition to chrome, they mine vanadium pentoxide, which is used in making steel. Union Carbide has a carbon and graphite electrode factory in South Africa. Union Carbide also sells a number of their products to South African industry, including plastics, industrial and agricultural chemicals, silicones, coating and adhesive resins and special metal alloys.

Southern Africa is not the only part of the world which Union Carbide exploits. They have several factories in Puerto Rico, including a major \$350 million petrochemical plant in Ponce. They mine, manufacture and sell their products on every continent: in Argentine, Bermuda, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador,



Mexico, Panama, Venezuela, in Iran, Pakistan, India and Sri Lanka, in Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Hong Kong, Thailand, the Philippines and Taiwan, in Liberia, the Ivory Coast, Ghana, Zambia, the Sudan, Kenya and the "Spanish" Sahara, in Canada, Australia, Japan and Western Europe.

Union Carbide does some work for the U.S. military, which is the force that gives the multi-nationals the muscle to exploit so many people and so many nations. Union Carbide sells specialized batteries to the military—they sold about \$10 million worth of these during the Vietnam War. They have done research and development work on nuclear reactors for atomic-powered ships and submarines, for the ABM, and for space programs. They run the Oak Ridge National Laboratory for the Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA), one of the successor organizations to the Atomic Energy Commission. They also run two gaseous diffusion plants for the ERDA, one in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, and in Paducah, Kentucky. These plants produce enriched uranium for both civilian and military use.

Union Carbide is as willing to exploit the land and labor of the U.S. as it is to rob the people of Zimbabwe and Puerto Rico. For instance, Union Carbide, along with such corporations as United Nuclear, Homestake Mining, Anaconda and Utah International mine uranium on the Colorado plateau, where Colorado, Utah, Arizona, and New Mexico share common borders. Hundreds of uranium miners will die for years to come because of excessive exposure to radioactive radon gas in inadequately ventilated mines. These same mining corporations dumped radioactive mill tailings into streams and rivers, and onto Navajo Indian reservations, and sold them as land fill for schools, homes, factories and other buildings.

In Charleston, West Virginia, Union Carbide's ferroalloy plant up until the early 1970's put more "particulates"—solid matter—into the air than all of New York City. Some called it the smokiest factory in the world. Union Carbide refused for three years to supply data to federal pollution inspectors on another of its ferroalloy plants, this one in Marietta, Ohio, even though the National Air Pollution Control Administration had documented a considerable increase in lung diseases in the area. The Marietta plant burns high-sulfur coal that Union Carbide strip-mines from its own nearby coal fields.

"When they look at us, they see a little of you . . . And it's all quite simple. Overseas, we're you."

—a Union Carbide ad.

Union Carbide claims that its mining of chrome in Zimbabwe, its mining and manufacturing in South Africa, and its exploitation of working people in every corner of the globe is in the best interests of the American people. This is a lie. It is the super-rich ruling class which owns and controls the giant multi-national corporations that really profits from this corporate plunder. When Ford and Kissinger threaten to stop Southern Africa's "slide into communism", they are not defending the interests of poor and working people, but the interests of corporations like Union Carbide, General Motors, Standard Oil and Polaroid in Africa. When Ford and Kissinger threaten military intervention against the people of Cuba, they are defending the interests of the multi-nationals in Latin America. When Ford and Kissinger demand billions for the military, ignore unemployment and murderous working conditions, and cut back on food stamps and social services, they are defending the interests of the ruling class right here in the U.S.

All progressive and revolutionary people stand in solidarity with the struggling peoples of Zimbabwe, Namibia and South Africa, and with the victorious peoples of Angola and Mozambique, led by the MPLA and FRELIMO. The liberation of Southern Africa will bring the liberation of North America and all the people of the world that much closer.

#### EXHIBIT No. 2

(Referred to on p. 671.)

[From the Washington Star, Apr. 14, 1976]

#### BOMB HITS OFFICE BUILDING

SAN FRANCISCO.—A powerful bomb exploded early today in a downtown high-rise office building, sending frightened workers out into the streets but causing no injuries.

Police said they believed the bomb Building by the Red Guerrilla Family, credit for an explosion three months ago.

The bomb went off just after midnight in offices of Union Carbide Co. and caused five firemen said.

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Police, who had been notified of a bomb threat to the wrong building—the one on the corner of the explosion.

It was the Red Guerrilla Family that was responsible for the explosion, which went off Jan. 14 near the Iranian consulate.

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Police said they believed the bomb was planted in the Mutual Benefit Life Building by the Red Guerrilla Family, the same underground group which took credit for an explosion three months ago in nearby Embarcadero Center.

The bomb went off just after midnight in a 17th-floor rest room near the offices of Union Carbide Co. and caused considerable plumbing and water damage, firemen said.

At least 25 janitors and night workers were still in the 32-story building at the time of the explosion, although telephone callers purporting to be with the terrorist group had given warning.

The Red Guerrilla Family has been linked to several bombings in the Bay Area during the past year, including explosions at the FBI's Berkeley offices and near the Iranian Consulate of Embarcadero Center on Jan. 14.

[From the Washington Post, Apr. 15, 1976]

#### TERRORISTS BOMB S.F. BUILDING

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14 (AP).—A bomb exploded at midnight Tuesday in an 18th-floor restroom of a downtown office building, damaging walls and plumbing. About 25 janitors and other workers in the building escaped unhurt from the blast, for which the terrorist Red Guerrilla Family claimed responsibility.

Police, who had been notified of a bomb threat and were given the location, went to the wrong building—the one next door—and evacuated one janitor before the explosion.

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