

STATEMENT BY QC SDS

WE DEMAND THAT THE SUSPENSIONS OF THE THREE SDS MEMBERS BE RESCINDED AND THAT ALL CHARGES AGAINST THEM BE DROPPED.

WE BELIEVE THAT THE STUDENT COURT HAS PROVED BY ITS SPEECH AND ACTIONS THAT IT IS A TOOL OF THE ADMINISTRATION, DESIGNED TO GIVE A COVER OF LEGALITY AND DUE PROCESS TO THE OUTRIGHT SUPPRESSION OF SDS AND ITS POLITICS. THIS IS SO BECAUSE OF THE OBJECTIVE NATURE OF THE COURT, DESPITE THE HONESTY AND SINCERITY OF SOME OF THE JUSTICES. THERE CAN BE NO DOUBT THAT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE DEFENDANTS TO GET A FAIR TRIAL IN FRONT OF THIS COURT, ESPECIALLY SINCE DEAN OF STUDENTS PIERSON IS BOTH PROSECUTOR AND ULTIMATE JUDGE.

FURTHER, AND MORE IMPORTANTLY, WE BELIEVE THAT THE ACTION TAKEN BY THE THREE DEFENDANTS AND OTHERS TO STOP GENERAL ELECTRIC FROM RECRUITING WAS RIGHT, AND IN THE INTEREST OF THE MAJORITY OF QUEENS COLLEGE STUDENTS. THIS CORPORATION CAME ON CAMPUS TO RECRUIT STUDENTS TO ACT AS ITS AGENTS IN A WORLDWIDE POLICY OF USING RACISM AND EXPLOITATION TO MAKE PROFITS FROM THE PRODUCTION OF IMPLEMENTS OF GENOCIDE. NEITHER THE THREE DEFENDANTS NOR THEIR FELLOW STUDENTS HAVE SWAYED FROM THEIR DETERMINATION TO PREVENT AND PROTEST THIS AND OTHER CORPORATE ATTEMPTS AT RECRUITMENT.

SPECIFICALLY, EVEN GREATER SUPPORT IS BEING CREATED TO OPPOSE THE US MARINE CORPS ON APRIL 10th.

WE CONDEMN THE QUEENS COLLEGE ADMINISTRATION AS A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INTERESTS OF CORPORATIONS, NOT OF STUDENTS. THIS IS NOT AN ACCIDENT, BUT DUE TO THE NATURE OF THIS SOCIETY, IN WHICH A VERY SMALL PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION OWNS AND CONTROLS THE ENTIRE ECONOMY AND MACHINERY OF GOVERNMENT, INCLUDING ALL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

BECAUSE WE THINK THAT THE INTERESTS OF THE CORPORATIONS ARE DIRECTLY OPPOSED TO THE INTERESTS OF STUDENTS, WE DEMAND THAT CORPORATE AND MILITARY RECRUITMENT BE ENDED ON THIS CAMPUS.