

S.E. No. 1 (Plain)

METROPOLITAN POLICE

Special Report

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5th day of May 1980

SUBJECT

1. The following information has been received from a reliable source:

Access to Papers

2. On Wednesday 30th April 1980 at 7.30 pm at the Cricklewood Hotel, Edgware Road, NW2, the North-West London Socialist Workers Party held a district aggregate meeting, attended by about thirty persons.

SUBJECT:

Socialist Workers Party

3. The meeting, chaired by Privacy, began with an attack by the District Organiser, Privacy on those SWP members in the District who had become apathetic since the end of the steelworkers strike. He stated that it was deplorable that less than half the 'paid-up' members in the District were present at the meeting. Privacy had observed that it was only the Harlesden and Kilburn branches who held regular branch meetings, Acton, Cricklewood and Finchley branches appearing to be active only on demonstrations.

REFERENCE:

L00/90/23

4. Privacy, a member of the SWP sub-committee, on Ireland, encouraged members in NW London to become more active in Irish matters in the area. SWP members were to join local Troops Out Movement branches and members were asked to encourage their union branches to send delegates to the forum on Northern Ireland 'Voices for Withdrawal' to be held on 14.5.1980 at Conway Hall, Red Lion Square, WC1. Privacy urged members to sell copies of 'The Worker' (the paper of the Socialist Workers Movement) in local Irish public houses and to assist TOM members with the sale of their paper 'Troops Out'.

5. The following persons were elected to be members of the District Committee:

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6. The undermentioned persons were identified as being present:

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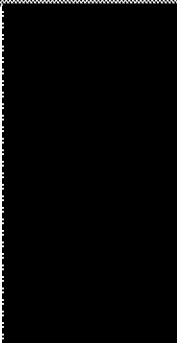
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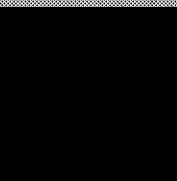


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7. References of the organizations and other persons mentioned in this report:

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Socialist Workers Movement	No Trace
Troops Out Movement	L00/80/36

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