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Kemal Okuyan General Secretary Communist Party of Turkey, TKP

Dear comrade,

On behalf of the Communist Party of Australia please accept warm fraternal greetings to your 13th Congress and celebration of the 100th year of the founding of Communist Party of Turkey (TKP). You have a rich history to celebrate and reflect upon, and from these reflections you will also find the inspiration for the planning of your future work. We wish you every success in these deliberations at your Congress.

As you mentioned in your letter your congress is occurring during the extraordinary times of a pandemic. This pandemic has laid bare for all to see the failures of capitalism and is indeed at a time of crumbling economies and social systems. The work of our comrades everywhere is picking up speed to ensure the real cause of the crisis becomes evident to the people. We are confident that our comrades in the TKP will be successful in achieving their aim of an even more strengthened communist party, a revolutionary party.

On a personal note while in Izmir attending the 21st International Meeting of Communist and Workers' Parties hosted by the TKP in 2019, I was very impressed by the active role of young people in your Party.

In all your struggles the CPA offers its solidarity. We look forward to the outcome of your Congress.

Long live the TKP!

Long live working-class internationalism!

In socialism,

Vinnie Molina CPA President International Department 9th August 2020