

Red Salute to Comrade Rayala Subash Chandra Bose

The Central committee of CPI (ML) expresses its sorrow on the sudden demise of Comrade Rayala Subash Chandra Bose, the Secretary of Telangana State Committee and a member of CC of CPI (ML) New Democracy on 9 March 2016.

Com. Bose was born in 1945 in the village Pindiprolu of Thirumalayapalem Mandal of Khammam district. This village was well known for the role it played during the heroic Telangana peasant armed struggle. With this influence, Com. Bose came into the communist politics and was active in the student movement in the district. He worked along with com. Battula Venkateswararao in the student movement. Though he was attracted towards the ultra-left line during the initial period, very soon he came out of it and took up mass line under the leadership APCRC. He stood by the mass line till the end of his life.

Com. Bose took the responsibility as secretary of Andhra Pradesh Provincial Committee of CPI (ML) ND in 1992. After the bifurcation of the state, he became the secretary of Telangana state committee. He died of brain hemorrhage while continuing in the underground life for long time.

On behalf of the Central Committee of CPI (ML), we are paying revolutionary homage to Comrade Bose, who took up communist revolutionary politics and dedicated his life to the revolutionary movement. We convey our heartfelt condolences to the Comrades of CPI (ML) ND and the bereaved family members.

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Homage to Prof. Randhir Singh

Professor Randhir Singh, Marxist thinker, activist and teacher passed away on January 31, 2016, at the age of 94. As a tribute to the great revolutionary martyr he had requested before his death that his ashes be taken to Hussainiwala where Bhagat Singh was cremated. With his remarkable oratorical skills he forcefully critiqued, both in the classroom and outside, all forms of exploitation which could only end with the establishment of socialism for which communists have to strive conscientiously.

Comrade Randhir Singh was born at Manuke (now in Moga district, Punjab), on January 11, 1922. Prof. Singh studied at Forman Christian College in Lahore. He was deeply influenced by the revolutionary ideas and life of Shaheed Bhagat Singh. Prof. Singh became a wholetime worker of the Communist Party of India (CPI), and apart from his work among students and peasants, he worked for the Party's Panjabi journal, *Jang-e Azadi*. In 1947, he was forced to move to Delhi due to the violence that accompanied partition. At Delhi he got an opportunity to teach at 'Camp College', a unit of the University of Punjab set up for refugees in the city. Further, Com Randhir Singh worked for the Party's Punjabi journal *Sada Jug*. He was appointed as a lecturer at Delhi College (now, Zakir Hussain College, Delhi), where he taught Political Science for nearly two decades. All this while, he was engaged in political activities as a communist, even though he was not a formal member of the Party. Moreover, it was in these two decades that he acquired a formidable reputation as an outstanding teacher. He played an important role in building the teachers' movement as a key organiser of the Delhi University Teachers' Association (DUTA) in its formative period. Prof. Randhir Singh joined the newly established Jawaharlal Nehru University for a short while before he was appointed as professor in the Department of Political Science at the University of Delhi (1972). Com. Singh retired in 1987.

Even at the ripe age of 86 years, Prof. Randhir Singh took pains to deliver Tarimela Nagi Reddy Memorial speech in 2008 at the Gandhi Peace Foundation Hall, New Delhi.

The *Class struggle* pays its revolutionary Homage to Prof. Randhir Singh.

Red salutes to comrade Manda George

The president of RytuCooliSangham (AP) unit of Krishna district, and leader of peasants and poor people, Comrade Manda George passed away on 19 March 2016 after a prolonged illness.

Born in a dalit family that faced landlord oppression in 1940, com.George came towards communist politics at a very early age as his native village konatamatmakuru was the centre of hectic activity during the heroic Telangana Peasant armed struggle. After completing the diploma course in leather technology, he worked as supervisor in a shoe making company for some time. Later he resigned and became a full time organizer in Vijaywada city and then in Jaggayyapet and Nandigama areas.

Throughout his life comrade George stood by the side of peasants, agricultural labourers and dalits. He waged many a struggle in the district championing the demands of the peasants and agricultural labour and stood in the forefront in exposing the atrocities perpetrated on the dalit people in the district.

The Class Struggle pays revolutionary homage to Comrade Manda George and expresses its condolences to his bereaved family members.
