

# African People Stand in Solidarity with Korean People Maintaining Independence



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Comrades,

We gather here in the beautiful city of Pyongyang for the experience exchange meeting of the study and dissemination of the Juche idea, against the backdrop of the recent resumption of the anti-DPRK psychological warfare by the military propagandists of the Republic of Korea (ROK). Using the doubtful “mine explosion” case in the demilitarized zone of the western sector, the ROK embarked on day and night propaganda; leaflets scattering operations against the DPRK and full scale mobilization of reactionary organizations that resulted in a lot of tension.

Africa has indeed been closely following

these developments with great concern. In the circumstances the progressive people of Africa have stood in solidarity with all measures and steps that were taken by the Korean People's Army (KPA), the Workers Party of Korea (WPK), Central Military Commission under the able leadership of Marshal Kim Jong Un to avert a full scale war. Indeed the progressive people of Africa stood in solidarity with the ultimatum which was sent to the ROK Ministry of Defense by the KPA General Staff on Thursday, the 20th of August, 2015, a warning of a strong military action by the KPA unless the ROK stopped psychological broadcasting towards the north within 48 hours. I am happy to note

as we congregate today when the situation has improved, demonstrating the invincibility of Songun politics that ensures total defence of the DPRK's sovereignty and independence.

All progressive people of the world must condemn in strong terms the continuation of imperialist machinations against the Korean people who today strive for steady and rapid economic transformation and well-being of the country.

The world has been keenly following the great strides which Marshal Kim Jong Un has been making on the economic front in a bid to make the country prosperous at the same time pursuing the path of the policy of peaceful reunification of Korea.

This progressive effort ought to be given a chance to succeed.

On this occasion let us affirm our resolve to entrench the understanding of Kimilsungism-Kimjongilism as the eternal guiding philosophy that will rid the world of all forms of domination and exploitation and lead to prosperity and transformation.

We are aware that today Marshal Kim Jong Un is creatively applying Songun politics through creations of miracles built with "Masikryong Speed" all under the banner of the WPK which solemnly proclaimed home and abroad the historic line of simultaneously developing the economic construction and the building up of nuclear forces.

We know that the maneuvers of the enemy aim at halting the Masikryong Speed. And for this reason we must stand firm and condemn the anti-people imperialist

conspiracy.

On this occasion we the people of Africa salute Marshal Kim Jong Un for upholding the centrality of the party, even under the most difficult times when imperialism has been threatening to undermine the sovereignty of the DPRK, upholding Songun politics as was advanced by General Secretary Kim Jong Il, who put fourth defence issues as important under songun.

We cherish First Secretary's resolve to have the great leaders as supreme, hence believing in the masses as in God.

The independence and sovereignty of the DPRK has always been put to the test by imperialist forces led by the US to defeat the Korean form of socialism, through various forms such as psychological, social and cultural infiltration including a military confrontation by the ROK and the US on the DPRK.

All these efforts have been in vain, owing to the ideological clarity of the people in the DPRK, who have been organized through the glorious WPK.

Under the leadership of Marshal Kim Jong Un, the DPRK is now striving for exceptional economic transformation while maintaining Songun politics to ensure the defense capability of the country.

We are gratified that the WPK at every stage of building an enduring socialist society always provides the necessary mobilization weapon for the working people of the DPRK.

We in Africa acknowledge and reflect the unanimous desire of the progressive people over the world boundlessly respecting and

admiring President Kim Il Sung who founded the Juche idea and made immortal contributions to the cause of humanity for independence and national liberation whose fruits are visible not only in this great nation

but all over Africa.

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