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Re: C.C. Desai

Merits of the Case

1. Persistent defiance of Party

During last year openly anti-Party activity on behalf of P.M. and her group

e.g. 1) Support to Monopolies Bill in Select Committee, abolition of Managing Agencies, attack on Managers' remuneration, etc.

2) Working for P.M.'s group for last few months.

2. Offer made by President to let bygones be bygones ~~is~~ rejected.

Read note of discussion on 21st February

3. Tone of the reply

Abuse of the Party

Apart from Machiavillian role of tyrant and capitalist agent assigned to me a la Communist propaganda, authority of C.P.B. challenged and N. E. accused of

- (a) being "stooges of Monopoly capitalism" and neglect of consumers, workers, peasants and small entrepreneurs
- (b) giving "lip sympathy to the cause of free enterprise" and "blatant espousal of the cause of monopoly industry"
- (c) "hypocrisy"
- (d) "peculiar, blind Pro-Syndicate stance"
- (e) "malice and prejudice"

No Party with self-respect can tolerate these aspersions on the integrity of its office-bearers and National Executive and we would be lacking in self-respect if we tolerate it

4. Justification of everything he has done.

Clear he will continue to do so

C. C. does not belong to S.P.

5. Finally, lacking in personal bona fides

Tell story of Wahi's case

Anti-Pol. Action

*For P.M.
P. S. Desai
H. Palmer*

*Thompson
dub*

*Refutation?
1st long paper
on 11/1/52*

*Had Had
Subject
Gry. Ward*

Why did any one expect?

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V. Tripaltri
he writes in 1968

Expediency

Question of timing

Baria's letter

Too much talk and bluff

Gujarat - war of nerves, largely bluff

Read H.T. Gopal
by M.L.A. with leave
if we do not act.

Let us not panic - *Chakravarti*

On the contrary, extremely timely

If there are others who want to follow CC into Indira Gandhi's camp, good to smoke them out

N. J. J. J.

Baria's letter

Suppose we do not take action

G. Dhangar

P. Joshi
vs. Rajaji

(2) C.C.'s campaign for P.M. will be carried on

Faction work will ~~not~~ proceed with impunity

Warn H.M. Patel his position will be much weaker in a few months

Charan Singh deal will be made once ~~majority~~ a Govt. is formed ~~with~~ under such inspiration, and the whole Gujarat Party will be outside our control

A breach at that time will shatter the Party throughout the country

Why should we risk this?

Baria's letter to Dhangar

Rajaji's advice

(1) Offered an
position of
President
1967 -
Refused to
accept challenge
to the
franchise?

leadership is in possessing six qualities: "IKADRA".

1. Imagination: can be described as a picture of a goal which has to be reached by planning and execution. In the ultimate analysis, one can reach the stage of vision which is, of course, given to only a few individuals.
2. Knowledge: is a priceless need that you plan from where you are to your destination. Proper knowledge alone gives the required confidence in attaining goals. It is lack of confidence that makes people show bad temper, indulge in fault-finding and in bullying and shouting techniques. The truth is, there are no bad troops; only bad officers.
3. Ability: While a person acquires skill in performing tasks by himself, it is ability that counts in guiding others to perform the given tasks. Ability will make you do things which other people find difficult.
4. Determination: In fulfilment of any given task, one has to have a determined mind, knowledge of the task, belief that the task can be done and the capacity to convey confidence to everyone involved in the task.
5. Ruthlessness: While this is a discounted value, one cannot achieve distinction without this quality, for the following reasons:
 - a) The idle, the disloyal and the fake have to be dislodged.
 - b) Where such elements are not curbed, it is the willing and able persons who have to bear all the burden. This is a situation that cannot last without affecting the morale of the willing workers.
 - c) Organisational ability can only be improved by rewarding the fit and punishing the unfit.
 - d) Credit is worthwhile only when it is given where due, otherwise it will have no meaning.
6. Attraction: The easiest way to command it is to be visible. Since this is not practical, it has to be made available by being talked about, if not present. One has to do the unexpected and not the common. One has to have extrovert qualities.