## **Press Statement**

On the morning of may 17th 2004, an armed action was carried out at the Danish imperialists' Ministry of Defense in Copenhagen, Denmark, to celebrate the 24<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the People's War in Peru. A bomb was detonated at the main entrance of the ministry, and leaflets were spread around by the explosion. The Danish press reported it as follows:

(From Netavisen Infopaq:) "Ambiguous message behind home made bomb

A homemade bomb, that exploded at the Ministry of Defense early this morning, was a protest against the war in Iraq and the 24 year anniversary of the war in Peru.

The police found a leaflet next to the place of the explosion, which did not do more damage than scorching the front of the ministry. The bomb consisted of a wooden box, possibly filled with homemade fireworks.

"On the leaflet it is stated, that it is a protest against Danish and American participation in the war in Iraq, and that it is the 24 year anniversary of the war in Peru, but I'm not sure what the last part refers to", inspector Per Leo Jepsen tells Netavisen Infopaq.

The police is examining video recordings from the location to find witnesses and have sent the remains of the box for closer examination."



Pictures: TV2

The reactionary press has tried to cover up the political content of the action, specifically by not mentioning and by distorting the slogans of the leaflets. The slogans were:

## Long Live Maoism!

Long live the 24<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the People's War in Peru! Long live the Communist Party of Peru! Defend the life of Chairman Gonzalo! Support the Arab people – Yankee go home! Danish imperialism out of Iraq! People's War until Communism!

-The Long Live Maoism Group in Denmark, May 2004