

Roskilde, march 6th, 1991.

Dear Friend,

Your kind letter of June 7th 1989! has finally reach me. After the arrest in April 89 we were kept in ~~ix~~ isolation in 14 months, and until a week ago our visitors and mail has been subject to censorship. Why your letter could't pass censorship is difficult to understand. The trial is still going on, the sentence will be pronounced in 2-3 weeks, but it will most probably be appealed to the supreme court either by us or the State prosecution.

By Danish standard the trial has been long and spectacular. Excessive ~~an~~ security precautions, in the beginning of the trial the police got the first prosecutor discharged from the case because he was too "nice", a defence lawyer broke down, another died, which delayed the trial for months. Recently the police had to discharge one of their technical experts. His report, which was an attempt to frame us for premeditated murder, had too many "mistakes" and was rejected by the court. Personal contact with police, prison and juridical-system learns you more about state-power than many books can do!

The press, supplied with "information" from the intelligence service has been very aggressive, attempting to present us like "terrorists". "Aktuelt" and the journalist Peter Kramer, who interviewed you ~~you~~ has however, been rather fair.

You are quite right! Our deeds, in our part of the world, is not in general a policy which should - or can be followed. In fact, we have never considered it a policy, in a West-European context. Our acts has only been considered political because we have been caught. You know our views, they have not changed. We are not like Action Direct or RAF. We don't look upon ourselves as an avangarte who wants to set an example, or is trying to unmask "the fascist character of the state" - all this is nonsense. Our deeds had a specific purpose, in a 3 world context, namely provide arms, finance and information to revolutionaries in the 3. World.

These last two years have brought a lot of changes in the world, but the conflict, which you and I consider as the driving force in the capitalist system - the relation between rich and poor countries - is more predominant than ever. And I feel a growing consciousness about these matters, even in our part of the world.

I have used some of the last two years in confinement to continue my economic and political studies, and I have used the platform which we unintentionally have got in the press to get some articles on economic and political matters published. It is my plan to proceed on that

road while I am in prison. I am currently trying to get admitted to the university - Institute of International Development Studies - as a student. My ambition is to study and farther proceed along the path you have cleared in the science of political economics.

Dear Friend - I hope you are well. My comrades and I send you our regards!

Yours in common efforts

Torkil Lauesen.