

U. S. Reds Give Views On Crisis in Moscow

The Daily Worker, organ of the American Communist party, suggests that "wide public discussion" might have averted the crisis in the Soviet Communist leadership.

Commenting editorially for the first time on the Moscow shake-up, The Worker approved the outcome as a demonstration of Soviet dedication to the policies of peaceful co-existence and a relaxation of tensions.

It applauded the debate within the Communist party's Central Committee on the issues posed by the conflict but suggested that "matters might not have even come to this pass" had there been public discussion of the issues.

"The process of democratization," The Daily Worker said, "requires such public debate; the process of correction of the abuses of Soviet democracy will undoubtedly provide new forms for such public discussion."

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