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ON PAKISTAN'S ATTACK ON INDIA.

Comrades Monoranjan Roy, M.P., Niren Ghosh, M.P.
and M. K. Pandhe, Secretaries, CITU have issued
the following statement to the Press:

The declaration of war by Military Junta in Pakistan against India and the full scale invasion of the Indian territory has created a new situation in the country and the CITU calls upon the working class to stand as one man for the defence of the country.

The entire working class of India is fully committed to support the valient freedom fighters in Bangladesh in their hour of trial. The CITU therefore demands immediate recognition of the Government of Bangladesh.

The CITU urges the Government of India not to allow the unscrupulous employers, hoarders and profiteers to exploit the situation for their selfish ends as in the past. It further urges upon the Government to take immediate steps to reopen all the closed factories. The CITU hopes that the Government of India will take measures to ensure trade union and democratic rights during the present situation.

Secretary.

The News Editor,

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