

## ROCKEFELLER CONFIRMS NCLC SENATE TESTIMONY

Nov. 21 (IPS)--"As a custom, as a convenience, our family invests in securities through a nominee," Nelson Rockefeller told the Senate Rules Committee Nov. 18 in hearings on his confirmation as Vice President.

By admitting that his family routinely acts through other parties to keep its activities out of the public purview, Rockefeller confirmed the substance of testimony delivered by the National Chairman of the National Caucus of Labor Committees Lyn Marcus before the same Senate committee Sept. 26.

At that time, Marcus outlined Rockefeller moves to construct a supranational government to implement Schachtian economic policies worldwide: "Well-placed funds of the Rockefeller family, cultivated family ties, and directorships have given the Rockefellers control of a vast network of social and political institutions, [opening] wide channels of influence leading to the leadership of multinational corporations, military and intelligence agencies, major news media, research institutions, and large industries, not to mention the Congress itself," Marcus stated.

The New York Times provided a detailed account yesterday of one such undercover deal--Nelson's financial underwriting of a "business" venture undertaken by CIA agent Tom Braden. In 1954, when Braden was assistant to Centaal Intelligence Agency Director Allen Dulles and CIA money conduit for the takeover of the German trade unions, Rockefeller lent him \$80,000 to purchase a California newspaper, the Blade Tribune. Rockefeller's name never appeared at any time on the statement of ownership or list of creditors which Braden was required to make public annually.

The following year Nelson put another \$50,000 in the CIA front, requesting that Braden issue preferred stock which could be exchanged for the promissory notes Nelson held. To avoid being named as a stockholder, Rockefeller transferred the stock to the American International Association for Economic and Social Development, a "philanthropic" front Rocky set up for CIA activities in Latin America. This Association was then listed as a stockholder of the Blade Tribune.

The obvious conclusion to be drawn from this standard Rockefeller operating procedure is not that the CIA launders its money through Rockefeller corporations or foundations, but that Rocky launders his money through the CIA!