OVERVIEW

Kevin "Rashid" Johnson is the Minister of Defense of the NABPP-PC and a long time revolutionary prison organizer and accomplished artist and Marxist theoretician. He has been held in segregation since 1993. Recently, on December 12, 2011, he was assaulted by guards at Red Onion; a large swatch of his hair was ripped out and his shoulder was dislocated. Rather than be provided with medical care, he was subjected to a cross-gender strip search and left in chains until the next day. Six weeks later he was transfered to Wallens Ridge, where he can be contacted at:

Kevin Johnson #1007485
Wallens Ridge State Prison
P.O. Box 759
Big Stone Gap, VA
24219

Many of Rashid's writings and illustrations can be found online at http://rashidmod.com/

His book *Defying the Tomb* (Kersplebedeb, 2010) is available through AK Press.

Kelvin "Khyasi" Canada is a committed organizer with the NABPP-PC. On September 3, 2011, he was beaten by four officers while he was fully restrained. He sustained a gouged left eye, dislocated right shoulder, and a fractured rib. The medical attention he received was cursory and ineffective. He can be contacted at:

Kelvin Canada #1050088
Red Onion State Prison
P.O. Box 1900
Pound, VA
24279

Supporting Prisoners and Acting for Radical Change (SPARC) is a non-sectarian revolutionary mass organization based in Virginia and Washington DC focused on building up effective opposition to the prison industrial complex.

They can reached by email at sparcdc@hush.com or sparc@signalfire.org or search "Supporting Prisoners and Acting for Radical Change" on Facebook for regular updates and news.

STOP THE VIOLENCE AND REPRESSION IN VIRGINIA PRISONS!

We the undersigned add our voices to those of Supporting Prisoners and Acting for Radical Change in demanding that the staff of Wallens Ridge State Prison, Red Onion State Prison and the Virginia Department of Corrections (VDOC) cease their consistent campaign of targeted physical violence, harassment, and administrative repression against the cadre of the New African Black Panther Party-Prison Chapter specifically Kevin "Rashid" Johnson and Kelvin "Khaysi" Canada which is clearly being carried out with the intention of suppressing the basic human and democratic rights of prisoners in VDOC facilities. Furthermore, we support Rashid's request to be transferred to a less hostile environment, for instance either Sussex One or Sussex Two state prison.

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