

Workers of the world, unite!

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TO THE WORKERS IN STRUGGLE IN GERMANY

Internationalist solidarity is our strength

Dear Comrades,

On behalf of the **Garment Workers' Trade Union Centre (GWTUC), Bangladesh**, we extend our fraternal solidarity to the workers and trade unionists in Germany who are preparing for the days of action and strikes on 21 and 26 September.

We stand in solidarity with the workers of the automotive industry and all workers who are fighting against job cuts, plant closures, attacks on wages and working conditions, and cuts to hard-won social rights.

As garment workers in Bangladesh, we know from our own experience that the interests of workers are shared across borders. Employers and corporations seek to increase profits by putting pressure on workers, while governments often place the interests of capital above the rights and dignity of working people. Workers' struggles, however, have no borders.

We particularly welcome the call for stronger international coordination and solidarity among workers and trade unions. The struggles of workers in Germany, Bangladesh, the Netherlands and elsewhere are interconnected. International solidarity strengthens our collective resistance.

We wish the workers and trade unions in Germany strength and determination in their struggles.

Workers of all countries, unite!

With fraternal solidarity,



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