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To: SvetlaVasileva
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To all the members of the protest meeting- 27 October 2017

Support to our Bulgarian colleagues to reduce inequality and fight poverty, raise wages and improve working conditions in Bulgaria

Dear colleagues,

We understand you are facing challenging times in your campaign for an authentic social policy accompanied by a long-term strategy for industrial development in Bulgaria, based on solidarity and emancipation, and not on short-term profit grabs.

Our message to you is stay strong. Your fight is a fight for all of us, irrespective of whether you're a worker in Bulgaria or anywhere else in Europe or in the world. We are part of a strong European and global trade union family, and gaining workers' and trade union rights in one country is a win for all of us.

We are united in our struggle to secure fair, safe working conditions and decent jobs for our regions and workers for the future. We must all stand up against the erosion of meaningful social dialogue and collective bargaining, which are at the heart of better wages and working conditions as well as contributing to peace and social justice.

From all Services Industrial Professional Technical Union (SIPTU) members, please know that you have our unfaltering support.

In solidarity

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gerry McCormack".

Gerry McCormack

Divisional Organiser.