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Dear Jutta,

DHL Express Turkey court decision

Following up the local court decision in relation to the dispute between TÜMTİS and DHL Express Turkey, we would like to formally state our position.

In the first instance, we are happy to learn that local DHL Express management have met with TÜMTİS - we support this development and very much hope that dialogue will continue.

We also note that both parties have received the official verdict.

Our affiliates have organised and participated in an Action Day to support our affiliate TÜMTİS and they are committed to continue this support. The ITF and ETF fully support TÜMTİS in their desire to be involved in a sustainable and constructive dialogue with your local Turkish management.

The local court decision shows that your objection made in March last year has been officially rejected. Due to the decision of DP DHL to object to the recognition of TÜMTİS, the union and workers have lost more than one year in their struggle to obtain collective bargaining rights.

Once again, we would like to state that our primary expectation is for DP DHL to honour the court decision and recognise TÜMTİS's right to bargain on behalf of its members.

We also would like to express that any further objection by DP DHL would be extremely counter productive in relation to the DHL protocol.

Yours sincerely

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