



International Dockworkers Council

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Harold J. Daggett, President
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Dear Brother Daggett:

The International Dockers' Council (IDC) stands in full solidarity with our Sister and Brother members of the International Longshoremen's Association, AFL-CIO in the Port of Philadelphia (Pennsylvania) and Wilmington (Delaware) as it battles employers Holt Logistics and J & H Stevedores as well as the employer group, PMTA, Ports of Delaware Marine Trade Association, all of whom have demonstrated horrible contempt for ILA union workers. We will join the ILA in fighting their attempts to strip workers and their families of decent and livable wages and benefits. We will fight to the end to make certain these workers are respected and compensated for their contributions.

The IDC calls upon United States Maritime Alliance and its member companies to intercede with the employers in the Port of Philadelphia and Wilmington to return full jurisdiction to ILA workers and raised the standards for all workers there.

The IDC will monitor this situation and will hold all Lines that call on the Port of Philadelphia accountable. Inaction is not an option. We are prepared to take action against those companies at all our affiliated worldwide ports throughout Europe, Asia, Africa and South America. Our members worldwide are



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prepared to withhold labor in support of our Sisters and Brothers in the Port of Philadelphia and Wilmington.

Now, more than ever, the IDC will stand with the ILA and its membership making certain that not a single dockworker “takes one step back.”

In solidarity,

Jordi Aragunde Miguens
IDC General Coordinator