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FOR A SOCIAL EUROPE AND A SOCIAL MARKET ECONOMY

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The European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC) and the European Union of Christian Democratic Workers (EUCDW) of the European People's Party have adopted a joint declaration asking for:

Proactive measures against increasing unemployment,

An efficient regulation of financial markets,

Fighting global warming,

A Social Progress Clause reinforcing fundamental rights,

An agreement on the Working Time Directive,

Equal pay for equal work,

Clarifications with regard to the Posting Directive,

Stronger workers' participation in corporate governance,

Better protection against redundancies.

[Link to the joint declaration](#)

The ETUC exists to speak with a single voice, on behalf of the common interests of workers, at European level. Founded in 1973, it now represents 82 trade union organisations in 36 European countries, plus 12 industry-based federations.

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