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Free Members of the Syndicate, Ebrahim Madaddi, Davood Razavi and the labor activists Rihaneh Ansari Nejad and Anisha Asadollahi!



January 10, 2025 / The Syndicate of workers in Syndicate of Bus drivers in Tehran and Suburbs (Sherkat -e- Wahed) demands unconditional release of all worker, teacher, student, and civil prisoners in Iran. The Syndicate also asks specifically for the immediate freedom of its two imprisoned members, Ebrahim Madaddi and Davoud Razavi and similarly labor activists and defenders of Syndicate prisoners, Rihaneh Ansari Nejad and Anisha Asadollahi.

Ebrahim Madaddi, the solemn member and the vice chair of the board of the Syndicate is imprisoned in ward 8 of Evin prison since mid-summer of 2023 for one year due to the unfair detention related to 2016 activities. He was incarcerated previously, once for three and half years and another time for four months. He had been, often confined to long terms and short terms and prior to compulsory retirement, he was fired from work for years and has paid heavy prices for his activities. Ebrahim Madaddi is 70 years old, has multiple illnesses and does not have proper physical conditions.

Davoud Razavi, member of the board of the Syndicate and a stable perpetual active member since 2005 was...

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Declaration of a group of political prisoners in Iran against death penalty:

We are for the abolishment of the non-humane and reactionary capital punishment



January 11, 2025 / While the governing political regime in Iran has created a horrendous situation for Iranian people by continuation of the crisis engendering domestic and foreign policies, it is looking for a solution in intensifying the oppression in social, political and cultural arenas.

* The government, who is worried about the forming of a new wave of protest movements, is trying to cast a shadow of terror on the society by unprecedented increase in the death penalty. In such a way that it was the first country in 2024 to execute about 75 percent of all the cases of death penalties in the world.

* In the newest cases of capital punishment for three political prisoners, Pakhsan Azizi, Behrouz Ehsani and Mehdi Hassani, which have been approved by the highest court and possibly will be executed.

* Thus we, a group of political prisoners, by condemning the death penalty, consider it as a sample of government murder and demand the abolition of this non-humane and reactionary punishment.

* While declaring our support for three political prisoners, Pakhsan Azizi, Behrouz Ehsani and Mehdi Hassani we ask the people of Iran as well as International Organizations...

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Collective Statement of the French Trade Union:

Iran: Stop the repression against unionist teachers

Mohammad Habibi's Attorney, a spokesman for the Iranian Teachers' Association, announced on October 12, 2024 that the Tehran Court of Appeals had upheld the verdict of the Shahriar Revolutionary Court. Accordingly, on November 4, Mohammad Habibi was summoned to the Shahriar Criminal Courts Unit. On November 11, after appearing with his Attorney, he was arrested and transferred to Tehran's Evin Prison.

This six-month and one-day prison sentence, for propaganda against the regime, is actually related to his protests against the regime's poisoning of students in schools, especially in girls' schools. This punishment is part of the regime's efforts to silence activists for justice and political transparency.

The poisonings began in late November 2022 and peaked in the spring of 2023, causing a wave of concern and also fuelling a variety of theories ranging from systematic misogyny to psychosis. The reactionary Islamic regime totally ignored the use of toxic substances against female students and refused to conduct an independent investigation into...

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On 29th December the workers of oil products of 'Iran Friko' in the city of Sirjan once again gathered in protest.



Sunday, 29th December- the gathering in protest by the workers of the terminals & petrochemical tanks In regards to lack of job levelling and lack of annual assembly.



34th December - Busher-the protest gathering by the workforce of the gas refinery of 'Fajr' situated in the east of the province of Busher. The workers of the Fajr-e-Jam: fair wages is our right. The workers of the gas refinery of «Fajr -e-Jam» once again have gathered in protest in the refinery grounds.



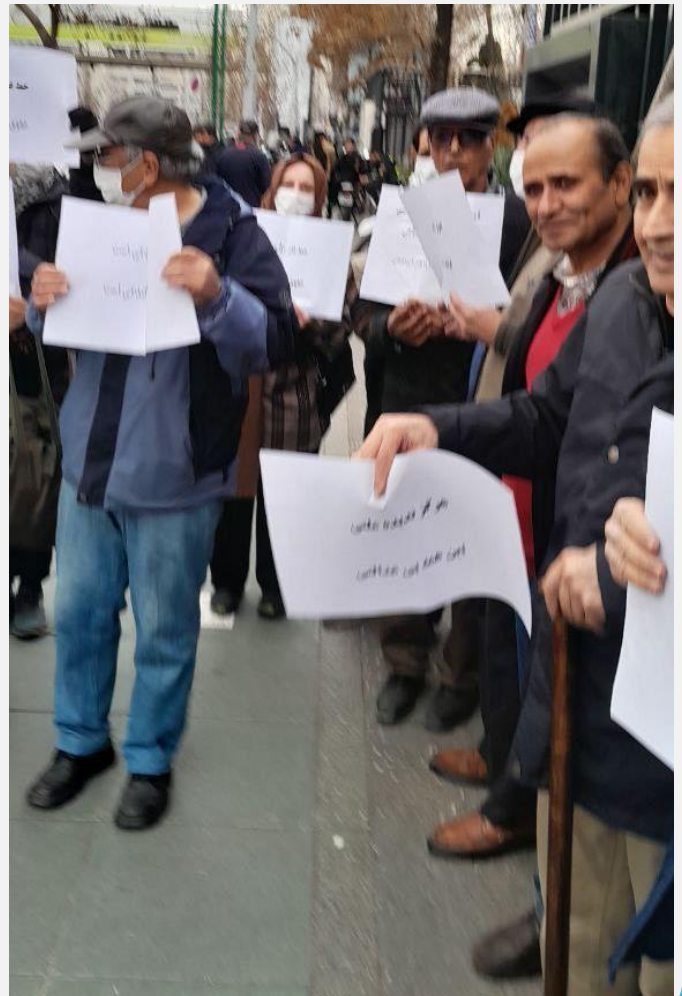
Sunday 12th January 2025.-the gathering by the social security retirees of the city of Shoosh in front of the governorship building in regards to poverty, misery, inflation high cost of goods & low wages, also in regards to theft, corruption, looting & prejudice, plus being unfair: we have no money & no bread, damn this high cost.



The buying power of the workers with their wages has been reduced by a quarter. The expense of dairy products, eggs, bread, electricity, and rent is an indication that the dinner table is getting smaller. The minimum wage in the beginning of the year was able to secure half of the livelihood, but now because of the inflation and reduction of the money value, the financial security of the money can only cover 1/4 of the workers' costs.



Sunday 12th January 2025-the gathering in protest by the social security & steel retirees in regards to poverty, corruption and hard living conditions.



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A group of civil activists & women gathered in front of the governor of the city of 'Sanandaj.' In protest to the order of execution of 'Pakhshan Azizi.' The protesters, holding banners,demanded the cancellation of the execution order.



The summoning and the interrogation of five active workers by the security forces: 'Majid Hami.' 'Seied-Ghaleb Hoseini.' 'Abdollah Kheirabadi' 'Namegh Babakhani.' & 'Ghabal Shabani'.

Sunday, 19th January 2025 - In union with other cities the gathering of the retirees of coal mines in front of the «retirees coffer of the steel workers» In protest to the non-levelling of health insurance.



Monday, 20th January 2025 the Committee for unifying and helping for the creation of workers organisation and union with their demand.

The 9th nationwide gathering of the cultural retirees 2023 in protest to non-payment of rewards after 17 month.

Monday, 20th January, at 9 AM in front of the ministry of education. Dear minister, we are coming to be your concern.

The 9th gathering by the cultural retirees 2023 in protest to lack of bonus payment of 60% after 17 month.

Tehran. Monday, 20th January in front of the ministry of education.

we are the voice of our co-workers!

Only in the street do we find our wages!

The gathering in protest is our right. Union activity is not a crime. The union of the Iranian teachers.

The 9th gathering by the education retirees of the year 2023- 2024 in protest to non-payment of 60% bonus for end of career after 17 month.

Monday 20th January, the workforce of the communication industry in eastern Azerbaijan stopped work in protest to their demands not being met.



Saturday, 22nd January 2025 pictures of widespread strike by different unions in the city of **Sanandaj**. For stopping the execution order of 'Bakhshan Azizi.' & 'Varisheh Moradi.' Two female Kurdish political prisoners.

Wednesday 22nd January 2025. Widespread strike by the people of '**Boukan**' Against the execution order.

Wednesday 22nd January 2025 the brave and fighting people of '**Kurdistan**' In protest to judgment of execution orders, this day went on strike by closing their work centres & shops and offices showed their disgust and anger against the execution order for the political activists and added a day of pride to their fight against the bloodthirsty Islamic republic.



The protest gathering of the contract workers of Pars Jonoubi in front of the main office building

24th December 2024. In protest against lack of fulfilment of the government promises, the demands of the workers are: the correct and proper doing of the classification of jobs and equalising the wage regime with the regular workers, regularising the situation of the drivers, regularising the satellite traffic of the administrative and logistic workers and fulfilment of the previously agreed upon in owed vacation and camp right .

From Talk to Action - Promises No Results!

Insurance cut off for 300 thousand construction workers!



The poverty line has reached the death line and decision makers are going their own way without paying attention and hammering the last nail into the coffin of the workers of yesterday and today. It is up to us to get out of doubt and join thousands of hardworking people in nationwide protest

About us:

"The Committee in Solidarity with the Iranian workers Movement -Abroad" of solidarity groups and individuals outside of Iran that support Iranian Workers'. Struggle for:

- (1) Democratic rights and economic. Justice;
- (2) Exposing anti-labour policies of the Islamic Republic of Iran;
- (3) Building bridges between the Iranian and international workers' movement.