



THE TASKS OF PENSIONERS TODAY IN THE WORLD

The world leadership of the UIS of the WFTU of Pensioners has met.

With this Resolution we make public the conclusions of the management collective, composed of 43 members (from 25 countries on 5 continents), elected in February 2019, in Bogotá, Colombia, at the end of our Second Congress. (See those who have attended this meeting, in the endnote.)

We join the statements that the leadership of the WFTU is making known (readable in WFTU (wftucentral.org)) taking an anti-capitalist and anti-imperialist position in the face of what is happening on our Planet.

We agree to denounce NATO and capitalist imperialism as responsible for the genocides (not only in Ukraine) and the rising cost of living. The multinationals that rule capitalism want us to continue to be the active and passive workers (including retirees) who pay for their crises.

Only with Socialism will a society be built in which the priority is to satisfy human needs (food, housing, education, health, leisure, etc.), making a generalized and universal dignified life a reality.

There is more than enough money for the more than 7,000 million people who inhabit the Planet to live in dignity.

Weekly working time can be reduced and the retirement age brought forward if the wealth, which we wage earners produce, is distributed fairly and the reality that today less than 1% of the population accumulates more wealth than the remaining 99% is eliminated. And this will only be achieved by destroying Capitalism in all its forms.

We salute all the victories of the peoples, as in Colombia recently, as in India where the Pensioners, with the enormous struggles of this month of August, have managed to get the Government to rectify and take measures favorable to the working class.

We will continue: 1) supporting the Pensioners of Peru (as demanded by our Secretary General, in a letter addressed to the President of the country); 2) denouncing governments such as that of Algeria that does not give legality to the union created by pensioners; and 3) giving voice to all Organizations of Retirees that defend their just demands.

To this end, we will continue to strengthen our organization. Already made (in April, in Cuba) the Second Conference of our UIS in America, we will do on June 15 that of Europe in Monaco. It will be followed: in Moscow that of former Socialist Countries, in Lebanon that of Arab Countries, in India that of Asia, and that of Africa in the country that, the 6 candidates to receive it, decide.

We emphasize the need to link economic struggles with the ideological struggles of both active and retired workers, as well as the ideological formation of all of them.

We are preparing better than in the previous six calls for the Seventh World Day of Struggle of Pensioners, which will be like every year around October 1. This Day will surpass the success of the previous ones, and we hope that actions will be developed in dozens of countries on 5 continents. We will give information on our website (Who we are: 1st Congress 2014 and 2nd Congress 2019 | Pensionistas.info) of the result of the same.

Also as UIS we join the world celebrations, promoted by the leadership of the WFTU, of the 77th anniversary of the creation of this unique organization, anti-capitalist and anti-imperialist, worldwide of workers and pensioners. Just as we have joined the Great World Trade Union Day for Peace held on September 1. As always, the bourgeois media has silenced these actions.

BY FIGHTING TOGETHER, WE WILL ACHIEVE A DIGNIFIED LIFE FOR PENSIONERS!

September 15, 2022

Present:

3 comrades from Greece, 5 from the Spanish state, 1 from the USA, 1 from India, 1 from Russia, 2 from Argentina, 4 from Colombia, 1 from Ecuador, 1 from Mexico, 1 from Uruguay, 1 from Peru, 1 from Honduras, 1 from Burkina Faso, 1 from the Democratic Republic of the Congo, 1 from Algeria

Justified absences:

3 from Cuba, 1 from Cyprus, 2 from India, 1 from the USA, 1 from Panama, 1 from Venezuela, 1 from Peru, 1 from Chile, 1 from Burkina Faso, 1 from the Republic of Guinea, 1 from Gabon, 1 from Senegal.



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