

SOLIDARITY MANIFESTO

To the people of Mexico. To the international community. To the democratic and independent unions.

Greetings.

In the past few days, important international developments have erupted that deserve our urgent attention and solidarity.

At the same time that the international financial system is collapsing, the gigantic struggle of the French people is on the rise.

French President Emmanuel Macron is determined to bypass his country's parliament and democratic freedoms in order to destroy what has been a pillar of social rights in France, its solidarity pension plan.

In the best style of a dictator, Macron has chosen to impose his pension reform through a decree that is clearly corrupt and anti-popular.

The popular rebellion against Macron's presidential decree is awakening the conscience of the peoples who see in its example the path to follow to confront the policy of adjustments implemented by the capitalist governments.

Macron, like any dictator, has ordered the repression of all demonstrations against his government with the excessive use of police violence. The French police are practically going out into the streets to hunt down citizens. Hundreds have been injured and arrested.

However, discontent is growing all over France. There is no place where this discontent is not being expressed. Tactics include taking over public squares, closing roads, demonstrations, and barricades, with such protests multiplying throughout the country. The trade union confederations have called for a General Strike this Thursday, March 23. The largest and most militant popular mobilization of the past few decades is expected, since senior citizens, workers, students, and feminist organizations are increasingly joining this struggle. The French people are not intimidated and are not backing down. The strike in the transportation, cleaning services, and energy sectors are holding firm. The General Strike is in full swing.

From Mexico, the New Workers' Confederation expresses its unconditional support for the French working class and condemns the government of Emmanuel Macro, puppet of the major financial centers of international capital, the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) and the Central Bank of the European Union.

FREEDOM FOR THE FRENCH PEOPLE!!!!!

STOP EMMANUEL MACRON'S REPRESSION AGAINST THE FRENCH PEOPLE!!!!!

DOWN WITH MACRON'S PENSION REFORM!!!!!

LONG LIVE THE GENERAL STRIKE!!!



Fraternalmente.

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Mexico City on March 21, 2023.