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## Solidarity with the TEKEL-workers in Turkey

The coordinators committee of the trade unionists in and close to the Party of the European Left declares their solidarity with the fight of the TEKEL-workers in Turkey who are on strike.



12.000 tobacco-workers are in the class-struggle against the privatisation of the biggest tobacco company in Turkey as well as against the closing of 40 factories all over the country. Some of the colleagues are on hunger strike meanwhile.

As we know the Turkish police did a lot to break the strike of the TEKEL-colleagues. But we say : In Turkey all union rights have to be respected to the full extent , too.

We call all our comrades and colleagues to support the Turkish trade unionists of TEKEL in their fight.

We ask to send or hand over resolutions to the Turkish Embassies and consulates all over Europe.

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