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Dear Brothers and Sisters Dear Colleagues

The Ukrainian people are very grateful to you for you all stand with Ukraine these terrible days. Many of you joined in demonstrations for Peace, demanding an end to Putin's war against the Ukraine and our people. It is your actions that are forcing hesitating governments to take action and impose sanctions against Russia.

We are grateful to everyone who sends us much-needed humanitarian aid.

Russian troops have been attacking Ukrainian cities and villages for 22 days.

For 22 days, the largest European country in central Europe is being destroyed. Rockets and air bombs are destroying homes, kindergartens, orphanages and educational institutions.

During this terrible time, thousands of civilians of Ukraine and hundreds of children were killed.

The enemy is trying to level whole cities and towns. The fire is aimed from the sky at the civilian targets.

Today, the Russian military controls the Chernobyl Nuclear Power Plant, where the invaders are holding workers hostage. The aggressor recently seized the Zaporizhzhya Nuclear Power Plant, the largest nuclear power plant in Europe with six power units. If the Zaporizhzhya Nuclear Power Plant explodes, the consequences will be irreversible not only for Ukraine but for the whole world!

Despite Ukraine's ability to contain Russian incursions, closing the skies over Ukraine remains one of the key issues for the security of millions of Ukrainians from cluster and vacuum bombings and the reduction of daily casualties. Closing the skies over Ukraine is the only way to save the lives of civilians, preserve critical infrastructure, protect our country and the world from possible environmental and man-made disasters.

President Volodymyr Zelensky presented this video to the US Congress. "Close the sky over Ukraine":

https://bit.ly/3u4RZOP

Our Trade Union of the Metalworkers and Miners of Ukraine is a member of IndustriALL Global Union. We urge you to join the voice of millions of people around the world to close the skies over Ukraine and thus protect Europe and the world from a nuclear catastrophe and save hundreds of thousands of lives! We ask you, we implore you to appeal to the governments of NATO member countries to close the skies over Ukraine!

Many employees of PJSC 'ArcelorMittal Kryvyi Rih', who are members of the Trade Union of the Metalworkers and Miners of Ukraine, joined the ranks of the territorial defense of the city, received machine guns and began to protect the city and the civilian population.

They and our military urgently need:

- body armor;
- kevlar helmets;
- thermal imagers;

- walkie-talkies (radius: 3-5 km.);
- binoculars;
- military boots.

If the policy of your organizations and enterprises allows you to purchase such items, please purchase them and send these items to the Polish border. Now it is very dangerous to drive through the territory of Ukraine, as you can get under fire. But our trade union activists are delivering this humanitarian aid to Kryvyi Rih.

We can meet them at the Polish border at https://maps.app.goo.gl/u1cKEJzo6JFPcn229

Our military also needs:

- thermal underwear;
- warm gloves;
- warm socks;
- staplers for wounds;
- harnesses of the battalion type with a twist;
- dressing napkins (10x20, 20x20);
- occlusive dressings;
- medical headscarves;
- non-narcotic analgesics without aspirin;
- eye drops (antiseptic);
- kits for transport immobilization (disposable cardboard or plastic splints);
- tarpaulin stretchers (scrapers);
- evacuation straps;
- pain killers and hemostatic agents;
- medical tourniquets,
- bandages,
- antibacterial foot powder and much more.

If you can buy such things, please also send them to the Polish border.

If you can host Ukrainian people in your cities or in your country, please let me know where and how many people you can host.

God bless you!

Best regards,

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