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## **IndustriALL Global Union in solidarity with auto workers on strike at General Motors**

Dear brother Jones,

I am writing to you on behalf of fifty million workers represented by IndustriALL Global Union in mining, energy and manufacturing sectors throughout the world to express our solidarity with the UAW and the GM auto workers on strike at plants in the US.

The workers showed huge support and sacrifice when the company was in difficulty in 2009, and GM falls short on reciprocity. Now UAW members demand their fair share of the high profits the company has earned since 2010. We are glad that thousands of your members have laid down their tools and are protesting in front of their factories to demand decent wages and affordable healthcare.

Your charter of demands calls for a fair share of GM's economic success, for job security and fewer precarious workers. I can ensure you of the support of the entire labor movement around the globe in this. Insecurity and precarious work destroy our communities. This fight is also our fight. Therefore, we stand shoulder to shoulder with you.

In solidarity,



Valter Sanches, General Secretary