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Message of Solidarity and Support from IndustriALL Global Union to Tümka-İş over the strike at Kimberly Clark plant

Dear Brother Tavşanoğlu,

I am writing this letter to you on behalf of IndustriALL Global Union representing more than fifty million workers throughout the manufacturing chain, including pulp and paper sector, in 142 countries worldwide. We are proud to have Tümka-İş as one of the members of our global union family.

IndustriALL Global Union is in full support of the strike that Tümka-İş has launched at the plant of Kimberly Clark in Pendik, Istanbul, on behalf of its 236 members demanding a proper wage increase and notice payments to get job security. We encourage all our affiliates in the pulp and paper sector to demonstrate support and solidarity with Tümka-İş.

Please know that our global union is in full solidarity with you, and we will continue to do everything in our power to support your struggle.

In solidarity,



Jyrki Raina
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CC:

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