



15<sup>ème</sup> Congrès de l'Union Syndicale Fédérale  
30 mai – 2 juin 2019  
Bratislava, Slovakia

## Résolution d'urgence

The Congress

- Considering
- that EPO has been heavily criticized in the media for its anti-staff and authoritarian policies since 2014,
  - that Staff representatives and SUEPO Committee members have been unfairly sanctioned and/or dismissed in the last 5 years,
  - that the lack of respect for the Rule of Law at the EPO in that same period has prompted the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe to debate the matter and adopt resolutions.
- Noting
- that almost one year after the arrival of a new President the social situation has not substantially improved,
  - that the root causes of these problems and the anti-staff policies of the previous administration are still in place,
  - that the painful situation of most of the Staff representatives and SUEPO Committee members unfairly sanctioned and/or dismissed remains unchanged,
  - that negotiations between the EPO President and SUEPO are being launched,
- Urges the EPO President
- to carefully take into account the demands of SUEPO, to fully remedy the situation of the colleagues dismissed and act swiftly in order to re-establish social peace at the EPO.

Bratislava, 2 June 2019