

To UNI Post & Logistics

Brussels (Belgium), April 26, 2022.

FINDECT asks for international support and solidarity in the fight against the privatization of Correios of Brazil, and for its strengthening to help in the necessary National Reconstruction.

The Brazilian Post and Telegraph Company is a heritage of our people, built with hard work and sweat for several generations over 358 years.

With the mission of integrating an entire country with continental dimensions such as Brazil, which has 8,516,000 square kilometers, borders almost all countries in South America and has around 9,200 km of coastline, Correios is present in all more than five thousand Brazilian municipalities. Fulfilling its mission, Correios takes correspondence, parcels, banking services, government campaign materials, issuing documents and other services to locations that often do not even have a bank branch or other public services. In thousands of municipalities, the Post Office guarantees its services, even in locations where there is a loss in the maintenance of open postal service units, which is offset by the large centers that guarantee profit, in the form of cross-subsidy. Proof of this, in 2021 the Correios reached a record profit of R\$ 3.7 billion.

Due to its importance to the population as a whole from a social and economic point of view, as well as to micro, medium and large entrepreneurs, national and foreign, Correios needs to be maintained as a State Company. If privatized, due to the logic of profit, many of the services currently guaranteed by the Post Office would not be maintained, or would become very expensive, causing immense losses.

Instead of privatizing Correios, we ask for the support and international solidarity of the confreres Unions and other organizations from other countries to defend together the strengthening of Correios as a State Company, which will have a prominent role in the necessary National Reconstruction after all the

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destruction policy. and dismantle the current government, which will soon be closed at the polls. The fight is for the Company to invest in its staff again, holding Public Tenders to replace the thousands of vacancies opened after so many years without tenders. With its renewed staff and always respecting dialogue, we can review many of the arbitrariness and attacks carried out on workers' rights, in addition to undertaking the necessary technological modernizations.

Understanding that this is the best way for Correios and for Brazil, we ask for the solidarity of your organization to work for it, and we make ourselves available in whatever we can to support the just struggles of workers in other countries, always remembering that the units and the struggle of workers around the world is what makes humanity move towards a more just and fraternal society.

Greetings and let's continue together in the fight!!!

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