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Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Solidarity with Korean Education Support, Hospital and other Transport Workers

On behalf of 20 million public sector workers from around the world, members of our global union federation Public Services International (PSI), we express our solidarity with the education support, hospital and other transport workers in South Korea, who are fighting for decent working conditions and fundamental workers' rights.

In South Korea, public sector workers experience difficult conditions of work. The government is seeking to weaken public pensions, cut public workers' benefits and rights, stimulate competition through performance-based pay, and privatise health care, transport and other essential public services.

PSI strongly supports the struggle of the South Korean public services workers, who organised a one-day strike action on 24th April, to protest against the government's measures and for better conditions of work. We congratulate you for the great turnout!

PSI calls upon the South Korean government to respond positively to these demands, to respect the trade union rights of public services workers, to engage in collective bargaining with their union representatives, and to refrain from repression against peaceful collective action.

Sincerely,

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PSI General Secretary