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SOLIDARITY NOTE

EurECCA expresses its unequivocal and determined solidarity with the members of UFO in response to the strike actions at Lufthansa CityLine GmbH and Deutsche Lufthansa AG.

These strikes are the direct and foreseeable result of management failure. At Lufthansa CityLine, management's outright refusal to even enter negotiations on a social plan represents a fundamental disregard for its workforce. Forcing cabin crew into industrial action under such circumstances is unacceptable. The demand for robust protection measures is not only justified, but long overdue.

At Deutsche Lufthansa AG, the situation is equally concerning. Months of inadequate engagement, delaying tactics, and a clear unwillingness to seriously address core issues such as working conditions, roster stability, and job security have led to a complete breakdown of trust. The need for a modern, enforceable collective agreement is urgent and indisputable.

These cases are not isolated—they reflect a wider pattern of employers in the aviation sector attempting to erode social standards while expecting continued flexibility and professionalism from their crews. EurECCA rejects this approach in the strongest possible terms.

We fully support UFO and all cabin crew taking part in these strike actions. When management refuses dialogue, collective action becomes not only legitimate, but necessary.

EurECCA calls on both Lufthansa CityLine GmbH and Deutsche Lufthansa AG to engage in genuine negotiations, and take responsibility for resolving these disputes with fair and sustainable outcomes.

In unwavering solidarity and on behalf of EurECCA and the whole European Cabin Crew family.

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About EurECCA: established in Brussels in 2014, the European Cabin Crew Association, EurECCA, represents, protects and develops the rights and needs of cabin crew all over Europe. It is composed of cabin crew unions from European Union Member States as well as accession and bordering states and represents some 50,000 cabin crew in Europe. EurECCA has no political connections. EurECCA's work is around Cabin Crew working conditions, wages, social protection and health and safety at work.

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