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## **Statement of solidarity with Froneri workers in Germany**

Workers at Froneri in Germany have learnt this week that the newly-formed company half-owned by Nestlé intends to slash their terms and conditions with the threat of closure if they do not agree.

The ink has barely dried on the agreement forming the new company and they are attacking collective bargaining.

Union delegates at the November 2016 Nestlé European Works Council meeting expressed grave concerns around restructuring. The trade unions made it clear that we would hold Nestlé responsible for workers' rights in the new company. The IUF as well has informed Nestlé that we hold them responsible for any rights violations at its joint-venture ice cream company.

Today at the IUF Congress in Geneva, the Nestlé representatives attending expressed their solidarity and support with Froneri workers in Germany and their union, the NGG.