



European Federation of Public Service Unions (EPSU)

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European Trade union leaders speak on the European Day of action

Call for Press Conference: Wednesday 15 December at 1pm at Residence Palace, Brussels

(13 December Brussels) The European Federation of Public Services Unions (EPSU) jointly with the European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC) will hold a press conference at the Residence Palace (International Press Center, 155 rue de La Loi, 1040 Brussels) this coming Wednesday 15 December at 1pm in the Maelbeek room.

The press conference will take place after the actions organised by EPSU and the ETUC in the framework of the European Day of action.

Trade union leaders Carola Fischbach-Pyttel, EPSU General Secretary, John Monks, ETUC General Secretary and Anne-Marie Perret, EPSU President will speak to do a balance of the day of action call by the ETUC that EPSU support as well as of the current proposals from the European Commission and Member States regarding the austerity measures that are having a special burden on the public sector workers.

This will be an opportunity to send a message to the European Council that will meet the day after.

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