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Mr. Yves Veyrier, General Secretary Confédération Générale du Travail Force Ouvrière 141 Avenue du Maine 75014 Paris, France

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Dear Brother Veyrier:

On behalf of the 12.5 million working men and women of the AFL-CIO, please receive our note of solidarity during your ongoing strike actions. Union members in the United States of America stand in solidarity with our brothers and sisters in France and support the general strike to protect your pensions. All workers have the fundamental right to a secure retirement, but that right is under attack on both sides of the Atlantic. The labor movement is on the front lines of the fight to ensure that workers are treated with dignity and respect, and we stand with you as you take to the streets to demand justice.

In solidarity,

Richard L. Trumka

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