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# 23. WFTU's objectives

ABSTRACT: The WFTU is an organization of workers of the world, class, unitary and solidary established for the study, protection and improvement of our immediate and historical class interests. The WFTU is inclusive and includes workers of all industrial and services activities.

#### 1. Introduction

The statutory rules are collective agreements to operate organized.

Statutes involving the formality must be based on politics as the most important thing is precisely the response of the WFTU to the pressing problems of the working class in the world. Formulate the policy is not only task of the representatives but of all members. The answer involves taking a position on all world problems for workers to have references theoretical, technical and political.

None of this is done alone, but by a structured organization whose principles and program are an integral part of the Statute. In this work is defined with regard to the "Constitution and purposes" of the WFTU.

### 2- Development

The new Statutes of the WFTU involve definitions, such as:

### 2.1 Objectives

In the first articles of the Statute it will indicate why and what for is the WFTU constituted, and what are their objectives.

# 2.2 Affiliation

This would indicate who is an integral part of the WFTU, as members. It also indicates the inclusiveness of the Federation to accept the participation of non-affiliated organizations, or indirectly affiliated, as well as workers and friends who agree to work and fight for the objectives of our international organization.

# 2.3 Symbols

It defines also the WFTU's slogan, song, flag and salute, symbols that concentrate their goals. The FTE of Mexico proposes that the flag is red, greeting his left fist in the air, singing "The International" and the slogan: Proletarians of all countries, Unite!

### 3- Conclusions

For the WFTU is fundamental make real a political project regardless of class, i.e., independent of imperialism, state capitalist and anti-labor bureaucracies.

The actions of the WFTU are based on principles and program, and it complements by the action plan, it defines the different specific activities and means to perform, such as strikes, mobilization, and labor media among others.

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#### PROPOSALS

The FTE Mexico presents to the 16th World Trade Union Congress the following proposal:

## FSM OBJECTIVES

#### CHAPTER I - Constitution and aims

Article 1-The world's workers, manual and intellectual workers, men and women, without discrimination of any kind, constitute the World Federation of Trade Unions (WFTU), for the study, defense and improvement of our immediate and historical class interests, in the context of class struggle.

Article 2-The WFTU is an international organization, classist, unitary and solidary, integrated by workers of all industries and other sectors of economic production, science and culture in the world.

Article 3-They belong to WFTU the organizations affiliated to it, national, continental and regional, as well as the Trade Unions International.

Article 4-Collaborate with the WFTU nonaffiliated organizations, as well as solidarity individuals and institutions, as institutional, individual and / or collectively.

Article 5 - The WFTU political project develops according to its principles, program and plan of action, with class independence.

Article 6 - The flag of the WFTU is red, the greeting is the left fist in the air, its song is The International and its slogan: Proletarians of all countries, Unite!

Article 7-The headquarters of the WFTU will be determined by the World Trade Union Congress.

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