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## **GARMENT WORKERS' TRADE UNION CENTRE**

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### Minimum Wage Movement: Call of the Bangladeshi Garment Workers

# **Stand in Solidarity towards the Struggle for 25000 BDT Minimum monthly Wage**

Garment Workers' Trade Union Centre, representing the interests of more than five million garment workers in Bangladesh, a leading supplier of garments in the whole world, has called on all parties involved in the industry inside and outside the country to support the ongoing movement for minimum monthly wage of 25000 BDT (235 USD). Now it is 8000 BDT (75 USD monthly) since last five years.

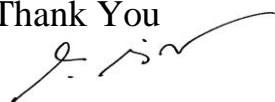
The workers have a minimum cost of living today, which makes it impossible for anyone to survive on current wages. In these circumstances every stakeholders, like local owners, international retail brands and other supply chain beneficiaries move forward in a sensitive, humane role in order to save the lives of workers whose blood-soaked labor is running the apparel industry.

Bangladesh is the second largest (<https://www.tbsnews.net/economy/rmg/made-bangladesh-journey-brand-530750>) apparel exporter of the world. All the biggest brands like Adidas, Tommy Hilfiger, Gap, Calvin Klein, H&M, Giorgio Armani, Ralph Lauren, Hugo Boss, Nike etc. are manufacturing apparel products in Bangladesh. But the workers of the country get most less wages around world.

The Garment Workers of Bangladesh are demanding 25000 minimum monthly wages and struggling against the owners. Despite many atrocities, the movement is going on. We call to all of our fraternal trade unions, to stand with solidarity to the ongoing movement of the workers of Bangladesh.

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Long live, Internationalism and Solidarity!

Thank You



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