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To the general secretaries of  
FILCA Cisl, FENEAL UIL and FILLEA CGIL

Dear colleagues,

With this letter the European Federation of Building and Woodworkers (EFBWW) wants to express its solidarity and strong support with the general strike in the wood and furniture industries in Italy that will take place on 21 February 2020.

The EFBWW strongly supports the demands of the Italian trade union federations towards employer federation Federlegno to come back to the negotiation table with the will to conclude a new and fair collective agreement for the industry.

The EFBWW strongly supports the demand of the Italian trade union federations for a collective agreement based on respect for the more than 150,000 workers in the sector.

A system of strong industrial relations and social partnership leads to a more sustainable industry and is in the interest of all.

The EFBWW wishes you all the best for your strike action day and that this may lead to a new collective agreement in the near future.

In solidarity,

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EFBWW President

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EFBWW General Secretary