

GLOBAL DAY OF ACTION AT RIO TINTO

Unions around the globe are taking action today 7 October to demand good, safe jobs at Rio Tinto.

Rio Tinto is increasingly using precarious work around the world. Precarious work includes temporary, casual and contracted-out work that is often low-wage, low-benefit and unsafe. This is a threat to Rio Tinto workers, our unions, and our communities.

Also this year there have been worker fatalities at Rio Tinto in Canada, Chile, Guinea, Indonesia, Madagascar and South Africa.

Workers and unions around the world at Rio Tinto demand the company:

- Stop replacing permanent workers with precarious workers
- Provide safe jobs with good wages and benefits
- Force its suppliers and subcontractors to respect workers' rights, including health and safety rights
- Respect the right of workers and unions to meaningful participation in health and safety matters

For more info on this campaign, go to www.facebook.com/groups/riotintocampaig



Rio Tinto Global Day of Action - October 7, 2015

The Rio Tinto Global Union Network is a network of unions from almost 20 countries that represent workers at Rio Tinto worksites. It includes unions from Africa, Asia, North America and Europe. Our union is participating in the Rio Tinto Global Union Network.

This Network launched a global campaign against Rio Tinto in 2014 demanding that the company improves its treatment of workers and their unions.

As part of that global campaign, the network decided to hold a global day of action on October 7th this year. The date of October 7th was chosen because it is recognized around the world as the World Day of Decent Work.

This Global Day of Action will not only raise awareness among union members and their communities they live in but also it sends a strong message to Rio Tinto management that workers and their unions around the world at Rio Tinto demand decent work, respect and fair treatment.

Unions are mobilizing globally in support of secure employment with good pay and working conditions.

- It's about sustainable full-time jobs
- It's about a safe working environment
- It's about decent pay
- It's about Trade Union Rights
- It's about setting the ground work which will leave safe, good paying permanent jobs for our children and grandchildren in the future

Once again, Unifor Local 2301 will be participating in this global action by holding a rally/protest on October 7, 2015 at 4:30 p.m. in Kitimat BC. The location will be at Centennial Park across from the Upper City Centre Mall.

Unifor National Officers are flying in from Toronto and Vancouver to speak on the global and national scene and there will be speakers from Unifor Local 2301 giving a Local perspective on Rio Tinto, the huge multi-national company we have to deal with on a daily basis. Mark this date on your calendar as it is important that you understand how these corporate agendas and philosophies impact your families and our community as a whole.

See you at the rally/protest.

Date: Wednesday, October 7, 2015

Time: 4:30 p.m.

Location: Centennial Park

(across from Upper City Centre Mall in Kitimat, BC)