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The workers in Opal Plant, Bochum, Germany

From:

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Dear Friends.

We at Asia Monitor Resource Centre, a Hong Kong based labour NGO, would like to express our solidarity for your struggle against the GM management. We fully support you in your industrial action against the proposed jobs cut and proposed cuts in wages and other benefits. This is really a historic moment as management would like to change the present labour relations by employing more and more sub-contractual staff with little or no benefits and will often threaten to move to cheaper locations. It is important for us to resist this move as otherwise most of the cars will be produced under sweatshop labour everywhere in the world with workers having no rights. We congratulate the workers of the Opal Plant in Bochum for being the torch bearers in this struggle and promise our full support in whatever way possible in your struggle.

In solidarity

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