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### **DGB Berlin-Brandenburg Resolution: Solidarity with the workers in Greece**

Not workers but financial markets caused the crisis. And it is not acceptable that they should pay for what the financial speculators caused. The DGB Berlin-Brandenburg monitor with great concern the situation in Greece.

We express our full solidarity with the Greek workers in their struggle against job cuts, wages freezes, wage and pension cuts. We demand that the Speculators must be made responsible for the crisis.

We can not accept the pressure by the European Commission, the Ministers and the ECB on the Greek government for even harder austerity measures to cut wages, social benefits and public services – while the speculators are not to be touched.

Today it is Greece tomorrow it might be other states who are concerned with such a situation.

We ask for realistic well balanced and social plans that are negotiated with the trade unions. Europe needs to be present for its citizens with solidarity and to shield people from the impact of casino capitalism. It is obvious that we need a different policy mix to support investment, growth and employment. We ask for a new architecture for the financial markets and a

**New social deal that put people and solidarity first!**