



CTWU decided to hold the Member Conference for the first time to vote for strike on 5th December

CTWU condemns MOTC and Chunghwa Telecom as having no sincerity to negotiate

CTWU held the common consensus seminar on 9-10 November. About 200 representatives and managing directors from each affiliates joined the seminar. After two days of discussion, the seminar made a resolution without any objection on holding the Member Conference to vote for strike on 5th December. In order to have more than a half of members vote for strike, representatives and managing directors are now doing their best to mobilize members from each affiliates.

It is a common consensus among participants of the seminar that going on a strike is not the purpose but only the method. Therefore, we especially invited the minister of MOTC (Ministry of Transportation and Communications), Lin, Ling-san and the chairman of the Chunghwa Telecom, Hochen, Dan join the seminar to interact with CTWU. We also asked MOTC to illustrate the plan for privatizing Chunghwa Telecom and ensuring labours' rights and interests. However, there's no representative from MOTC participate the seminar. Chunghwa Telecom merely had special assistant and director of finance department as representatives. It's obviously that MOTC and Chunghwa Telecom have no sincerity to negotiate with CTWU. Our union felt deeply sorry and condemn that both of them insist to privatize the Company but ignore the rights and interests of 28,000 members and wouldn't communicate with CTWU.

CTWU is now facing the toughest battle that we have ever had. Even so, the fight for members' working rights must be succeed. We need your support. CTWU look forward to your attendance as a witness to members of CTWU demonstrate solidarity in fighting for their dignity.