

ETUC-European-wide Day of Action

PROTEST AT ANGLO-IRISH BANK

No more bailouts No more cuts

The European Trade Union Congress has called a European-wide day of protest on Wednesday 29th September. The ICTU's has organised a lunchtime march starting at 12.30pm from the Anglo-Irish Bank to the Dail. The CPSU activist group is urging to come out on this protest and show their opposition to the bail outs for the banks and cutbacks for the workers.

The Government's strategy is to cut public sector jobs, wages and services to "help the economy come out of recession". However this strategy is not working and is driving the economy backwards. It is also hurting the lower and middle earners the most, ie us. However

these cuts and savage attacks on our jobs, terms & conditions, Hospitals, schools and pensions are directly linked to bailing out the banks and big developers (NAMA). It's time we said no more bail outs , No more cuts.

Anglo-Irish Bank is costing us €220 million a week! The recent decision to "wind it down" will cost the Irish Taxpayer between €25 to €40 billion. The savings from the "pension levy" ie public sector pay cut only is €1.3b a year!

To help fund these bail outs we all face a severe budget this December, with a property tax, savage cuts to our services and higher tax on

the lower paid. Some business leaders are calling for a further 10% pay cut in the public sector. All the while the wealthy elite get away scott free.

Enough is Enough

The reality is this crisis has nothing to do with us and cutting our wages will do nothing to help us out of it. It will actually make it worse. It's time the Trade unions leadership became more active in fighting this governments bankrupt policies and defend workers.

There is an alternative stand up and fight, make the bankers pay for their own crisis!!!



The CPSU Activist Group are activists within the CPSU campaigning for a democratic and fighting trade union with an accountable leadership. If you want to get involved in the CPSU-AG or help with distributing leaflets for this protest contact us: Terry Kelleher 087-2857665 or cpsuactivists@gmail.com