

List of Solidarity Actions on November 16, 2006 - International Day of Action against Trade Union Repression and Political Killings in the Philippines:

Australia

- Action at the Philippine Consulate of Sydney by Philippine Australian Union Link, Philippines Australia Women's Association, Migrante Philippines - Australia, Philippines-Australia Youth Organisation (PAYO), Philippines-Australia Women's Association (PAWA), Action for Peace & Development in the Philippines. March amid heavy rain and strong winds. Members of the Australian Manufacturing Workers Union (AMWU), Construction, Forestry, Mining and Electrical Union (CFMEU), Maritime Union of Australia (MUA) and the Rail, Tram and Bus Union (RTBU) attended the coordinated action.
- Prayers in the afternoon and Candlelight Vigil in the evening in front of the Philippine consulate at Perth by Unions WA and Philippines-Australia Caucus for Peace (PACP). Unions WA, Quakers Peace Committee, members of the Liquor, Hospitality and Miscellaneous Workers Unions (LEHP) WA Branch, Swan Greens Party WA, CPSU/CSA & CPSU/PSU (State and Federal public sector unions) and the CEPU (Communications, Electrical and Plumbing Unions) laid wreaths. The Filipino-Australian Club of Perth Inc. (FACPI) laid flowers at the altar. Speakers: Rev. Dr. John Evan, Dave Robertson (Trades and Labour Council, TLC), Jane Hutchison, Dr. Amir Ali, Gavin Richards (International Committee Unions WA) and Gino Lopez. Various solidarity messages were read.
- Vigil, film showing and distribution of flyers in Melbourne organized by Philippines Australia Solidarity Association (PASA) and Migrante Melbourne supported by Victorian Trades Hall Council (VTHC).
- Protest letter by the Australian Council of Trade Unions (ACTU)
- Protest letter signed by Philippine Australian Union Link
- Protest letter signed by SEARCH Foundation
- Protest letter signed by Grahame McCulloch, NTEU General Secretary

Austria

- Protest letter to the Philippine Embassy by Pinoy in Austrian Society For Integrity, Reforms and Social Transformation (PINAS FIRST)

Bangladesh

- Protest letter by the PGCB Sramik Karmachri Union
- Solidarity message by the United Labour Federation (ULF)

Brazil

- Protest letter by Sindicato dos Enfermeiros do Estado de São Paulo (Nurses Union of Sao Paolo, SSSEP)

Canada

- Rally in front of the Philippine Consulate of Vancouver organised by SIKLAB (Advance the Rights and Welfare of Overseas Filipino Workers)- British Columbia
- Class readings and reading at convention of a Quebec federation of College teachers' union FAC by Centre d'appui aux Philippines - Center for Philippine Concerns. Resolution of FAC union convention to sign protest letter and start talks to establish official links with KMU
- Silent Vigil in front of the Philippine Consulate of Montreal by Centre d'appui aux Philippines - Center for Philippine Concerns.
- Cultural event in Montreal by SICLAB Quebec.
- Solidarity event in Ontario (CAW Local 40 Union Hall) by Siklab-Ontario and Philippine Network for Justice and Peace
- Protest letter by Public Service Alliance of Canada, Alliance de la Fonction publique du Canada
- Protest letter by Canadian Union of Postal Workers (CUPW)
- Protest letter signed by SIKLAB Canada
- Protest letter signed by National Alliance of Philippine Women in Canada
- Protest letter signed by Philippines-Canada Task Force on Human Rights
- Protest letter signed by Filipino-Canadian Youth Alliance - National
- Protest letter signed by B.C. Committee for Human Rights in the Philippines
- Protest letter signed by Filipino Nurses Support Group
- Protest letter signed by Filipino-Canadian Youth Alliance - Vancouver
- Protest letter signed by Philippine Women Centre of British Columbia
- Protest letter signed by SIKLAB -B.C. (Advance the Rights and Welfare of Overseas Filipino Workers)
- Protest letter signed by Barbara Waldern
- Solidarity message by B.C. Committee for Human Rights in the Philippines (BCCHRP)

Cyprus

- Protest letter by Pancyprian Public Employees Union (P.A.SY.D.Y.)

Denmark

- Solidarity message by International Forum

Finland

- Protest letter by Finnish Public Service Unions' EU working Party FiPSU

France

- Protest letter signed by Jean-Pierre Page

Germany

- Protest letter by VER.DI – Public Services Union
- Protest letter by the German-Philippine Friends (DPF)
- Protest letter by Ford, Claire, Amnesty International, ver.di-Mitglied, Neckargemünd (Germany); Caroli-Buch, Barbara; ver.di-Bezirksfrauenrat; Otto, Vera; Courage, Deutsch-Philippinische Freunde e.V. und ver.di-Mitglied, Heidelberg (Germany); Bräumer, Cornelia; Leimen (Germany); Lutzmann, Burkhard; ver.di-Mitglied, Heidelberg (Germany); Müllerschön, Matthias; Schwerbehindertenvertreter, ver.di-Vertrauensmann, Neckargemünd (Germany); Merzinsky, Udo; Deutsch-Philippinische Freunde e.V., ver.di-Vertrauensleutesprecher im Bildungs- und Gesundheitszentrum Neckargemünd, Heidelberg (Germany); Siegert, Harry, Deutscher Gewerkschaftsbund-Sekretär Rhein-Neckar, ver.di-Mitglied, Viernheim (Germany); Dr. Wallenstein, Gabriele; Marxistisch-Leninistische Partei Deutschlands, ver.di-Mitglied, Berlin (Germany)
- Public protest in front of Embassy in Berlin or Consulate in Frankfurt/Main by DPF

Great Britain

- Action in front of the Philippine Embassy by Campaign for Human Rights in the Philippines (CHRP), UNISON, Trades Union Congress (TUC), Association of Teachers and Lecturers (ATL), National Union of Students (NUS) and other organizations including Filipino migrant organizations
- Delegation to the Philippine ambassador to hand protest letter to the Philippine government.
- Protest letter by the Trades Union Congress (TUC)
- Protest letter by the National Union of Journalists
- Protest letter by the Campaign for Human Rights in the Philippines, London, UK

Greece

- Protest letter by All Workers Militant Front (PAME)

Hong Kong

- March on Sunday November 19
- Protest letter signed by United Filipinos in Hong Kong - MIGRANTE (UNIFIL-MIGRANTE-HK)
- Protest letter signed by Filipino Migrant Workers Union (FMWU)
- Protest letter signed by Abra Tingguian Ilocano Society (ATIS)
- Protest letter signed by Cordillera Alliance (CORALL)
- Protest letter signed by United Pangasinan - Hong Kong (UPHK)
- Protest letter signed by Asia-Pacific Mission for Migrants (APMM)
- Protest letter signed by HK Campaign for the Advancement of Human Rights and Peace in the Philippines (HKCAHRPP)
- Protest letter signed by Mission for Migrant Workers (MFMW)

Hungary

- Protest letter by the Democratic Trade Union of Health and Social Workers (EDDSZ)

Indonesia

- Protest letter by the Congress of Indonesia Unions Alliance (KASBI)

Japan

- Protest action and leaflet distribution near Philippine Consulate and US Embassy in Osaka by Allied Labor Unions of Independence (ALUI)
- Protest action in Tokyo followed by attendance of human rights concert in Yokohama
- Protest letter signed by Allied Labor Unions of Independence, Rakunan Community Union, Labor Union Alliance in Southern Kyoto

South Korea

- Protest action at Philippine Embassy in Seoul by Korean Confederation of Trade Union (KCTU), Asia Pacific Labor Solidarity Link Korea (APWLS) The Migrant Trade Union (MTU), The Katipunan ng mga Samahang Migranteng Manggagawa sa Korea (KASAMMA-KO), a representative of Gefont in Nepal, a representative from Taiwan, the group of the Labor Cyber Net in Korea, and the Seoul Guarantee Insurance Union. Presence of the Vice-President of KCTU.
- KASAMMA-KO and Korean Confederation of Trade Unions (KCTU). Dialogue with person in charge of labor affairs at Philippine embassy.
- Protest letter signed by the Korean Confederation of Trade Unions (KCTU)

Sweden

- Protest letter by Swedish Municipal Workers' Union

Malaysia

- Protest letter by Socialist Party of Malaysia and Socialist Youth

Malta

- Protest letter by the Malta Union of Midwives & Nurses (MUMN)

Nepal

- Protest letter by GEFONT

Netherlands - Antilles

- Protest letter by the Windward Island Civil Servants Union / Private Sector Union (WICSU/PSU)

New Zealand

- Protest at the Philippine embassy by the Workers Party on Nov. 17
- Protest letter to the Philippine Government by Unite Union and other organizations
- Solidarity message endorsed by Unite Union, National Distribution Union, Workers Party of New Zealand, Philippines Solidarity Network, Free People's Movement, Radical Youth, Rev. Rob Ritchie Anglican Diocese of Christchurch, Dr. Philip Ferguson Member of staff, University of Canterbury, Dr. WJ Rosenberg Former President, Association of University Staff New Zealand 2003-2004, Dr. Megan Clayton, Staff University of Canterbury, Ass. Professor Martin Setchell, University of Canterbury, Ass. Professor S. Naguleswaran, University of Canterbury, Caroline Syddall, Member Association of University Staff Canterbury, Mathew Fitzsimmon, Canterbury Branch Organiser, Association of University Staff, Dr. David Small, Canterbury University Branch President, Association of University Staff, Dr. Jack Heinemann, Assoc Prof School Biological Science, University of Canterbury, Dr. Stephanie Day, University of Canterbury, Helen Kissell, University of Canterbury, Helen Kelly, General Secretary, Association of University Staff of New Zealand, Warwick Anderson, Association of University Staff, Bob Gordon, Association of University Staff, Professor Andrew Carstairs-McCarthy, University of Canterbury New Zealand, James Oxham, Officer of Association of University Staff New Zealand, Richard Jefferies, National Distribution Union Delegate, Leilanie Bennett, National Distribution Union Delegate, Barbara Whiting, National Distribution Union Delegate, Simon Oosterman, National Distribution Union Publicity officer, Kathie Carter, National Distribution Union Delegate Feilding Feltex factory, Dot Takeret, National Distribution Union Delegate Cavalier Bremworths, Colleen Hughes, National Distribution Union Delegate, Dennis Dawson, President National Distribution Union, Louise Masters, National Distribution Union Delegate, Michelle, Argyle National Distribution Union Delegate, David Fleming, National Distribution Union Legal Officer, Shannon Sanson,

National Distribution Union Delegate, Miri Woodhouse, National Distribution Union Delegate, Dave Wickham, Engineering, Print and Manufacturing Union, Daniel Patua, National Distribution Union Executive member, Mark Muller, National Distribution Union Organiser, Quentin Thompson, National Distribution Union Delegate, Helen Te Hira, National Distribution Union Education officer, Stan Renick, National Distribution Union Wood Sector secretary, Jack Kahika, National Distribution Union Delegate, Peter Gosche, IRIS superannuation, Mary Panivau, National Distribution Union Delegate, Janine Krs, National Distribution Union Delegate, Alastair Richmond, National Distribution Union Delegate, Colin Aldreth, National Distribution Union Delegate, Gordon Smith, National Distribution Union Delegate, Sheryl Cadman, National Distribution Union Secretary, J M Joyce, National Distribution Delegate Union Pan Pacific Wood Industries, Paul Watson, National Distribution Union Secretary, Ricky Lang, National Distribution Union Delegate Whakatane Board Mills, Chris Napa, National Distribution Union Delegate Versacold, Jamie Toko, National Distribution Union Organiser, Louise Williams, National Distribution Union Delegate Farmers Dunedin, Jan Holmes, National Distribution Union office staff, Ray Pou Poosa, National Distribution Union Delegate Auckland, Marianne Taylor, National Distribution Union Delegate Invercargill, Syd Keepa, National Distribution Union Organiser, Grant McRae, National Distribution Union Delegate, Anwick Umutoni, National Distribution Union Delegate, Tina Jane Catlow, National Distribution Union Dunedin, Tim Bowron, National Distribution Union Dunedin, Rebecca Broad, National Distribution Union, Daphna Whitmore, Unite Union, Geoff Healy, Unite Union, Jared Phillips, Unite Union, Karyn Amoore Engineering, Print and Manufacturing Union, Chris Rigby Engineering, Print and Manufacturing Union

Pakistan

- Protest action at the Philippine Embassy by All Pakistan Trade Union Federation (APTUF) and Working Womens' Organisation (WWO)
- Protest letter to the Philippine Embassy by APTUF and WWO

Sierra Leone

- Protest letter by the Sierra Leone People's Democratic League (PDL)
- Protest letter by Africans United for Taiwan
- Adama Kamara, Vice President of the Africans United for Taiwan (AUT), discussed the human rights violations in the Philippines in a radio interview

South Africa

- Protest letter by the Democratic Nursing Association of South Africa (DENOSA)

Sri Lanka

- Protest letter signed by Tania Noctiummes

Taiwan

- Protest Action in Taipei City. Attendance: 15 participants: Labor Rights Association (7), Solidarity Peoples Power (3), Coolloud (2), students (2) and Migrante (1).
- Solidarity statement by Asia Pacific Mission for Migrants (APMM), Migrante Sectoral Party (MSP) - Taiwan Chapter, Labor Rights Association (LRA), Solidarity with People's Power, PEACETIME Foundation of Taiwan, Taiwan International Workers Association (TIWA), Taiwan Petroleum Workers Union, Bruce Yuan-Hao Liao, Assistant Professor of Law, National Chengchi University, Hsiao-Chuan Hsia, Associate Professor and Hsin Hsing Chen, Assistant Professor, Graduate Institute for Social Transformation Studies, Shih Hsin University, Lin Hsinyi, Secretary General, Constitutional Reform Alliance (CRA)
- Protest letter signed by Migrante Sectoral Party – Taiwan Chapter
- Protest letter signed by Pao-Yu Ching

Thailand

- Protest letter by APWSL Thailand

Uruguay

- Solidarity message by Frente Sindical del PCR del Uruguay

USA

- Action in Washington DC by the International Labor Rights Fund (ILRF)
- Action in Seattle (Teamsters Hall) by US Committee for Labor and Human Rights in the Philippines and The Northwest Alliance for Human Rights in the Philippines
- Action in Los Angeles
- Resolution to condemn political killings during official Manila visit of San Francisco Mayor, due to action of BAYAN USA, League of Filipino Students-San Francisco State University
- Protest letter signed by United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America (UE)
- Protest letter signed by CAAAV Organizing Asian Communities, New York City
- Protest letter signed by Katarungan, Ad-Hoc Committee for Peace, Justice and Human Rights in the Philippines; ILRF; Methodist Federation for Social Action; United Students Against Sweatshops; Asia Pacific American Labor Alliance, AFL-CIO; United Church of Christ Justice and Witness Ministries; Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations; The Thomas Merton Center

International

- Protest letter by the Public Services International (PSI)
- Protest letter by the World Federation of Trade Unions (WFTU)