## **Resolution by the staff of the European Parliament**

Annual pay adjustment — the Method

The staff of the European Parliament's secretariat general, meeting in General Assemblies in Luxembourg and Brussels on 10 December 2009 at the invitation of the EP trade unions\*,

Having heard their representatives,

In view of COREPER's decision to reject the Commission's proposal on the annual pay adjustment,

**INSISTS** that the Council upholds its statutory obligations (in particular articles 65 & 65a and annex XI);

ASKS the Commission not to change its proposal for the annual pay adjustment;

**MANDATES** the EP trade unions, if the Council fails to commit to upholding its statutory obligations, to **organise strike action**, or other similar action, in line with the strike warning already deposed, as of 14 December 2009;

**MANDATES** the EP trade unions to take the necessary steps to put this resolution into practice.

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