



MANDATE
TRADE UNION

JD/SB

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To the locked-out workers of UFCW 791
USA

Dear UFCW Members,

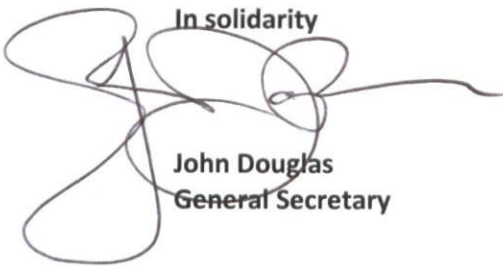
We, the retail workers of Mandate Trade Union in Ireland wish to extend to you our deepest feelings of solidarity and sincere congratulations for your achievements.

You have marched for six days in order to assert your right for healthcare coverage, which is a basic human right, echoing the march for civil rights in America many years ago.

In Ireland we have experienced the same problem with many employers seeking to attack our conditions of employment and we get inspiration from your march for justice.

Retail workers in Ireland stand fully united behind your fight for justice as your struggle is our struggle.

In solidarity



John Douglas
General Secretary

cc **Mr Craig Herkert, CEO and President of Supervalu**
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