

DEMONSTRATION

Wednesday 23 October

at 12.30h, in front of the Isar building

On 23 and 24 October the EPO Budget and Finance Committee will meet in Munich.

On the agenda are [CA/83/19](#) and [CA/84/19](#).



Despite the excellent performance of staff during the last years, these documents foresee an unprecedented set of punitive measures, among which:

- A further **increase of productivity** of 31% for formalities staff and 23% for examining staff, the latter on top of the + 36% already achieved,
- A reduction of the salary progression and a further reduction of the career perspectives for all but the happy few, additionally
- The introduction of a “solidarity tax” (*solidarity with whom?*) of up to 9% on salaries and pensions, and
- An up to 25% reduction of the pension accrual despite an up to 10% increase in the pension contribution by staff,
- With the further hundreds of millions in cash surpluses thus generated annually to be stashed away in an obscure “EPO Treasury Investment Fund” (EPOTIF).

Is this a just reward for staff’s performance?

Is this in the interest of the EPO and its stakeholders?

Please join us for a demonstration in front of the Isar building if you don’t think so !

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