

ArcelorMittal Luxembourg

Collective labour agreement to be renewed

On 11 October 2022, the first meeting between the trade unions and the management of ArcelorMittal took place for the renewal of the "collective labour agreement for employees in the Luxembourg steel industry". This concerns the workers who belong exclusively to the entities of the ArcelorMittal steel perimeter: Administration, Belval, Differdange, Dommeldange and Rodange.

This opening meeting provided an opportunity to review the economic, financial, and social situation of the company. The management representatives presented the latest figures attesting to the good financial situation of ArcelorMittal Luxembourg, as well as a detailed review of the investments and challenges to come. A brief update about the 3000 employees concerned was also given.

Maintain the common front!

The OGBL, as a signatory with a majority in the ArcelorMittal entities falling within the scope of this collective labour agreement, has invited the LCGB union to participate in a meeting to draw up a single set of demands for both union organisations in the framework of the negotiations. This "intersyndicale" will take place soon.

As in the past, and to maintain the trade union front, the purpose of this meeting between trade unions will be to finalise a common catalogue of demands representing the expectations and needs of all employees concerned.

For a quality collective agreement!

For the OGBL, the collective agreement remains the best way to value employees, to reconcile their professional and private lives, and above all to strengthen their purchasing power at a time when they need it most. For the OGBL, this agreement is also a key element in meeting the challenges and major projects to come to guarantee the future of steel activities in Luxembourg.

The next meeting with ArcelorMittal management is scheduled for the beginning of November. The unions' negotiating committee will then ensure that the catalogue of demands is presented, and the negotiation phase will begin in earnest.

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