

BULLETIN #26

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UNITY IS STRENGTH

For the past 26 weeks the CWU has produced a Bulletin to update members and Representatives on our ongoing Pay and Four Pillars campaign.

At this stage, the mediation process unfortunately prevents both parties from disclosing details of the latest talks. We totally appreciate that our members and our excellent Representatives at all levels are becoming increasingly frustrated by the confidentiality of the mediation process. Your negotiators and the Postal Executive share that frustration and we cannot wait to afford you more detail.

There has been movement in this mediation process and the Mediator's report (due on 30th November) should demonstrate that. What is clear is the CWU's magnificent ballot result has forced Royal Mail management to enter serious talks (after months of fruitless discussions) and put the Union in a strong negotiating position to secure the best deal for members. We hope the company fully respects the CWU's overwhelming mandate and degree of membership support and properly addresses CWU's outstanding claim around Pay and the Four Pillars of Security.

Although this dispute is far from over and there is still much to do, you should be confident that the unity and strength of our campaign and the amazing support for the Union's vision has and will continue to drive momentum to an Agreement that will provide the job, standard of living and retirement security we seek, whilst also protecting this great public service.

YOU PICKED THE RIGHT SIDE

THIS DISPUTE IS FAR FROM OVER, WE WILL CONTINUE CAMPAIGNING

KEEP VOICING YOUR SUPPORT AND WE WILL WIN.

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