



We Need to Save Jobs and Protect Pensions NOW!

Teamsters are calling on Congress to pass legislation to provide relief to our nation's defined benefit pension plans, which are in trouble due to the Wall Street financial collapse. First, it is essential that Congress act to protect our pensions. Second, and just as important, the weakening of pension plan funding is a threat to Teamster jobs – as good employers face the prospect of extraordinary new pension costs that could put them out of business. Congress and the Administration bailed out Wall Street; now it's time to come to the aid of Main Street – Main Street jobs and Main Street pensions!

The Preserve Benefits and Jobs Act of 2009, H.R. 3936, was introduced in the U.S. House of Representatives late last year. Similar legislation is expected to be introduced soon in the U.S. Senate. This legislation would provide relief to our nation's defined benefit pension plans.

Millions of union members depend on defined benefit pension plans for retirement security. The Teamsters Union is committed to mobilizing an aggressive grassroots campaign to pass pension reform legislation to save our pensions and save our jobs!

Do your part to save jobs and protect pensions. Call your members of Congress and tell them to make the passage of meaningful pension legislation a top priority for 2010. The U.S. Senate Switchboard number is (202) 224-3121, and the U.S. House of Representative Switchboard number is (202) 225-3121.



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