

# Trade Unions of the Romanian Railways

**TO: INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND**

- **Jeffrey R. Franks, IMF Mission Chief for Romania,**
- **Tonny Lybek, IMF Resident Representative in Romania and Bulgaria**

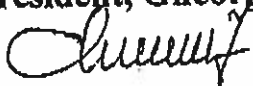
Dear Mr. Jeffrey Franks, Dear Mr. Tonny Lybeck,

Taking advantage of the presence of the IMF mission in Bucharest from January 25 to February 6, 2012, aiming for the fourth review of Romania's Stand-By Arrangement, and having in mind the difficult situation of the Romanian railway system, the representatives of the trade unions organising the employees in the Romanian railways would like to have the opportunity to meet the representatives of the IMF mission and discuss the problems of this important transport network of the country.

The atmosphere of increasing social unrest in Romania is likely to spread among the railway employees due to the latest legislative and organisational developments related to the railway enterprises, so we believe that it is necessary to find quick and effective solutions to save the railway system from chaos.

Looking forward to meeting you, sincerely yours,

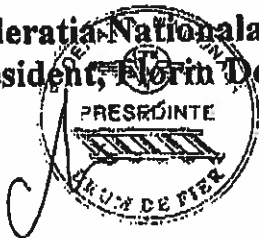
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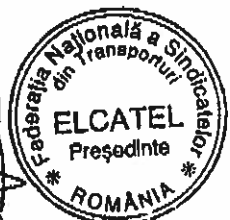
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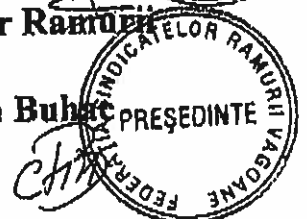
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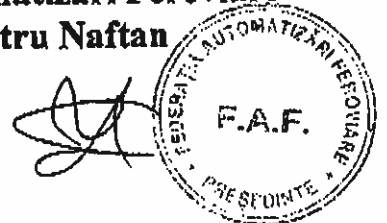
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Bucharest, January 25, 2012