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EUROCOP SUPPORTS THE ETUC DECLARATION FOLLOWING OUR PARTICIPATION IN THE TRADE UNION SUMMIT FOR UKRAINE

The Summit concluded with a joint Declaration capturing the rich exchange and emphasising the main political messages. The Summit showcased again the trade union commitment to help and work with Ukrainian trade union colleagues and it proved the unity of the movement in standing for trade union values. It has been an important milestone, and it paves the way for future work helping Ukrainian workers in times of war and beyond.

“I was privileged and humbled by the detailed information we were provided by Trade Union Leaders and Politicians from Ukraine. To be informed that 19,393 children have been forcibly deported to Russia since the war started was heartbreaking, and I look forward to the day when Vladimir Putin faces a Judicial process in which he has been charged for War crimes for being responsible for the unlawful deportation of people (children) from occupied areas of Ukraine to the Russian Federation.

My main take away was one of a better understanding and appreciation of the courage and enormous amount of stoicism of the Ukrainian people and the way they have come together in the workplace in making their individual contribution to achieve their rightful goal of living their lives in a peaceful environment and free of the illegal Russian invasion of their country”

Nigel Dennis, Head of Office, EuroCOP

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