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Coronavirus

Social partners meeting

The 8 representative trade union and employer organizations at the national level met on March, 19th to discuss the economic and social situation created by the health crisis and the means to deal with it.

You can find below the conclusions of this meeting.

Meeting report

The trade union confederations (CFDT, CGT, FO, CFE-CGC, CFTC) and the employers' organizations (MEDEF, CPME, U2P) committed to their freedom of behavior met on March, 19th.

In the context of a major health crisis, related to the epidemic of Coronavirus (COVID-19), which calls for taking the measures essential to contain it, they thus intend to affirm the essential role of social dialogue and collective bargaining.

They call on public authorities and companies to use all the resources necessary to protect the health and safety of employees who have to work.

They welcome the commitment of public service agents and employees who are particularly indispensable to start, of course, in terms of health, but also continuity of supply.

They underline the major role of our collective social protection systems, which guarantee solidarity among all.

They agreed to stay in touch as much as necessary.

Paris, March 19, 2020