## The Maritime Union Of Australia Queensland Branch





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**Dear Comrades** 

At our Branch Monthly Meeting held on 26 July 2016 in Brisbane the following Motion was moved and carried unanimously.

"This meeting of Maritime Union of Australia, Queensland Branch members extend their hands in solidarity with our fellow workers represented by the CFMEU Mining Division in your heroic struggle against the resurgent coal mining disease of Black Lung."

This Branch of the MUA stands ready, willing and able to support this State's coal miners in whatever action is deemed necessary to:

- 1. Eradicate this horrible occupational disease
- 2. Make sure all government and industry bodies do all in their power to eliminate Black Lung
- 3. Support training and testing is given so medical experts in Australia are competent at testing for the disease of Black Lung
- 4. Ensure any coal miner affected by this horrendous disease is totally compensated and his or her family are given life time access to the best medical and rehabilitation treatment available for no cost to the affected coal miner

Comrades, please relay this message to any meeting of your members you feel is appropriate.

Your mate and comrade

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