9 CENTS!

Late in the evening of June 15, the Wages Stabilization Board announced that approval had been granted for a 9-cent hourly wage increase for GE workers. Some 75,000 GE workers who are members of IUE-CIO were not affected by the announcement, because their union had voted the nine-cent increase for them at a special meeting, to be held on March 15, over a month ago.

But those who are affected by the announcement, including some 16,000 Schenectady GE workers now under UE contract, will soon be in the house.

The increase which the workers have been seeking is a 9-cent hourly raise, effective from June 16, 1952.

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Even though the organizers of UE condemned the IUE-CIO victory, UE's membership showed that they wanted the raise, and demanded action.

UE, a dissociated organization, could do nothing to force quick action by the Wages Stabilization Board on the case. But UE-CIO, on the morning of June 14, sent the following telegram to the headquarters of the UE:

D. W. THOMSON, WAGES STABILIZATION BOARD

FEDERAL SECURITY BLDG. S60

WASHINGTON, D.C.

THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF ELECTRICAL, RADIO AND MACHINE WORKERS-CIO URGES IMMEDIATE APPROVAL OF THE 9-CENT INCREASE FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE GENERAL ELECTRIC CO. WHO HAVE NOT ALREADY RECEIVED IT. THE APPLICATION OF GE SHOULD BE APPROVED WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY.

FURTHERMORE WE URGE THE BOARD TO DELIVER ITS STAFF TO APPROVE SIMILAR INCREASES IN THE ELECTRICAL INDUSTRY SUBSEQUENT TO THE TIME WHEN GE PUT IT IN EFFECT.

JAMES B. CAREY, PRESIDENT

IUE-CIO

This telegram brought immediate action by the Board, and a 9-cent hourly raise to all GE workers.

In view of these facts, it becomes more important than ever that all GE workers unite in the IUE-CIO for only through such unity can GE workers win their just demands from management.

International Union of Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers-CIO

I want to join with 70,000 other General Electric employees who have affiliated with the International Union of Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers-CIO, which has won greatly improved contract conditions including a recent wage increase—the third that IUE-CIO has won for GE in one year. For these reasons and also because I wish to belong to a democratic, anti-CIO union, I hereby declare my affiliation with the International Union of Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers-CIO as my sole collective bargaining agent.

This affiliation supersedes any prior affiliation.

Date

Signature

Required by:

GE Plant, Schenectady

Department

Approved by:

Schenectady.

June 16, 1952

Send your card to UE-CIO,

200 Clinton St., Schenectady.

UE CONDEMNS U.S. GOVERNMENT!

UE has come out again in condemnation of the form of government in the United States.

In a U.S. District Court in June 8, which has been distributed in the US. Government, over the issue of the US. Government for the right to strike, the US. Government for the right to strike, the US. Government for the right to strike.

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UE WORKER TAKES POWDER IN TWO ELECTIONS

In recent days the drop of the US. Government has run out in elections in two entirely different situations rather than from IUE-CIO is a democratic election.

At the Electric Co-op which has been distributed in the US. Government, over the issue of the US. Government for the right to strike, the US. Government for the right to strike.

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