



Tel Aviv, April 14th

8. Ben Saruk st.

To:

ZNP

President Slawomir Broniarz

Ul. Smulikowskiego 6/8

Warsaw, Poland

Dear Slawomir,

As Secretary General of Histadrut Hamorim, the largest Israeli teachers' organization, I wish to express my solidarity and support with your struggle for a significant increase in teachers' salaries in Poland and the teachers' strike that began on April 8th.

A fair and worthy teacher's salary attests to the recognition, evaluation and retribution of those engaged in teaching. **Investing in teachers is an investment in quality and optimal education.** Each government and your government must act to strengthen the status of the teaching profession, so that it will attract people of quality and motivation who will lead and shape education in the 21st century.

The decision to launch a strike is not an easy step taken lightly, but it seems that your decision was taken with the responsibility of advancing this issue in Poland.

I wish you success in the way you chose.

I will be happy to keep up to date with the results of the strike and to continue to lead together the efforts to strengthen the status of teachers in Israel and in Poland.

Best Regards

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