

Press Release

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## CITU CONDEMNS THE REPRESSIVE MEASURE ON STRIKING OFFICERS OF OIL PSUS

Centre of Indian Trade Unions (CITU) condemns the repressive measures, taken by the Government against the striking officers of the 14 oil PSUs in the country. CITU strongly opposes invoking of ESMA against the peaceful agitation of the officers who have been pursuing their longstanding demands with the Government for more than two years.

CITU deplores the lackadaisical approach to the demands and false assurances by the Government which has led to the present impasse, causing tremendous inconvenience to the people because of disruption in supply of petroleum products.

CITU demands that the Government should immediately release all arrested officers, withdraw all punitive measures and immediately start fruitful negotiations to end the present impasse in national and public interest.

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