



# HELP US SAVE 189 JOBS AT NATIONAL GRID IN NEWCASTLE

SUPPORT THE FIGHT FOR JOBS & JUSTICE

## Day of Action

11TH SEPTEMBER 2009

**ASSEMBLE FROM 12:45 PM AT: Grey's Monument,  
Grey Street, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 7RU**

**SPEAKERS:**

- Jill Black, GMB Activist
- Gary Smith, GMB National Secretary
- Stephen Byers, MP—TBC
- Claire Williams, Unison Convenor
- Mick Tuff, Unite Full Time Officer
- Mike Jeram, Unison National Officer
- Adele Foster, GMB Activist
- Hannah Akram, Unite Activist

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## Jobs and Justice

National Grid is threatening to close the Newcastle Office and offshore the work to a low wage economy such as India. 189 workers in Newcastle face the sack.

This year National Grid posted profits of nearly £3bn pounds and paid shareholders a dividend of 23p per share. Shareholders have also been guaranteed an 8% return per year until 2012.

Seven National Grid directors have enjoyed a total of £9.47 million in salary and bonuses this year.

As consumers have seen their energy bills soar and National Grid find the money for a senior executive to park his Ferrari in a dehumidified garage known as the "Hotel for Fine Automobiles", Newcastle workers face a future on the dole.

### Please visit

[www.nationalgreed.co.uk](http://www.nationalgreed.co.uk) sign the No.10 petition, contribute your views to the blog and support the campaign to save jobs in this time of major recession.

### UNION CONTACTS

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