

PETITION COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FOR FREELANCES

The NUJ requests that the BBC recognises it for the purposes of collective bargaining on behalf of all freelance journalists who contribute to any medium produced by, or under the auspices of, the Corporation.

While the BBC has traditionally recognised trades unions representing staff, it will not afford the same rights to the many thousands of freelances who provide their labour in any given year.

We, the undersigned, urge the BBC management to meet with the NUJ to discuss and establish a framework that will allow the union to represent freelance journalists on a collective basis on all matters appertaining to their work with and for the Corporation.

(NB: Your name will not be given to the BBC).

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Thank you for your support!

Please return this petition to:

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