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Teamsters Local 830 has been involved in a fight, boycott and contract dispute with the owner of Yuengling Brewery since March of 2006.

During contract negotiations in February 2006 the owner Dick Yuengling went around with a petition asking the members to get rid of those union guys from Philly or he would sell the Brewery.

In March 2006, Local 830 received a letter from Dick Yuengling that he enjoyed majority and Local 830 did not, therefore, he was withdrawing recognition of Local 830, check-off, grievance and arbitration.

Local 830 has continued the boycott of Yuengling Products going along with the help of the PA Conference for the last eight years, but now we need your help with this anti-union employer. He has started a campaign of radio, newspapers and Press Corp that he wants Pennsylvania to be a Right to Work State.

Union Buster Billionaire Richard L. "Dick" Yuengling, president and owner of the Pottsville-based brewery, recently made a statement at a Pennsylvania Press Club luncheon at the Harrisburg Hilton. According to The Associated Press, Yuengling said Monday the state would attract more business if it adopted a right-to-work policy that would make it more difficult for unions to organize.

This union busting billionaire only understands one thing MONEY so tell your members, family and friends to quit buying his products. While he eats steak and caviar he prefers everyone else to eat peanut butter and jelly on scab wages. We must stand up and be united against this union buster and show him labor will not tolerate this attack on workers.

I am asking for your full support in boycotting Yuengling Products. You need to get this message out to your entire membership.

Fraternally yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William Hamilton".

William Hamilton
President

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