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## **RADIO FRANCE STRIKE CONTINUES SINCE 14 DAYS ALREADY AND DIALOGUE IS BROKEN**

### **BETWEEN STRIKERS AND THE MANAGEMENT**

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**USPA NEWS** - Radio France is the French National Radio on strike for 15 days and was renewed today by unions. The reason is deficit of € 50 million issued on 11 February. A strike notice submitted on March 13, when "Canard Enchaîné" (A Serious French investigative newspaper) published overspending's director.

The General Inspectorate of Finance opens expenditure survey of the Presidency of the Executive Board and Steering Committee. Mathieu Gallet is convened by the Minister of culture, Fleur Pellerin. Radio France is a limited company owned by the French state, born on 1 January 1975, which manages public radio stations in France, several musical groups and a label discs.-----REVELATIONS OF "CANARD ENCHAINE" JOURNAL TO THE LIFESTYLE'S MANAGEMENT OF RADIO FRANCE-----"A new office to € 100,000 for the CEO, and a salary of € 90,000 monthly for a communications adviser". Here are the latest revelations published by the newspaper "Canard Enchaîné" which angered the Radio France staff and explain (in part) their strike. Then social dialogue seems broken between the management of Radio France and staff via the unions.-----

**MINISTER OF CULTURE, FLEUR PELLERIN, SUMMONED MATHIEU GALLET TOMORROW-----**

The government spokesman Stephane Le Foll told the press today about Mathieu Gallet : "There is a report was submitted this morning to the Minister of culture and tomorrow he is convened by the Minister by his appropriate Minister".-----Frederic Mitterrand (Former Minister of Culture 2009-2012) who is closed to Mathieu Gallet, is the rare to support his friend about his accusations : "This is the 'hard and it happens just when a heavy strike is triggered. The real question Etta who claimed the free public broadcasting, trying to regain control audio visual "(Interview by Romain Petit Journal on Canal Plus).-----

The management of Radio France announced at a special CEC (Staff Meeting with Management ) she works on a voluntary redundancy plan 200 to 300 senior employees in order to save 24 million payroll euros by 2019. This confirms the fears of trade unions.-----

These two-week strike coincide with a normally peak activity loaded in breaking news and coverage in France with the crash of Flight Germanwings U9525, departmental elections during the two towers (22 and 29 March 2015) and other daily. This is a period of intense activity which is certainly a financial shortfall for Group already suffering from large deficits.-----

On March 30: The Call of the SDJ (Union of Journalists) for Strike to continue-----

The Society of Radio France Journalists called on the government to "fulfill his debt to public radio," in an article published Monday. Source: Canard Enchaîne, Le Petit Journal at Canal Plus TV.-----For more information see [www.radiofrance.fr](http://www.radiofrance.fr)

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