

## BSPK VI<sup>th</sup> extraordinary Congress



**Prishtina 5 December 2011** - Union of Independent Trade Unions of Kosovo, BSPK on December 2, 2011, held VI extraordinary Congress in Gjakova. In Congress participated 8 branches:

1. Federal Union of Health – (FSSHK);
2. Ferronickel - (SPMK);
3. Independent Union Agrokompleks Kosova – (SPAGK);
4. Independent Union of Construction and design of Kosovo – (SPNPK);
5. Independent Union of Jurispodence of Kosovo- (SPJK);
6. Independent Trade Union of Kombinat Trepca – (SPKT);
7. Kosovo Correctional Service Dubrava Correctional Center – (SPHKK);
8. Women's Network.

Present at the Congress were also the Independent Trade Union of Customs, Forestry, Textile and Kosovo Pensioners as an observer . Attending the Congress also representatives from the Ministry of Labor and Social Welfare (MPMS), President of BSPSH from Albania with delegation's, etc.

In the Congress was read the supporting Telegram from ITUC (World Trade Unions) which reaffirmed support for BSPK, President Arifi and is signed by Sharon Burov ITUC general secretary . Of the total 68 delegates from 8 above mentioned branches were present 61 of voting delegates who unanimously re-elected for president **Haxhi Arifi**

VI Congress approved the Labor Report, Financial Report also was approved the Draft Statute of BSPK with proposals and suggestions to the Commission's statutory BSPK, also was made harmonization of the Statute of BSPK with the ITUC the point of the mandate of the President was approved from 4 to 5 years.

To have a right for Branch - Federation Congress delegates made changes for the number of members from 1000 that has been so far in the statute to 500 members, also was approved three (3) Resolution, which relate to the organization and operation of BSPK to the next mandatory. The proceedings of Congress were held in peaceful and festive atmosphere. While the two branches meeting in Pristina called 'Congress held in Pristina ', is not legitimate and has no support from the International Union which is a member BSPK.\*\*\*