BATTLE CRY OF A JOB ORDER

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We are all working on the same institution and are working the same job. Actually, we are working more than you, yet you are paid better.

'No work, no pay', 'No 13th month pay', 'No Christmas Bonus', these are just some of the curses attached to being a job order. Though job orders are commonly called as contractual who signed an agreement, we cry for at least an appreciation for the job that we do. There are a lot of promises and released orders that job orders would be given salary increase but until now all we have is a longing for that promise. We are any less than workers who work the same hours as a regular employee, we should not come late to the work area because the hours we did not render would be deducted to the very small salary we are earning. Because we are job orders, we are treated less than the regular employees. We cannot disobey nor complaint because we are just mere job orders. It is a bit degrading but there is nothing we could do for the people to appreciate us. Above all those, we are still doing our job and the job we are asked to do.

We are not expecting to have incentives or bonuses anymore. But at least we cry out for an increase in our salaries. They say that you need to love your job for you to enjoy it. But how would you love the job that deprives you of every rights that you cried out for. We all want to be rewarded after accomplishing a task that has taken all of our energy. But a reward that is less than what we have exerted is a bit heartbreaking.
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