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On Sept. 22, a strike called Sept. 5 by CIMA, a national teachers' union federation, ended with the conclusion of an agreement with the Education Ministry. The agreement states that the CIMA and the government will negotiate a series of demands, including salary hikes, within a 20-day period. The accord also includes a pledge by the Ministry to refrain from adopting sanctions against teachers who participated in the strike. (Basic data from Xinhua, 09/22/89)

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