



INTERNATIONAL LABOUR OFFICE

**Meeting of Experts on Labour Statistics:
Updating the International Standard Classification of Occupations**
(Geneva, 3 – 6 December 2007)
ILO Building, Room V, R3

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

**Main relevant
paragraphs
of the Report**

Monday 3 December 2007

Session 1 - 10:00-12:30

1 Opening of the meeting

Welcome and opening remarks

Election of chairperson, rapporteur and drafting committee

Adoption of the agenda

Announcements

2 Background and overview of the work undertaken

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Coffee break

3 Conceptual framework for the updated ISCO

28 - 62

4 Overview of changes proposed for ISCO-08

Reasons for the changes

64 - 68

Overview of the proposed ISCO-08 structure

69 - 75

Thematic groupings

76 - 77

Specific areas of major change (summary presentation and discussion)

78 - 131

Lunch break

Session 2 - 14:30-17:30

5 Consideration of the updated classification structure

The meeting is invited to consider each of the proposed ISCO-08 major groups, as presented in the Annex to the draft resolution presented in Chapter 4 of the Report and identify any changes that may need to be made.

Major group 1, Managers, senior officials and legislators 78 – 85

Coffee break

Major group 2, Professionals 89 -105

Tuesday 4 December 2007

Session 3 - 10:00-12.30

Major group 3, Technicians and Associate Professionals 89 -105

Coffee break

Major Group 4, Clerks 106 - 110

Lunch break

Session 4 - 14:30-17:30

Major Group 5, Service and sales workers 110 - 115

Coffee break

Major Group 6, Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers 116 - 120

Wednesday 5 December 2007

Session 5 - 10:00-12.30

Major Group 7, Craft and related trades workers 121 - 124

Coffee break

Major Group 8, Plant and machine operators, and assemblers 125 - 127

Lunch break

Session 6 - 14:30-17:30

Major group 9, Elementary occupations 128 - 131

Major group 0, Armed forces occupations 71

Coffee break

6 Review of the draft resolution and agreed changes to the proposed classification structure

7 Consideration of future work and ILO plans to support implementation of the updated ISCO

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Thursday 6 December 2007

11:00

No meeting: distribution of draft resolution and report of the meeting

Session 7 14:30-17:30

8 Discussion and adoption of the draft resolution and report of the meeting

Closure of the meeting