

**Tripartite Meeting on Employment, Employability
and Equal Opportunities in the Postal and
Telecommunications Services**Geneva
13-17 May 2002

**Resolution concerning fundamental principles and
rights at work in the postal and telecommunications
services sectors**

submitted by the Working Party on Resolutions

The Tripartite Meeting on Employment, Employability and Equal Opportunities in
the Postal and Telecommunications Services,

Having met in Geneva from 13 to 17 May 2002;

Adopts this seventeenth day of May 2002 the following resolution*:

The Tripartite Meeting on the Employment, Employability and Equal Opportunities
in the Postal and Telecommunications Services invites the Governing Body of the
International Labour Office:

To call on governments, employers' and workers' organizations¹ to observe and
promote the ILO Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work and its
Follow-up, namely: freedom of association and the effective recognition of the right to
collective bargaining; the elimination of all forms of forced or compulsory labour; the
effective abolition of child labour; and the elimination of discrimination in respect of
employment and occupation.

¹ When the term "workers' organizations" is used, it refers primarily to trade unions.

*This resolution has not yet been examined by the Governing Body of the ILO in accordance with established procedures and therefore
cannot be considered as definitive.