

“The ILO in Thailand and Asia-Pacific: 90 years working for social justice”
A celebration of the ILO’s 90th anniversary and
the National Tripartite on Thailand Decent Work Country Programme

AGENDA

Thursday, 23rd April 2009 – Grand Millennium Sukhumvit Hotel, Sukhumvit 21, Bangkok

Provisional Agenda	
08.15-08.45	Registration
08.45-09.20	<p>Welcome Remarks: Ms Sachiko Yamamoto, ILO Regional Director for Asia and the Pacific: “The ILO at 90 – Decent Work and Social Justice in Asia and the Pacific”</p> <p>Video message by Mr. Juan Somavia, Director-General, ILO</p> <p>Video message by H.E. Mr. Abhisit Vejjajiva, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand</p> <p>Keynote Address: Mr. Phaithoon Kaeothong, Minister of Labour, Royal Thai Government <i>Group Photo (Government, Workers, Employers, and ILO)</i></p> <p>90th Anniversary cake cutting and photo-opportunity and tour of Thailand Exhibit (hotel foyer) (Minister of Labour, Permanent-Secretary of Ministry of Labour, and Ms. Yamamoto)</p>
9.20-9.45	Coffee Break
9.45-10.00	<p>Thailand Decent Work Country Programme</p> <p>Introduction Remarks: Mr. Guy Thijs, Deputy Regional Director, ILO Regional Office for Asia and Pacific ILO’s cooperation with Thailand and its Social Partners (DWCP)- the road ahead</p>
10.00-10.15	<p>Keynote Remarks: Mr. Somchai Choomrat, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Labour Thailand Perspective on Decent Work Country Programme</p>
10.15-11.30	<p>Presentation and Discussion: Thailand Decent Work Country Programme (Draft) presentations-discussions by tri-partite participants from Thailand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Government’s representative: Mr. Songsak Tantayotin, Inspector-General, Ministry of Labour • Employers’ representative: Mrs Siriwan Romchatthong, Secretary-General, The Employers’ Confederation of Thailand (ECOT) • Workers’ representative: Mr. Chinnachot Saengsank, President, The Labour Congress of Thailand and Mr. Manas Kosol, President, The Employees’ Labour Development Council of Thailand
11.30-12.30	Q&A
12.30	Lunch