

GOVERNING BODY OF THE INTERNATIONAL LABOUR OFFICE  
300<sup>th</sup> Session

WORKING PARTY ON THE SOCIAL DIMENSION OF GLOBALIZATION

*Monday, 12 November 2007, Governing Body Room, 10:00*

**Panel discussion on Decent Work  
for sustainable development –  
The challenge of climate change**

**The panellists will be three high-level experts from UN organizations, and one representative each from an employers' and from a workers' organization**

*The panel will be led by:*

**Mr Achim STEINER**  
**Executive Director,**  
**United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)**  
**UN Under-Secretary General**

*The other panellists will be invited to comment on Mr Steiner's introduction and to speak about the relevance of climate change from their perspectives and specific experiences*

**Mr Michel JARRAUD**  
**Secretary-General,**  
**World Meteorological Organization (WMO)**

*UNEP and WMO jointly established the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) whose assessment reports are the most comprehensive and authoritative source on the science of climate change:*

**Mr Supachai PANITCHPAKDI** (participation to be confirmed)  
**Secretary-General,**  
**United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)**  
**former Director-General of the World Trade Organization (WTO)**

**Mr Mathew FARROW**  
**Head of Environment policy,**  
**Confederation of British Industry (CBI)**

**Mr Joaquín NIETO**  
**Secretary for Occupational Safety, Health and Environment,**  
**Comisiones Obreras Trade Union (CCOO), Spain**  
**President, Sustainlabour**  
**(international labour foundation for sustainable development)**