

97th Session of the International Labour Conference (June 2008)

AGENDA

Standing items

- I. (a) Reports of the Chairperson of the Governing Body and of the Director-General
(b) Global Report under the Follow-up to the ILO Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work¹;
- II. Programme and Budget and other questions;
- III. Information and reports on the application of Conventions and Recommendations.

Items placed on the agenda by the Governing Body or by the Conference

- IV. Promotion of rural employment for poverty reduction (*general discussion based on an integrated approach*);
- V. Skills for improved productivity, employment growth and development (*general discussion*);
- VI. Strengthening the ILO's capacity to assist its Members' efforts to reach its objectives in the context of globalization: Continuation of the discussion on strengthening the ILO's capacity and possible consideration of an authoritative document, possibly in the form of a Declaration or any other suitable instrument, together with any appropriate follow-up, and the form they may take.²

¹ This year the Global Report will be on freedom of association and the effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining.

² As decided by the Governing Body of the International Labour Office at its 300th Session (November 2007).