

South Asia Labour Conference

Fostering Regional Cooperation for DWCP

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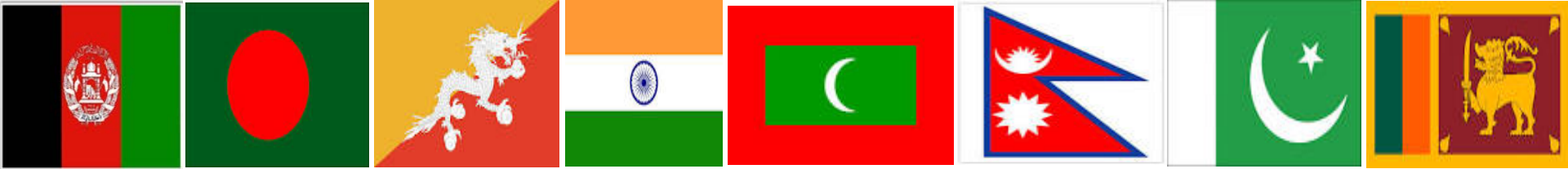
Working Group No. 7 Recommendations

Protection of Vulnerable Workers (Child Labour, Women and Bonded Labour)



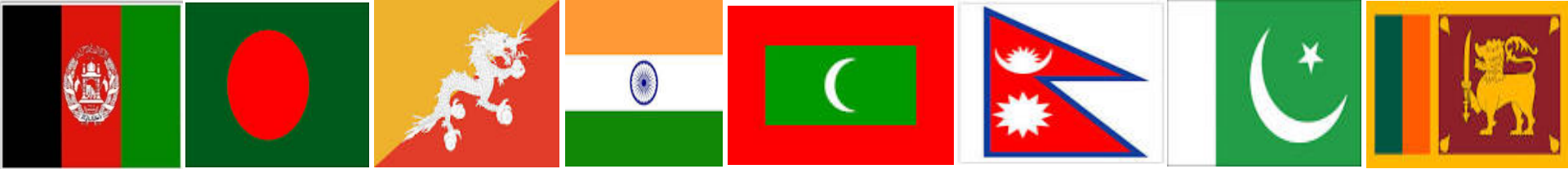
Presented by
Chair of the Working Group
Mohamed Mahid Shareef, Permanent Secretary
Government of Maldives



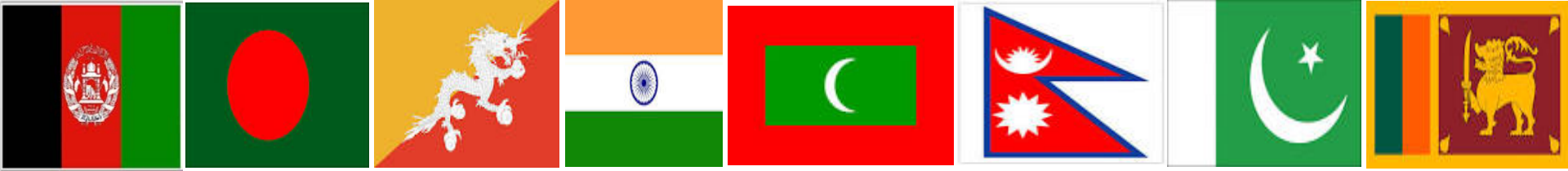


Recommendations

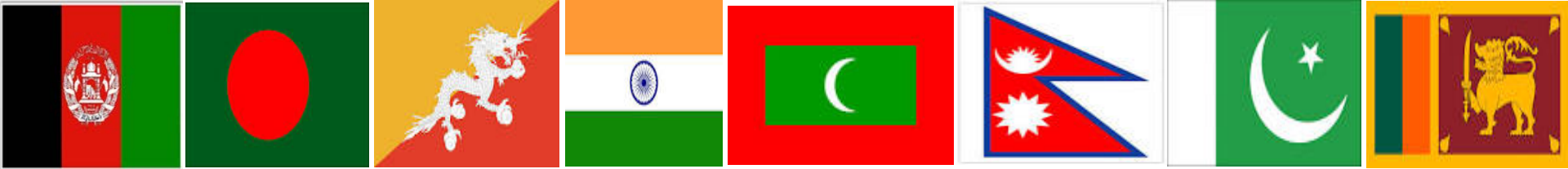
- 1. Consistent and inclusive terminology/definition related to children, women and the third gender, supported by improved national data collection on their work/employment and working conditions**



2. South Asia advocacy/ campaign on key issues and capacity development and experience sharing



3. Input key issues into SAARC Technical Committee on Women, Youth and Children

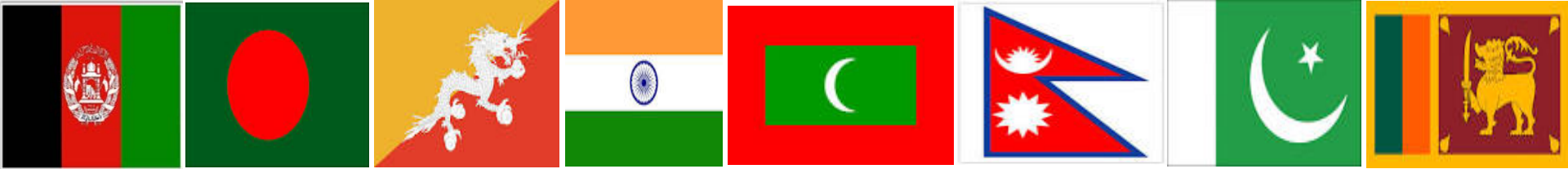


4. Establish an inter-governmental Working Group/ Apex Body on the Promotion of Decent Work in South Asia in close partnership with representatives of employers' and workers' organizations and policy/research institutes, academia, civil society and UN agencies, particularly the ILO.



Way Forward

1. ILO to constitute a follow-up working group towards moving forward on the recommendations
2. To explore collaborations with key regional bodies to move forward on the recommendations
 - SAIEVAC;
 - SAARCLAW;
 - SAARC statistics group;
 - SAARC gender information base (VAW, health and feminizations of poverty)
 - SAARC gender policy advocacy
 - SAARC chambers of commerce
 - HOMENET South Asia/ South East Asia
 - SA alliance for poverty alleviation
3. Resource mobilization towards the above



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