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Report of the Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations (Geneva, 23 November–10 December 2016)

1. The Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations held its 87th Session in Geneva from 23 November to 10 December 2016. It adopted a report which, in accordance with the usual practice, has been printed as a Conference document ¹ and is submitted to the Governing Body at its present session. As in previous years, the report has been published in two parts for the sake of convenience.
2. Under its terms of reference, the Committee was called upon to examine:
 - (a) reports from governments on the application of Conventions that they have ratified (articles 22 and 35 of the Constitution);
 - (b) information supplied by governments on the submission of certain Conventions, Recommendations and Protocols to the competent authorities (article 19 of the Constitution); and
 - (c) reports from governments on the Promotional Framework for Occupational Safety and Health Convention, 2006 (No. 187), and Recommendation, 2006 (No. 197); the Safety and Health in Construction Convention, 1988 (No. 167), and Recommendation, 1988 (No. 175); the Safety and Health in Mines Convention, 1995 (No. 176), and Recommendation, 1995 (No. 183); the Safety and Health in Agriculture Convention, 2001 (No. 184), and Recommendation, 2001 (No. 192), as decided by the Governing Body (article 19 of the Constitution).
3. In particular, the Governing Body's attention is drawn to the Committee's General Survey entitled "Working together to promote a safe and healthy working environment". This General Survey will be found in Report III (Part 1B). It is based on reports supplied under articles 19 and 22 of the ILO Constitution.

¹ ILO: *Report of the Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations*, Report III (Parts 1A and 1B), International Labour Conference, 106th Session, Geneva, 2017.

4. The Governing Body is invited to take note of the report of the Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations.

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