

**Activities to Commemorate
World Day for Safety and Health at Work – 28 April 2003**

The theme for this year's event is " <i>Promoting a Safety Culture in a Globalized World.</i> "

1. **21 April** - opening of a four-week **Exhibition of ILO OSH publications at the State Duma (Parliament) of the Russian Federation** in collaboration with the Duma Committee on Labour and Social Policy
2. **23 April at 20.45 h** A one-hour live discussion programme on the popular radio station **"Echo Moskvy"** (the programme will be aired again on 28 April at daytime)

Theme: "Safety Culture at Work – A Key Component of Occupational Safety"

Invited participants: Ministry of Labour, trade unions, employers association, Director of ILO Moscow Office, national experts.

Discussion facilitator: Ms Olga Bychkova, observer (economic and social issues)

3. Public launching of OSH publications in Russian

ILO OSH 2001 – Occupational Safety and Health Management Systems

Combating Child Labour: A Handbook for Labour Inspectors

Code of Practice: Safety and health in the non-ferrous metals industries

Systems of insurance against accidents – International experience from ten countries – The Institute on problems of OSH

For invited OSH experts

4. Publication of the ILO book: **Labour protection; A guide to the profession** – on Internet (www.ilo.ru)
5. **28 April at 11.30 h** - opening of a six-week **Exhibition of ILO OSH publications, CD's and Internet pages at the Lenin library**

Display of printed publications and CD-ROMs

Access to information on CD-ROMs and the Internet www.safework.ru

Directories with OSH publications in various fields, available in the library

In addition, numerous events have been planned **in the regions of Russia.**

Azerbaijan is planning to revive its Safety Week. The government, trade unions and employers are discussing joint events in connection with the World Day.

Belarus trade unions will organise an information campaign on the World day.

Georgia made a head start and opened its OSH information centre 3 April (details see www.ilo.ru). Meetings and promotion activities are planned in major enterprises.

The Ministry of Labour of **Kazakhstan** will publish a major article on OSH in the main newspapers. The Ministry has asked the regions to organize press conferences around the World Day and the present OSH situation.

Tajikistan and Uzbekistan are planning various activities to commemorate 28 April.

A summary of activities will be placed on the ILO-Moscow site.