**Maritime Labour Convention**

Preparatory tripartite MLC, 2006, Committee: background paper

The purpose of this meeting of the Preparatory Committee is to: (a) exchange information regarding steps that Members have taken to implement the MLC, 2006 if they have ratified or are moving towards ratification; (b) identify any common issues (particularly any difficulties regarding interpretation and application to particular encountered during preparations for ratification and implementation of the MLC, 2006); (c) identify matters that will require urgent action by the Special Tripartite Committee, once it has been established, and provide advice on any preparatory work or other steps to be taken to enable it to begin functioning.

Publishers: ILO-Geneva International Labour Standards Department and Sectoral Activities Programme

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**Seafarers**

Consultation on the seafarers’ identity documents convention (revised), 2003 (No. 185): background paper

The purpose of the consultation is to have an exchange of views between governments of member States that have ratified or are seriously considering ratification of Convention No. 185, together with the international organizations representing shipowners and seafarers, on any implementation problems that may have arisen and on ways of enabling the Convention to achieve its objectives.

Publishers: ILO-Geneva International Labour Standards Department and Sectoral Activities Programme

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**Domestic Workers**

Decent work for domestic workers. (Report IV (1) International Labour Conference 100th Session 2011

The report transmits the proposed Convention and Recommendation to governments in accordance with the Standing Orders. Governments are hereby asked to inform the Office within three months from receipt of this report, and after consulting the most representative organizations of employers and workers, whether they have any amendments to suggest or comments to make.

Publisher: ILO-Geneva

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**Decent Work in Asia**

Regional workshop on monitoring and assessing progress on decent work in Asia. Workshop report

Monitoring and assessing progress towards decent work is a long-standing concern for the ILO and its constituents. The project facilitates the identification of Decent Work indicators in line with national priorities; supports data collection; and assists in the analysis of data on decent work in order to make them relevant for policy-makers.

Publishers: ILO Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific (ILO-ROAP) and ILO/EC Project “Monitoring and Assessing Progress on Decent Work” (MAP)
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LABOUR MIGRATION

Policy on labour migration for Cambodia
This policy document highlights the key issues and policy challenges confronting Cambodia on the cross-border movement of its workers. The policy challenges are grouped into the governance of labour migration, the protection and empowerment of migrant workers, and the harnessing of labour migration for economic development. The paper also examines the medium-term employment and demographic outlook in Cambodia, looking at the factors that make it essential for the country to utilize the opportunity rendered by labour migration.

Publishers: ILO/Japan Regional Project on Managing Cross-border Movement of Labour in Southeast Asia and Ministry of Labour and Vocational Training, Department of Employment and Manpower

TRADE UNION

The growth and decline of political unionism in India: the need for a paradigm shift
This publication analyzes the weaknesses of political unionism in India through various dimensions. Then, it proposes a new paradigm shift towards “service-based unionism”, suitable for the new working environment shaped by changing employment patterns and industrial relations dynamics and for meeting the interests of the workers, especially in the informal economy.

Author: Pong-Sul Ahn
Publishers: ILO DWT for East and South-East Asia and the Pacific

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

In search of a human face: 15 years of knowledge building for human development in the Philippines
The publication highlights the pathways advocated by the concept of human development for the Philippines. It also demonstrates the dedicated work of those who pioneered and advocate human development in the country after its conceptualization in 1990 by Dr Mahbub ul Haq and Dr Amartya Sen.

Publishers: Human Development Network and United Nations Development Programme

GREEN JOBS

Green jobs and green skills in a brown Philippine economy: background country study
This report was produced in the framework of the project, ‘Skills for green jobs’. Twenty-one countries have been included in the study. Its objective is to assess, analyze, and promote the creation of decent jobs as a consequence of the needed environmental policies.

Author: Dr Rene E. Ofreneo
Publishers: ILO Skills and Employability Department and ILO Country Office for the Philippines

MATERNITY PROTECTION

Maternity protection matters! (DVD version)
Protecting working women during pregnancy and shortly after their babies are born is essential for the health of the mother and her baby as well as for their family’s – and their country’s – prosperity.

Publisher: ILO-Geneva

EMPLOYMENT

Employment for social justice and a fair globalization: overview of ILO programmes
The work of the ILO on employment is very broad and encompasses a vast range of topics and of means of action. In order to better communicate to ILO constituents and to the general public the specificity of technical programmes, yet providing an overall vision. This folder contains a brief profile of each one of the main Employment Programmes of the ILO.

Publisher: ILO-Geneva Employment Sector
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MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS

Progress report on the millennium development goals, 2010. Philippines (CD version)

The report on the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) presents the progress made for each of the goals over the past two decades, the challenges encountered along the way, and the concrete set of actions needed to keep the Philippines on track with, or even accelerate, its progress towards the achievement of the MDGs.

Publishers: National Economic and Development Authority, United Nations Development Programme, New Zealand Aid Programme, and Australian Government

Decent work and the millennium development goals: keeping the promise. An ILO information folder

The ILO’s work aims at the “more peaceful, prosperous, and just world” envisaged in the Millennium Declaration. It pursues this goal through policy advice, information dissemination, research, statistics, technical assistance, capacity building, standards, and advocacy.

Publishers: ILO-Geneva and European Union

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The fight against child labour: moving into a higher gear

World of Work magazine is published three times a year by the Department of Communication and Public Information of the ILO in Geneva and distributed free of charge.

Publisher: ILO-Geneva DC0MM

International labour review, 2010/1 Volume 149

The International Labour Review is the world’s leading multi-disciplinary journal of labour market institutions and economics. Its aim is to advance academic research and inform policy debate and decision-making in these fields by bringing together the original thinking of lawyers, economists, sociologists, political scientists, and industrial relations specialists on a broad range of labour market policy and social protection concerns.

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