

## International Labour Organization

Sub-regional meeting to develop the CLM Work Plan with the ASEAN TRIANGLE Project

18 September 2014

Krungthep 4, Landmark Hotel

Bangkok, Thailand

### Agenda

**8:30 – 9:00 Registration**

#### Welcome, overview and logistics

9:00-9:15 **Welcome and opening remarks**

*Mr. Manuel Imson, Senior Programme Officer/Project Coordinator, ILO ASEAN TRIANGLE Project*

9:15-9:30

Introduction of participants, overview of the workshop aims, structure and logistics.  
*Heike Lautenschlager, Consultant – Labour Migration, ILO ASEAN TRIANGLE Project*

#### Session 1: ASEAN TRIANGLE Project CLM capacity building proposal

*Session summary: This session will provide an overview of the ASEAN TRIANGLE Project and describe the proposed activities to be undertaken in collaboration with the governments of Cambodia, Laos PDR and Myanmar*

9:30-10:15

**ASEAN TRIANGLE Project CLM capacity building work-plan** *Mr. Manuel Imson, Senior Programme Officer/Project Coordinator, ILO ASEAN TRIANGLE Project*

**Towards a mutual recognition of skills for CLM,** *Ms Carmela Torres, Senior Specialists on Skills and Employability, Decent Work Technical Team, ILO ROAP and Ruttiya Bhulaor, Programme Officer for Regional Skills Programme, ILO ROAP*

Discussion, Questions and Answers (15 minutes)

**10:15-10:30**

**Coffee/Tea**

#### Session 2: Sharing experience of managing labour migration in Cambodia, Lao PDR and Myanmar

**Session summary:** Governments of Cambodia, Lao PDR and Myanmar will provide their feedback on the priority areas proposed by ILO (welfare fund programme, training of labour attachés, labour migration data collection, mutual recognition of skills, recruitment regulations, and bilateral agreements) as well as any other priority areas they would like to include in the sub-regional work plan.

#### Session Chair: Ms Mariko Yamamoto, ILO Consultant

10.30-12:00

**Priority work areas of Cambodia, Lao PDR and Myanmar**

- Ravuth Oak, Chief of Office, Department of Employment and Manpower Ministry of Labour and Vocational Training, Cambodia
- Bouasy Thammassack, Technical Staff, Ministry of Labour and Social Welfare
- Thein Win, Deputy Director, Department of Labour, Minister of Labour, Employment and Social Security

Question and Answer

**12:00-13:15**

**Lunch**

### Session 3: Sharing Philippines experience in labour migration management

**Session summary:** in this session, the government of the Philippines and resource speakers will provide an overview of the Philippines labour migration management system, their experiences, good practices and challenges.

#### Session Chair: Heike Lautenschlager, ILO Consultant

- 13:15-13:35 **Philippines' experience in managing labour attaché programs**, *Chief Mary Sol De la Cruz, International Labor Affairs Bureau, Government of the Philippines*
- 13:35-13:55 **Welfare Fund Programme and Feasibility Study**, *Mr. Marianito D. Roque, former Secretary of Labour and Employment, Philippines*
- 13:55-14:15 **Labour Migration data collection, analysis and sharing**, *Jessamyn Encarnacion, Interim Assistant National Statistician, Philippine Statistics Authority*
- 14:15-14:35 **Regulating recruitment and negotiating bilateral labour agreements**, *Director Nini Lanto, Philippine Overseas Employment Administration, Government of the Philippines*
- 14:35-14:50 Question and answer
- 14:50-15:00 Coffee/Tea**

### Session 4: Group work: Identifying country level work plans

**Session summary:** In this session participants will work in country groups to identify 3-5 priority activities to be included in the CLM sub regional workplan as well as a timeline for each activity.

**Session Chair:** Mr. Manuel Imson, Senior Programme Officer/Project Coordinator, ILO ASEAN TRIANGLE Project

- 15:00-16:00 CLM to identify county level work plans
- 16:00 – 17:00 Summary of discussions, and the development of the sub-regional work plan

### Concluding session

- 16:45-17:00 Closing remarks, *ILO*