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# Second item on the agenda: Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11 and other questions

# Report of the Finance Committee of Government Representatives

1. The Finance Committee of Government Representatives met on 4 June 2009. Ambassador Alex Van Meeuwen (Belgium) was elected as Chairperson and Reporter. No Vice-Chairperson was nominated. The Chairperson welcomed to the meeting Mr Julien and Mr Nakajima, as observers, representing respectively the Employers' and Workers' groups of the Governing Body.

# Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11

- **2.** The Committee had before it the Director-General's Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11, first considered by the Governing Body at its 304th Session (March 2009). The Committee also had before it Report II: Draft Programme and Budget for 2010–11 and other financial questions, containing a report on the consideration of the Director-General's original and revised proposals as approved by the Governing Body.
- **3.** The Director-General introduced the Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11 with a proposed expenditure of US\$665 million. His introductory remarks are attached as Appendix I to this report.
- **4.** Mr Julien, speaking as the spokesperson for the Employers' group on the Programme, Financial and Administrative Committee, indicated that substantive debate on the Programme and Budget for 2010–11 had occurred during the March 2009 session of the Governing Body, and that he did not want to reopen the discussion.
- **5.** The Employers' group would not suggest voting against the proposed programme and budget, even though they had reservations about it in respect of the current situation. They would like the ILO to have a stronger voice and position in the international community.
- **6.** He said that the budget was the best to date in terms of structure, presentation and the quality of the programming. He commended the use of modern audit, oversight and evaluation methods by the ILO; the interactive dialogue between the Office and social partners in preparing documents; the responsiveness of the Office; the improved quality of the documents; and the efforts made by departments to work together. He also welcomed

the fact that employment had become one of the ILO's top priorities, the focus placed on enterprises and on small and medium-sized enterprises, and the adjustments earmarked for migration issues.

- 7. The Employers' group was concerned that the proposed programme and budget would not mobilize parties to fight the economic crisis; instead it was a compromise to keep everyone happy. The Group had reservations over the lack of a mechanism and a team to ensure that the 2008 Declaration would be followed up. The Strategic Policy Framework could be improved by linking it more to the Declaration and having a more balanced distribution of indicators between the responsibility of governments and the Office.
- **8.** The Office should review its working methods and hierarchical structures, with a view to concentrating and strengthening the management and responsibilities of the departments. More attention should be given to streamlining, to ILO field offices, to developing a proper reporting system on field activities, and to strengthening the skills and competencies of staff. The Office should allocate more resources and broaden the mandate of the Independent Oversight Advisory Committee.
- **9.** The Employers recognized the improvements and the progress made in methods and transparency, which was why the budget should not be rejected. They saw the programme and budget as being technically sound, but politically weak. They encouraged the Office to accelerate its reforms and to strive for better services and excellence and called on constituents to examine ways of further strengthening and improving the actions of the ILO.
- 10. Mr Nakajima, representing the spokesperson for the Workers' group on the Programme, Financial and Administrative Committee, welcomed the recognition in the programme and budget, the Strategic Policy Framework and the Social Justice Declaration, of the impact of the economic crisis on the world of work. The Declaration provided a relevant framework to respond to the crisis, and it should be streamlined and made operational throughout the Office in outcome-based workplans.
- 11. The Workers supported the proposed zero real growth budget, on the understanding that it was a consequence of the crisis. The limited resources should be channelled to those who were most in need, namely workers who had been hardest hit by the crisis.
- 12. He said that the guiding principles for the Strategic Policy Framework and the programme and budget should not be weakened by a country or regional focus. While the Workers supported increased resources for regions and enhancement of Decent Country Work Programmes to cover the four strategic objectives, they expected all regions to have the same commitment to ratification and implementation of standards, industrial relations and improved working conditions.
- 13. There should be a focus on knowledge products and activities related to export processing zones, global supply chains and wages. The Workers regretted that emphasis on labour standards and involvement of social partners was not systematically reflected across all outcomes, and that the section on gender equality did not address the challenges stemming from the crisis. The Workers were disappointed that the situation concerning standards and their perspective on employment and social protection were not sufficiently highlighted in the programme and budget.
- **14.** He said that, in light of the crisis, freedom of association and collective bargaining should be central to the ILO's work and, along with work on wages, employment relations, social security, occupational safety and health, and working conditions, should receive additional

resources. More funds should be made available to ACTRAV, which was facing increased demand from trade unions.

- 15. The representative of the Government of the Netherlands, speaking on behalf of IMEC, noted a marked improvement in quality and focus in the programme and budget and the Strategic Policy Framework, along with a fuller integration of both documents across strategic objectives and funding sources, evidencing a clear move towards results-based management. He pointed out that indicators were work in progress, especially those measuring the ILO's performance in the field, which should be a high priority. He stressed the need for the strategic framework to be aligned with the outcomes presented in the proposed programme and budget, and for the Strategic Policy Framework to reflect the comments made during the discussions of the March 2009 session of the Governing Body. A revised version of the Strategic Policy Framework, reflecting those comments, should be distributed to all constituents and should be included as a paper for information in the November Governing Body agenda, along with a progress document on the development of field indicators.
- **16.** The representative of the Government of South Africa, speaking on behalf of the Africa group, welcomed the document and endorsed the programme and budget, expressing his satisfaction with its positive considerations in support of rural development, the informal economy, migration, and the Turin Centre. He expressed concern, however, over the growing dependency on donor funding.
- 17. The representative of the Government of France endorsed the IMEC statement. He said that the Conference programme illustrated the determination of the ILO to be at the heart of a fair globalization and that the social effects of the economic crisis made it necessary for the ILO to support its constituents.
- 18. The renovation of the ILO headquarters building was an urgent matter that should take into account possible funding sources, without resorting to member States' contributions. He wondered when a decision would be taken regarding the renovation. His Government would support a self-financed renovation scheme, and looked forward to receiving a comprehensive maintenance plan for the renovated structure.
- 19. He said that the strategic plan for human resources, to be submitted by the Office in November, should promote results-based management; that it should be in line with the objectives of the Strategic Policy Framework for 2010–15, and that it should reflect transparency on how vacancies were filled following retirements. He said that increased efficiency, the establishment of new management systems, better risk assessments and the rationalization of established procedures were needed. He also asked about the possibility of considering and adopting the final Strategic Policy Framework in conjunction with the programme and budget.
- **20.** The representative of the Government of Sweden, speaking on behalf of the five Nordic countries (Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden) and the Government of the Netherlands, supported the IMEC statement and recognized the efforts that went into the production of the programme and budget, as well as the tripartite discussions that preceded it. He fully endorsed the budget, but remained concerned about the ILO's ability to raise the planned extra-budgetary funds for the next two biennia, in view of the current economic crisis.
- **21.** The programme and budget was an ambitious attempt to implement results-based management. He commended the Office for the considerable progress and improvement made in the programme and budget and the Strategic Policy Framework. He noted the Office view that outcome-based workplans encouraged flexible use of resources and a

- teamwork culture, and looked forward to future presentations of workplans for each of the strategic outcomes.
- **22.** The representative of the Government of El Salvador expressed his Government's support for the budget. Although encouraged by the proposed Strategic Policy Framework, he was concerned about whether the ILO would have adequate regular budget resources to address constituents' needs and priorities in light of the current economic and social crisis.
- 23. The representative of the Government of India endorsed the Director-General's opening remarks regarding the necessity to provide enhanced services to the ILO's constituents as a result of the present financial crisis, noting that the Programme and Budget for 2010–11 provided for that, and the fact that the technical sectors would not be negatively affected.
- 24. He expressed concern over the increased reliance on extra-budgetary resources and the ambitious level of the Regular Budget Supplementary Account (RBSA) to fund Decent Work Country Programmes, as that made the Organization's activities dependent on the goodwill and financial capacity of donors. He was concerned that it was difficult to find RBSA resources to support industrial relations and occupational safety and health. He requested that the ILO develop a suitable mechanism to regulate and manage the funds generated under RBSA, so that the Decent Work Country Programmes did not suffer from uncertainty as to their funding. He called for a strong integration of regular budget resources and extra-budgetary contributions by introducing flexibility, putting in place a contingency plan, prioritizing targets, and incorporating an "unforeseen expenditure" component for gaps arising from RBSA shortages.
- **25.** Although his Government appreciated the increases in the budget for field programmes in Asia and the Pacific, additional efforts should be made to mitigate the effects of the financial downturn on employment promotion and active labour markets in that region, while ensuring sustainable development by increased funding towards green jobs, skills development, micro-finance, gender equality, and the elimination of child labour. He supported the programme and budget.
- 26. The representative of the Government of Tunisia endorsed the statement made by the Africa group and supported the programme and budget proposal. The current economic crisis threatened stability and social peace and highlighted the need to face challenges regarding unemployment and the fight against poverty. She noted that the programme and budget supported the implementation of the 2008 Declaration. Strengthening the ILO's technical assistance capacity was essential in order to respond to member States' needs. She called for a new human resources strategy that would enhance performance at headquarters and in the field and would strengthen the capacity of field offices, especially in Algiers, and appealed for increased financial and technical support for the Occupied Arab Territories. She thanked the ILO for its translations into Arabic of Conference documents.
- 27. The representative of the Government of China supported the zero real growth budget proposed in the programme and budget. She emphasized the need for the ILO to strengthen its transparency and effectiveness in the context of the global crisis and for it to prioritize employment and social protection. That would help social partners to face the crisis, while achieving greater international prestige for the ILO.
- **28.** The representative of the Government of Germany supported the IMEC statement and the Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11, including zero real growth. She expressed some concerns, however, regarding the ILO's ability to meet regular budget expenses, in light of the current global crisis. It would be a challenge for the ILO to implement the

decisions of the G20 meeting in London, and she looked forward to seeing how the ILO would meet that demand.

- 29. The representative of the Government of New Zealand expressed her Government's continued support for the work of the ILO in delivering social justice through the Decent Work Agenda. Her Government has actively participated in the development of the Strategic Policy Framework, the review of the ILO field structure and follow-up to the ILO Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization, with particular interest in implementing results-based management.
- **30.** Although the current global economic situation posed serious issues, it also provided opportunities for the ILO to help its constituents deal with the crisis. However, the crisis and the costs of dealing with it had had fiscal consequences for her Government, forcing it to cap or reduce its budgets, and reprioritize expenditure according to greatest need. She recognized the efforts to reduce the proposed cost increases, but believed that more could be done to achieve a zero nominal growth budget. Her Government would, therefore, abstain from voting on the programme and budget proposals.
- 31. The representative of the Government of Switzerland endorsed the IMEC statement and expressed his Government's support of the main lines of the Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11, including the Strategic Policy Framework. Aside from being a member State of the ILO, Switzerland was the host country for the ILO's headquarters in Geneva and, as such, was concerned about the proposals for refurbishing the headquarters building. He reiterated his Government's request to include an annual provision of 1 per cent of the building's value for that purpose. This would mean an increase in such provision to US\$7 million, from the US\$2.5 million provided for in the current budget proposal.
- **32.** The representative of the Government of Argentina supported the programme and budget and its zero real growth proposal. With regard to the budget, the ILO faced two challenges: its ability to implement what was set forth therein, including the 2008 Declaration, and to do so in the context of the current economic crisis. He supported the significant role of the ILO set down in the G20 Declaration. He called for a strengthening of human resources in regional offices in order to support constituents and the Turin Centre.
- **33.** The representative of the Government of Cuba said that her Government was not opposed to the Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11, in particular as it took into account the priorities set forth in the Decent Work Country Programmes, namely employment creation, social protection and poverty reduction, which required special attention. She recognized the efforts made in technical cooperation programmes to fulfil the purposes and objectives of the ILO and meet constituents' needs.
- **34.** The representative of the Government of Egypt endorsed the Africa group statement and expressed support for the Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11. He warned against the danger of relying on donor contributions to fund programme activities, in light of the current financial crisis.
- 35. Ms O'Donovan, the representative of the Secretary-General, explained that the Strategic Policy Framework had been approved by the Governing Body meeting in March 2009, taking into account the views expressed during the discussion. These views would be taken into account when implementing the three programme and budgets under the Strategic Policy Framework. In order to ensure that the document would be a useful reference for the ILO's constituents, Governing Body members and a wider audience, the Office would edit the Strategic Policy Framework document to reflect decisions from the subsequent discussion of the programme and budget, in particular the proposal to add two new

outcomes and to introduce a number of clarifications. The Office would publish that revised version on the ILO web site following the adoption of the programme and budget proposals by the Conference. A brochure would also be prepared, based on the introductory section of the Strategic Policy Framework, to provide a clear understanding of the ILO's wider vision for the next six years.

- **36.** Although the question of the adoption of the Strategic Policy Framework was not part of the agenda of the Committee as established under the Constitution and Standing Orders of the Conference, and thus not formally presented for its consideration, the Office wished to assure the Committee that it was part of the framework for the implementation of the programme and budget.
- **37.** Regarding the headquarters building refurbishing project, some decisions had already been taken by the Governing Body. The Director-General had been given the authority in the March Governing Body to proceed with consultations with Swiss authorities, and those were ongoing. Detailed proposals arising from those consultations would be presented at the November 2009 session of the Governing Body. She confirmed that the Office was seeking a solution which would not impact member States' contributions.
- **38.** The Chairperson concluded that the Committee was prepared to adopt the Programme and Budget for 2010–11.

# Resolution for the adoption of the Programme and Budget for 2010–11 and the allocation of the budget of income among member States

**39.** The Committee had before it document C.F./D.4 which contained summarized financial details of the Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11 and a draft resolution for submission to the Conference. Following the decision in favour of the Governing Body's recommendation concerning the programme and budget, the Office had carried out the forward exchange contracts for the ILO's US dollar requirements for the 2010–11 biennium. The appropriate figures now to be inserted in the formal resolution were:

Budget of expenditure	726 720 000
Budget of income	726 720 000
Budget rate of exchange	1.07
Equivalent budget total in Swiss francs	777 590 400

- **40.** The Treasurer and Financial Comptroller explained that document C.F./D.4 showed the final expenditure and income budget following the purchase of forward contracts to cover US dollar requirements. As a result of the contracts, member States' assessments were now protected against further exchange rate fluctuations during the 2010–11 biennium. The difference between the US dollar and the Swiss franc interest rates resulted in an exchange rate premium of approximately 3.4 million Swiss francs. In accordance with the Financial Regulations, this premium would be returned to member States at the end of the biennium, with one half being redistributed through the incentive scheme for the early payment of member States' contributions and the other half being refunded to all member States.
- 41. The Committee recommends that the Conference adopt the resolution, the text of which appears at the end of this report.

# Requests for permission to vote in accordance with paragraph 4 of article 13 of the Constitution of the ILO

**42.** There were no papers under this item.

#### Status of collection of member States' contributions

- **43.** The Committee had before it document C.F./D.2 containing information on the status of collection of member States' contributions as at 20 May 2009.
- **44.** The Treasurer and Financial Comptroller reported that, in addition to the information contained in the Office paper, contributions had been received from the following member States:

	2009	Arrears	Total in Swiss francs
Tunisia	121 164	-	121 164
Iraq	59 199	329 339	388 538
Spain	11 620 913	_	11 620 913
Algeria	332 291	_	332 291
Central African Republic	3 905	8 012	11 917
Armenia	-	38 130	38 130
Nigeria	187 764	_	187 764
Antigua and Barbuda	-	7 969	7 969
France	24 637 983	_	24 637 983
Republic of Korea	-	5 134 836	5 134 836
Romania	17 368	_	17 368
Malta	66 487	_	66 487
Turkey	1 332 678	_	1 332 678
Total	38 379 752	5 518 286	43 898 038

Total contributions received to date, therefore, amounted to 230,925,047 Swiss francs (CHF) comprising CHF214,677,932 for 2009 contributions and CHF16,247,115 for arrears of contributions. The balance due was CHF264,333,028.

- **45.** The representative of the Government of Iraq was pleased to note that his country had paid its assessments in full. He explained that, due to the financial crisis, there had been a delay in the approval of the Iraqi national budget, and that was why Iraq had been in arrears with its contributions. He emphasized Iraq's strong commitment to the work of the ILO, in particular in the areas of labour legislation and job creation.
- **46.** The representative of the Government of Tunisia confirmed that her Government's contribution had been remitted on 18 April 2009.
- 47. The Committee took note of the information in the document.

# Scale of assessments of contributions to the budget for 2010

- **48.** The Committee had before it Report II: Draft Programme and Budget for 2010–11 and other financial questions and C.F./D.3, containing a draft scale of assessments for 2010.
- 49. The Committee recommends that the Conference adopt the resolution, the text of which appears at the end of this report.

## Assessment of the contributions of new member States

- **50.** The Committee had before it Report II: Draft Programme and Budget for 2010–11 and other financial questions, containing details of the proposed rate of assessment of the contribution of Tuvalu.
- 51. The Committee recommends that the Conference adopt this resolution, the text of which appears at the end of this report.

# Composition of the Administrative Tribunal of the International Labour Organization

- **52.** The Committee had before it Report II: Draft Programme and Budget for 2010–11 and other financial questions, containing details of appointments to the Administrative Tribunal of the ILO.
- 53. The Committee recommends that the Conference adopt this resolution, the text of which appears at the end of this report.

### **Amendments to the Financial Regulations**

- **54.** The Committee had before it Report II: Draft Programme and Budget for 2010–11 and other financial questions, containing details of proposed amendments to the Financial Regulations.
- 55. The Committee recommends that the Conference adopt this resolution, the text of which appears at the end of this report.

### Other questions

- **56.** There were no papers under this item.
- **57.** The representative of the Government of Cuba requested the assistance of the Director-General to resolve problems her Government was having completing bank transfers for contributions to CINTERFOR.

### **Appendices**

- **58.** The address of the Director-General regarding the Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11 is attached as Appendix I to this report.
- **59.** The draft scale for the assessment of contributions for 2010 is attached as Appendix II.
- **60.** A table showing the proposed summarized budget of expenditure and income for 2010–11 is attached to this report (Appendix III), together with a summary of the proposed expenditure budget for 2010–11 by appropriation line (Appendix IV).
- **61.** A statement showing the contributions due from each member State for 2010 is also attached as Appendix V.

Geneva, 4 June 2009.

(Signed) A. Van Meeuwen Chairperson and Reporter

#### Resolutions submitted to the Conference

# Resolution concerning the adoption of the Programme and Budget for 2010–11 and the allocation of the budget of income among member States

The General Conference of the International Labour Organization,

In virtue of the Financial Regulations, adopts for the 72nd financial period, ending 31December 2011, the budget of expenditure of the International Labour Organization amounting to US\$726,720,000 and the budget of income amounting to US\$726,720,000, which, at the budget rate of exchange of 1.07 Swiss francs to the US dollar, amounts to 777,590,400 Swiss francs, and resolves that the budget of income, denominated in Swiss francs, shall be allocated among member States in accordance with the scale of contributions recommended by the Finance Committee of Government Representatives.

## Resolution concerning the scale of assessments of contributions to the budget for 2010

The General Conference of the International Labour Organization,

Decides that, in accordance with the established practice of harmonizing the rates of assessment of ILO member States with their rates of assessment in the United Nations, to adopt the draft scale of assessments for 2010 as set out in column 3 of Appendix II to this document.

## Resolution concerning the assessment of contributions of new member States

The General Conference of the International Labour Organization,

Decides that, in accordance with the established practice of harmonizing the rates of assessment of ILO member States with their rates of assessment in the United Nations, the contribution of Tuvalu to the ILO budget for the period of its membership in the Organization during 2008 and for 2009 be based on an annual assessment rate of 0.001 per cent.

#### Resolution concerning the composition of the Administrative Tribunal of the International Labour Organization

The General Conference of the International Labour Organization,

Decides, in accordance with article III of the Statute of the Administrative Tribunal of the International Labour Organization, to renew the terms of office of Mr Seydou Ba (Senegal), Mr Giuseppe Barbagallo (Italy), and Ms Dolores M. Hansen (Canada) for three years.

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## Resolution concerning amendments to the Financial Regulations

The General Conference of the International Labour Organization,

Recognizing that amendments to the Financial Regulations are required to ensure financial reporting complies with the International Public Sector Accounting Standards,

Decides, to make the following amendments to the Financial Regulations: <sup>1</sup>

#### Article 10

- 2. As soon as possible after the Conference has adopted the budget and the total amount appropriated has been apportioned among the Members of the Organization in the manner prescribed by the Conference, the Director-General shall transmit all relevant documents to the Members of the Organization, indicating that the contributions for the financial period are due and payable in Swiss francs on 1 January of each of the years to which they relate and requesting each Member to remit its contribution on or as soon as possible after the due date. The expenditure budget shall be converted from United States dollars into Swiss francs at the budgetary rate of exchange.
- 5. All contributions due in a financial period shall be recorded as income in that financial period and shall be accounted for in United States dollars at the budget rate of exchange for that financial period.
- <u>6.5.</u> The Director-General shall present to each session of the Governing Body a statement of the <u>financial position assessed contributions made by member States and budgetary income and expenditure of the Organization</u>. A similar statement shall be presented annually to the Conference.
- 7.6. Any payment in respect of contributions made by a Member of the Organization which has not paid in full its contribution for previous calendar years shall, unless the Conference decides otherwise in particular cases, be credited against the earliest in date of such arrears, including amounts outstanding in relation to payment of contributions during former periods of membership, notwithstanding any expression of intention to the contrary by the debtor Member. Where arrears or such outstanding amounts have been consolidated, a Member of the Organization is required to pay its annual instalment in full before liquidating its current contribution for the year in question.

#### Article 17

1. Expenditure charged against the appropriations of a financial period shall consist of payments made during the financial period and unliquidated obligations covering goods received or services provided remaining unpaid as at the last day of the financial period. Such portion of appropriations as may be required to meet these unliquidated obligations shall remain available for 12 months, at the end of which Once payment has been made against such obligations any remaining balances shall be credited to miscellaneous income.

#### Article 23

- <u>1.</u> The Director-General shall maintain such accounts as are necessary and shall prepare <u>final accounts</u> <u>financial statements</u> for each <u>financial period</u> <u>calendar year</u>. <del>showing:</del>
- (a) the income and expenditure of all funds;
- (b) the status of appropriations, including
  - (i) the original budget appropriations;
  - (ii) any supplementary appropriations;
  - (iii) the appropriations as modified by any transfers;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Additions are underlined and deletions are strikethrough.

- (iv) credits, if any, other than the appropriations voted by the International Labour Conference; and
- (v) the amounts charged against the appropriations and against any other credits;
- (c) statements of assets and liabilities at the close of the financial period.

He shall also give such other information as may be necessary to indicate the current financial position of the Organization.

2. The financial statements for the second year of the financial period shall include schedules of regular budget income and expenditure for the biennial financial period and the calculation of any surplus or deficit in accordance with article 10, paragraph 2, and article 18 of these Regulations.

#### Article 24

Besides the final accounts for the financial period, the Director General shall inform the Governing Body of the position of the accounts at the end of each intervening year. For all entities for which the Governing Body adopts budgets for the financial period, the Director-General shall submit to the Governing Body, at the end of each financial period, a statement comparing the budget for each entity adjusted to include any transfers or supplementary appropriations authorized by the Governing Body with the actual income and expenditure for that entity.

#### Article 26

The final accounts financial statements of the Organization shall be presented in United States dollars and prepared in accordance with the accounting standards generally in use throughout the United Nations system. The accounting records may, however, be kept in such currency or currencies as the Director-General may deem necessary. Details of contributions assessed, received and outstanding shall be presented in Swiss francs in supporting schedules.

#### Article 27

The final accounts financial statements shall be submitted to the External Auditor not later than 31 March following the end of the financial period to which they relate.

#### Article 28

- 1. The Director-General shall submit the <u>final accounts financial statements</u> for each <u>financial period calendar year</u> and the External Auditor's reports thereon to the Governing Body before 1 May of the year following the close of that <u>period year</u>.
- 2. The Governing Body shall forward them to the Conference, as provided for in article 38, for consideration at its next session.

#### Article 29

The final accounts financial statements shall be adopted by the International Labour Conference.

#### Article 32

The Director-General may make such ex gratia payments as he deems to be necessary in the interests of the Organization. A statement of such payments shall be submitted with the final accounts financial statements.

#### Article 33

The Director-General may, after full investigation, authorize the writing-off of losses of cash, supplies, equipment and other assets, other than arrears of contributions. A statement of all such losses written off during the financial period shall be submitted to the External Auditor with the final accounts financial statements.

#### Article 38

1. The External Auditor shall issue a report on the audit of the financial statements and relevant schedules reflecting the position of the final accounts for each financial period calendar year, which shall include such information as he deems necessary in regard to matters referred to in article 36, paragraph 2, and in the additional terms of reference.

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#### Appendix I

#### International Labour Conference - 98th Session

Address by Mr Juan Somavia, Director-General, to the Finance Committee of Government Representatives on the Programme and Budget proposals for 2010–11

Ambassador Van Meeuwen,

Excellencies, Delegates, Employers and Workers spokespersons of the PFAC, Dear friends,

You have before you today the recommendation of the ILO Governing Body to the International Labour Conference to adopt a Programme and Budget with a provisional total expenditure of some US\$ 665 million for 2010–11.

It is the result of an extended and intensive consultation process with constituents that reached its apex at the Governing Body last March.

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to Ambassador Rapacki, Chairperson of the Governing Body and also of the Programme, Financial and Administrative Committee. His commitment was key for steering the discussion towards the proposal that is now before you.

This is the first programme and budget document guided by the Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization, as well as the first such document under the new Strategic Policy Framework for 2010-15.

It reflects the commitment of the Office to provide enhanced services to constituents, in particular in these times of crisis. We recognize the extraordinary difficulties faced by Governments at a time when many new demands are being placed on your national budgets.

This places a particular responsibility on us to make best use of taxpayers' money, while emphasising transparency, accountability, efficiency and effectiveness.

There was clear agreement that the Decent Work Agenda, as articulated in the Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization and in the programme and budget proposals, is at the cornerstone of the ILO's response to the crisis across all regions.

The discussions on the budget proposal revolved around four interrelated issues. I will go through each of them, one by one.

The first issue concerns the level and structure of the regular budget.

The Governing Body recommended the same budget level of 2008-09, complemented with modest cost increases, as presented in Table B of Report II.

Resources for the regions have been increased by over US\$ 5 million. This represents an average increase of 2.8 per cent over the 2008-09 level. The cumulated increase for the regions over five biennia is equivalent to 10.5 per cent.

The increase for the regions has not been to the detriment of resources for technical sectors. The latter have been maintained, by and large, at 100 per cent of their current level.

The proposal includes a higher level of resources for statistical work, for labour administration and labour inspection, for evaluation and the Independent Oversight Advisory Committee.

In addition, during the discussion in March, several speakers made specific requests for resource allocations. I valued those comments.

In the adjustments to the Programme and Budget proposals I submitted to the PFAC I therefore proposed to allocate additional resources for work on: the informal economy, rural economy, migration, the Turin Centre and follow-up on decisions of the supervisory bodies.

At the same time, the proposal includes some US\$ 7.9 million of savings. This is the highest level of savings proposed in recent programme and budgets. This has been a systematic effort these last years.

The savings have been achieved mainly through a continuing reduction in administrative and support resources coupled with increasing use of information and communication technology. These savings have been channelled into our technical work. But we are reaching efficiency limits that may affect the quality of delivery.

My second point refers to the provision for cost increases.

Several governments acknowledged the effort made by the Office in reducing its original provision for cost increases.

Members of the Committee will recall that new data that became available during the Governing Body in March allowed the proposed provision to be reduced from 4.3 per cent to 3.6 per cent for the biennium.

Forecasts from financial institutions have continued to be monitored with no significant changes being reported. It is highly unlikely that future inflation forecasts will drop further. As I mentioned in March, the risk of an eventual inflationary impact of the large increases in public spending remains real.

The third issue concerns the discussion on voluntary contributions.

The programme and budget proposals intertwine regular budget and voluntary contributions. With regard to the latter, the proposal - before you – includes an estimated 20 per cent increase in extra-budgetary resources and the doubling of the Regular Budget Supplementary Account over 2008-09 levels. These are projections – not commitments.

Many governments, but also the Employers' and Workers' groups, commented extensively on this projected increase. Several speakers expressed doubts that voluntary contributions would increase by the amount foreseen in this time of crisis.

Others were concerned about the high reliance of the budget proposals on these two sources of funding, which may or may not materialize, and would make the Organization excessively dependent on donors.

These comments are sensible and justified. But as expressed to the PFAC last March, our proposal is based on experience.

In 2008, we have been successful in mobilizing US\$ 300 million in extra-budgetary resources, up from US\$ 240 million in 2007.

Similarly, we have collected some US\$ 42 million through the RBSA window. This has been a remarkable achievement for a new modality of voluntary contributions launched two years ago.

The event that we are organizing for delegates on 8 June will provide an opportunity to share information on progress made and lessons learned to date. I invite the members of the Finance Committee to attend that event.

We know that the targets we have set ourselves for 2010-11 are ambitious. But we did not want to lower our ambitions. Rather, we believe they reflect the needs and expectations of our constituents for technical cooperation and policy advice.

It is clear that the current crisis brings about new challenges and new risks for the ILO and its Members. At the same time, there are increasing and pressing demands on the Office, which may translate into new opportunities.

Looking forward, we are confident that the growing significance of the decent work approach to tackle the crisis will mobilize additional support for ILO work.

My fourth and last point concerns the discussion of the programme proposals.

I must say that I was impressed, and pleased, by the level of support to the thrust of these proposals.

The overwhelming majority of speakers commended the streamlined strategic framework, which is focused on the highest priorities of the Organization captured in a limited number of outcomes.

Many speakers praised the improvements in performance indicators and results targets, as well as the more rigorous approach to performance measurement.

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There were suggestions for improvements in both the process and procedures for the consideration of the programme and budget proposals by the Governing Body.

I welcome such constructive proposals and these will be fully considered as we continue to learn and seek to improve how we manage this complex exercise.

In addition the PFAC Members formulated substantive and concrete suggestions to further improve the framework presented in March.

Annex 3 of Report II before you details the changes to the Programme and Budget that have been introduced to reflect those suggestions. Let me summarize briefly the key features of the proposed changes:

- first, there have been some drafting changes to reflect better the spirit of the Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization;
- second, several outcomes and indicators have been clarified;
- third, measurement criteria have been improved for the cases that had been identified during the discussion;
- fourth, we have raised targets whenever this was realistic, with emphasis on those that PFAC
   Members pointed out as particularly low;
- most importantly, there was a strong plea that each of the four groups of the fundamental principles and rights be assigned its own outcome, indicators and targets. In addition to the outcome on freedom of association and collective bargaining, we now have three separate outcomes on child labour, forced labour and discrimination at work.

The PFAC also welcomed the specific changes in working methods underpinning the proposals. These changes crystallize around a renewed emphasis on teamwork, through crosscutting approaches for the 19 outcomes, shared responsibilities across the sectors at headquarters and the regions, and strong emphasis on collaborative work within the regions.

Work to change and adapt these new working methods is already under way. As of May, I enacted new measures to accelerate the ongoing reform on change management in the Office, as called for by the Social Justice Declaration. Outcome-based work plans — one for each of the 19 outcomes — will be prepared before the biennium 2010-11 starts.

The implementation of the two-tier field structure, which the Governing Body authorized me to take forward last March, has to be seen in this context also, and so do the further strategies on knowledge and human resources that we will discuss in the Governing Body next November.

Taken together, all these measures are part of our regular and systematic strides towards a more effective, efficient and results-oriented Office, operating on transparent, accountable and financially rigorous institutional practices.

More than ever, our uttermost aim is to improve the ILO's capacity to service Members globally, in regions and in countries.

In concluding, I would like to recall what I said in my opening statement to the Conference yesterday.

Last June, this Conference provided impetus for a new vision of the ILO by adopting the Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization.

That vision confirmed the confidence and continuing support of ILO Members for a strong, effective Organization. We have and will continue to work hard to justify the confidence placed in us.

Yesterday, I also listed the ILO response to the crisis and the different initiatives taken. The Organization has demonstrated its capacity to react rapidly and adapt to the new context. This responsiveness is facilitated by our continued strong emphasis on rigorous management.

These go together and make the ILO stronger.

The budget level that the Governing Body has proposed to you is built on a financially rigorous, results-oriented approach, emphasising transparency, savings, efficiency and effectiveness.

I am confident that the budget that the Governing Body is submitting to the Finance Committee will enable us to deliver on the commitments we have made and achieve the outcomes our Members are asking for.

Let me again thank the Finance Committee for its guidance throughout the years and ask you to agree to transmit the Governing Body's recommendation on the budget Resolution to the plenary for adoption.

Thank you for your attention.

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### Appendix II

#### Scale of assessments

State	ILO assessments 2009 Col.1	UN assessments 2007-2009 Col.2	assessments 2010 Col.3	Increase ( Decrease ( Diff. between cols 3 and 1 ) Col.4
	%	%	%	%
1 Afghanistan	0.001	0.001	0.001	
2 Albania	0.006	0.006	0.006	
3 Algeria	0.085	0.085	0.085	
4 Angola	0.003	0.003	0.003	
5 Antigua and Barbuda	0.002	0.002	0.002	
6 Argentina	0.325	0.325	0.325	
7 Armenia	0.002	0.002	0.002	
8 Australia	1.788	1.787	1.788	
9 Austria	0.888	0.887	0.888	
10 Azerbaijan	0.005	0.005	0.005	
11 Bahamas	0.016	0.016	0.016	
12 Bahrain	0.033	0.033	0.033	
13 Bangladesh	0.010	0.010	0.010	
14 Barbados	0.009	0.009	0.009	
15 Belarus	0.020	0.020	0.020	
16 Belgium	1.103	1.102	1.103	
17 Belize	0.001	0.001	0.001	
18 Benin	0.001	0.001	0.001	
19 Bolivia	0.006	0.006	0.006	
20 Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.006	0.006	0.006	
21 Botswana	0.014	0.014	0.014	
22 Brazil	0.877	0.876	0.877	
23 Brunei Darussalam	0.026	0.026	0.026	
24 Bulgaria	0.020	0.020	0.020	
25 Burkina Faso	0.002	0.002	0.002	
26 Burundi	0.001	0.001	0.001	
27 Cambodia	0.001	0.001	0.001	
28 Cameroon	0.009	0.009	0.009	
29 Canada	2.979	2.977	2.978	(0.00
30 Cape Verde	0.001	0.001	0.001	
31 Central African Republic	0.001	0.001	0.001	
32 Chad	0.001	0.001	0.001	
33 Chile	0.161	0.161	0.161	
34 China	2.668	2.667	2.668	
35 Colombia	0.105	0.105	0.105	
36 Comoros	0.001	0.001	0.001	
37 Congo	0.001	0.001	0.001	
38 Costa Rica	0.032	0.032	0.032	
39 Côte d'Ivoire	0.009	0.009	0.009	
40 Croatia	0.050	0.050	0.050	
41 Cuba	0.054	0.054	0.054	
42 Cyprus	0.044	0.044	0.044	
43 Czech Republic	0.281	0.281	0.281	
44 Democratic Republic of the Congo	0.003	0.003	0.003	
45 Denmark	0.739	0.739	0.739	
46 Djibouti	0.001	0.001	0.001	
47 Dominica	0.001	0.001	0.001	
48 Dominican Republic	0.024	0.024	0.024	
49 Ecuador	0.021	0.021	0.021	
50 Egypt	0.088	0.088		
51 El Salvador	0.020	0.020	0.020	
52 Equatorial Guinea	0.002	0.002	0.002	
53 Eritrea	0.001	0.001	0.001	
54 Estonia	0.016	0.016		
55 Ethiopia	0.003	0.003	0.003	

State	ILO assessments 2009 Col.1 %	UN assessments 2007-2009 Col.2 %	Draft scale of ILO assessments 2010 Col.3	Increase ( Decrease ) ( Diff. between cols 3 and 1 ) Col.4 %
56 Fiji	0.003	0.003	0.003	_
57 Finland	0.564	0.564	0.564	_
58 France	6.304	6.301	6.304	_
59 Gabon	0.008	0.008	0.008	_
60 Gambia	0.001	0.001	0.001	_
61 Georgia	0.003	0.003	0.003	_
62 Germany	8.581	8.577	8.581	_
63 Ghana	0.004	0.004	0.004	-
64 Greece	0.596	0.596	0.596	-
65 Grenada	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
66 Guatemala	0.032	0.032	0.032	-
67 Guinea	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
68 Guinea-Bissau	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
69 Guyana	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
70 Haiti	0.002	0.002	0.002	-
71 Honduras	0.005	0.005	0.005	-
72 Hungary	0.244	0.244	0.244	-
73 Iceland	0.037	0.037	0.037	-
74 India	0.450	0.450	0.450	-
75 Indonesia	0.161	0.161	0.161	-
76 Iran, Islamic Republic of	0.180	0.180	0.180	-
77 Iraq	0.015	0.015	0.015	-
78 Ireland	0.445	0.445	0.445	-
79 Israel	0.419	0.419	0.419	-
80 Italy	5.081	5.079	5.081	-
81 Jamaica	0.010	0.010	0.010	-
82 Japan	16.632	16.624	16.631	(0.001)
83 Jordan	0.012	0.012	0.012	-
84 Kazakhstan	0.029	0.029	0.029	-
85 Kenya	0.010	0.010	0.010	-
86 Kiribati	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
87 Korea, Republic of	2.174	2.173	2.174	-
88 Kuwait	0.182	0.182	0.182	-
89 Kyrgyzstan	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
90 Lao People's Democratic Republic	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
91 Latvia	0.018	0.018	0.018	-
92 Lebanon	0.034	0.034	0.034	-
93 Lesotho	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
94 Liberia	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
95 Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.062	0.062	0.062	-
96 Lithuania	0.031	0.031	0.031	-
97 Luxembourg	0.085	0.085	0.085	-
98 Madagascar	0.002	0.002	0.002	-
99 Malawi	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
100 Malaysia 101 Maldives, Republic of	0.190	0.190	0.190	0.001
, 1	- 0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001
102 Mali 103 Malta	0.001 0.017	0.001 0.017	0.001 0.017	-
				0.001
104 Marshall Islands 105 Mauritania	0.001	0.001 0.001	0.001 0.001	0.001
106 Mauritius	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
107 Mexico	2.258	2.257	2.258	-
108 Moldova, Republic of	0.001	0.001	0.001	- -
109 Mongolia	0.001	0.001	0.001	
110 Montenegro	0.001	0.001	0.001	•
111 Morocco	0.042	0.042	0.042	•
112 Mozambique	0.042	0.042	0.042	- -
112 Mozamoique 113 Myanmar	0.001	0.001	0.001	-
110 Myanina				-
114 Namibia	0.006	0.006	0.006	

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State	ILO assessments 2009 Col.1 %	UN assessments 2007-2009 Col.2 %	Draft scale of ILO assessments 2010 Col.3	Increase ( Decrease ( Diff. between cols 3 and 1 ) Col.4 %
16 Netherlands	1.874	1.873	1.874	
17 New Zealand	0.256	0.256	0.256	
18 Nicaragua	0.002	0.002	0.002	
19 Niger	0.002	0.002	0.002	
20 Nigeria	0.001	0.048	0.048	
21 Norway	0.783	0.782	0.783	
22 Oman	0.073	0.073	0.073	
23 Pakistan	0.059	0.079	0.059	
24 Panama	0.023	0.023	0.023	
25 Papua New Guinea	0.023	0.023	0.023	
26 Paraguay	0.002	0.002	0.002	
20 Faraguay 27 Peru	0.003	0.003	0.003	
		0.078	0.078	
28 Philippines 29 Poland	0.078			
	0.501	0.501	0.501	
30 Portugal	0.527	0.527	0.527	
31 Qatar	0.085	0.085	0.085	
32 Romania	0.070	0.070	0.070	
33 Russian Federation	1.201	1.200	1.201	
34 Rwanda	0.001	0.001	0.001	
35 Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.001	0.001	0.001	
36 Saint Lucia	0.001	0.001	0.001	
37 Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.001	0.001	0.001	
38 Samoa	0.001	0.001	0.001	
39 San Marino	0.003	0.003	0.003	
40 Sao Tome and Principe	0.001	0.001	0.001	
41 Saudi Arabia	0.748	0.748	0.748	
42 Senegal	0.004	0.004	0.004	
43 Serbia	0.021	0.021	0.021	
44 Seychelles	0.002	0.002	0.002	
45 Sierra Leone	0.001	0.001	0.001	
46 Singapore	0.347	0.347	0.347	
47 Slovakia	0.063	0.063	0.063	
48 Slovenia	0.096	0.096	0.096	
49 Solomon Islands	0.001	0.001	0.001	
50 Somalia	0.001	0.001	0.001	
51 South Africa	0.290	0.290	0.290	
52 Spain	2.970	2.968	2.969	(0.00
53 Sri Lanka	0.016	0.016	0.016	
54 Sudan	0.010	0.010	0.010	
55 Suriname	0.001	0.001	0.001	
56 Swaziland	0.002	0.002	0.002	
57 Sweden	1.072	1.071	1.072	
58 Switzerland	1.217	1.216	1.217	
59 Syrian Arab Republic	0.016	0.016	0.016	
60 Tajikistan	0.001	0.001	0.001	
61 Tanzania, United Republic of	0.006	0.006	0.006	
62 Thailand	0.186	0.186	0.186	
63 The form. Yug. Rep. of Macedonia	0.005	0.005	0.005	
64 Timor-Leste, Dem. Rep of	0.001	0.001	0.001	
65 Togo	0.001	0.001	0.001	
66 Trinidad and Tobago	0.027	0.027	0.007	
67 Tunisia	0.027	0.027	0.027	
68 Turkey	0.381	0.381	0.381	
69 Turkmenistan	0.006	0.006	0.006	
70 Tuvalu	0.006 -	0.008		0.0
			0.001	0.0
71 Uganda 72 Ukraine	0.003 0.045	0.003 0.045	0.003 0.045	

State	ILO assessments 2009 Col.1 %	UN assessments 2007-2009 Col.2 %	Draft scale of ILO assessments 2010 Col.3 %	Increase ( Decrease ) ( Diff. between cols 3 and 1 ) Col.4 %
173 United Arab Emirates	0.302	0.302	0.302	
174 United Kingdom	6.645	6.642	6.645	
175 United States	22.000	22.000	22.000	
176 Uruguay	0.027	0.027	0.027	
177 Uzbekistan	0.008	0.008	0.008	
178 Vanuatu	0.001	0.001	0.001	
179 Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	0.200	0.200	0.200	
180 Viet Nam	0.024	0.024	0.024	
181 Yemen	0.007	0.007	0.007	
182 Zambia	0.001	0.001	0.001	
183 Zimbabwe	0.008	0.008	0.008	
	100.000	99.967	100.000	0.000

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### Appendix III

### Proposed summarized budget of expenditure and income for 2010–11

	<b>Expenditure</b> 2008–09 2010–11				Inco	ome	
				2008–09 Budge		udget 2010–11 E	
	Budget	Estimates					
	US\$	US\$		US\$	CHF	US\$	CHF
Part I Ordinary budget	634,163,177	718,898,200	Contributions from Member States	641,730,000	789,327,900	726,720,000	777,590,400
Part II Unforeseen expenditure	875,000	875,000					
Part III Working capital fund	_	-					
Part IV Institutional investments and extraordinary items	6,691,823	6,946,800					
Total Budget	641,730,000	726,720,000		641,730,000	789,327,900	726,720,000	777,590,400

### Appendix IV

Proposed expenditure budget by appropriation line (in US dollars)

Item PART I.			2008-09 Bu	dget	2010-11 Estimates (in constant 2008-09 dollars)		2010-11 Estimates (recosted) 1.23 to 1.07	
A	. Policy-making organs			71,931,510		68,943,483		79,304,958
В	Employment Social protection Social dialogue Standards		146,336,447 96,920,016 139,193,081 93,487,317	475,936,861	148,199,424 98,345,832 138,096,454 96,031,519	480,673,229	167,210,568 110,961,717 155,811,582 108,350,522	542,334,389
С	. Management services			56,320,405		55,063,332		63,243,523
D	. Other budgetary provisions			35,402,984		35,402,984		40,120,297
	Adjustment for staff turnover			-5,428,583		-5,428,583		-6,104,967
		Total Part I		634,163,177		634,654,445		718,898,200
PART II.	UNFORESEEN EXPENDITURE Unforeseen expenditure			875,000		875,000		875,000
PART III.	WORKING CAPITAL FUND Working Capital Fund			-		-		-
		Total Parts I-III		635,038,177		635,529,445		719,773,200
PART IV.	INSTITUTIONAL INVESTMENTS AND EXTRAORD Institutional investments and extraordinary items	INARY ITEMS	_	6,691,823		6,200,555		6,946,800
		Total Parts I-IV	_	641,730,000	_	641,730,000	_	726,720,000

### Appendix V

# Income budget for 2010–11 Statement of contributions due from member States for 2010 (in Swiss francs)

					Distributed in F			
			essed ribution	2008	Prior y	ears		Net Contribution
		for	2010	Incentive	50% Net	Surplus	Total	for
<u> </u>	Member States	%	Amount	Scheme	Premium		Credits	2010
_	Afghanistan	0.001	3,888		-	18	18	3,870
	Albania	0.006	23,328	81	-	-	81	23,247
	Algeria Angola	0.085 0.003	330,476 11,664	1,104 42	-	-	1,104 42	329,372 11,622
-	Antigua and Barbuda	0.003	7,776	42	535	705	1,240	6,536
	Argentina	0.325	1,263,584		-	8,566	8,566	1,255,018
_	Armenia	0.002	7,776	10	-	-	10	7,766
	Australia	1.788	6,951,658	24,840	-	-	24,840	6,926,818
9	Austria	0.888	3,452,501	12,285	-	-	12,285	3,440,216
_	Azerbaijan	0.005	19,440	3	-	-	3	19,437
_	Bahamas	0.016	62,207	110	-	-	110	62,097
	Bahrain	0.033	128,302	458	-	-	458	127,844
	Bangladesh	0.010	38,879	137	-	-	137	38,742
	Barbados	0.009 0.020	34,992 77,759	102 228	-	-	102 228	34,890 77,531
-	Belgium	1.103	4,288,411	220		9,577	9,577	4,278,834
-	Belize	0.001	3,888	1		9,577	9,577	3,887
-	Benin	0.001	3,888	14	<del></del>		14	3,874
-	Bolivia	0.006	23,328		-	-		23,328
-	Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.006	23,328	72	-	-	72	23,256
	Botswana	0.014	54,431		-	-	-	54,431
	Brazil	0.877	3,409,734		41,267	13,641	54,908	3,354,826
23	Brunei Darussalam	0.026	101,087		-	-	_	101,087
24	Bulgaria	0.020	77,759	278	-	-	278	77,481
25	Burkina Faso	0.002	7,776	28	-	-	28	7,748
26	Burundi	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888
_		0.001	3,888	5	-	-	5	3,883
	Cameroon	0.009	34,992		-	-	-	34,992
-	Canada	2.978	11,578,321	41,387	-	-	41,387	11,536,934
-	Cape Verde	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888
	Central African Republic	0.001	3,888	11	272	-	283	3,605
-	Chad Chile	0.001 0.161	3,888 625,960	11	21	9	41	3,847 625,960
_	China	2.668	10,373,056		-	-		10,373,056
	Colombia	0.105	408,235	1,294		-	1,294	406,941
-	Comoros	0.103	3,888	1,294	<del></del>		1,294	3,888
	Congo	0.001	3,888	14	_	_	14	3,874
	Costa Rica	0.032	124,414	19	_	268	287	124,127
-	Côte d'Ivoire	0.009	34,992		202	89	291	34,701
		0.050	194,398	12	-	331	343	194,055
	Cuba	0.054	209,949		-	385	385	209,564
	Cyprus	0.044	171,070	551	-	-	551	170,519
43	Czech Republic	0.281	1,092,514	3,904	-	-	3,904	1,088,610
-	Democratic Republic of the Congo	0.003	11,664	31	1,494	1,030	2,555	9,109
-	Denmark	0.739	2,873,196	9,906	-	-	9,906	2,863,290
	Djibouti	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888
-	Dominica	0.001	3,888	00.1	21	-	21	3,867
	Dominican Republic Ecuador	0.024	93,311	334	-+	-	334	92,977
-	Egypt	0.021 0.088	81,647 342,140	1,143	-	-	1,143	81,647 340,997
	El Salvador	0.000	77,759	1,143		197	1,143	77,562
	Equatorial Guinea	0.020	7,776	28		197	28	7,748
	Eritrea	0.001	3,888	13	_	_	13	3,875
	Estonia	0.016	62,207	217	-	_	217	61,990
	Ethiopia	0.003	11,664	42	-	-	42	11,622
	Fiji	0.003	11,664	38		36	74	11,590
	Finland	0.564	2,192,805	7,484	-	-	7,484	2,185,321

		Assessed		2008	Prior y		Net	
	Member States		ibution 2010 Amount	Incentive Scheme	50% Net Premium	Surplus	Total Credits	Contribution for 2010
58	France	6.304	24,509,649	83,557	-		83,557	24,426,092
	Gabon	0.004	31,104	79	-	81	160	30.944
	Gambia	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888
	Georgia	0.003	11,664	37	-	-	37	11,627
62	Germany	8.581	33,362,516	117,420	-	-	117,420	33,245,096
	Ghana	0.004	15,552		-	-		15,552
	Greece	0.596	2,317,219		-	4,744	4,744	2,312,475
	Grenada	0.001	3,888	70	-	-	- 70	3,888
	Guatemala Guinea	0.032 0.001	124,414 3,888	79	-	27	79 27	124,335 3,861
	Guinea Guinea-Bissau	0.001	3,888			-	-	3,888
	Guyana	0.001	3,888	14	_	_	14	3,874
-	Haiti	0.002	7,776		-	_	-	7,776
71	Honduras	0.005	19,440	52	-	45	97	19,343
72	Hungary	0.244	948,660	3,197	-	-	3,197	945,463
	lceland	0.037	143,854	509	-	-	509	143,345
	India	0.450	1,749,578	6,251	-	-	6,251	1,743,327
	Indonesia	0.161	625,960	2,061		-	2,061	623,899
	Iran, Islamic Republic of	0.180	699,831		4,524	1,405	5,929	693,902
	lraq 	0.015	58,319		-	- 0.400	- 0.400	58,319
	Ireland Israel	0.445 0.419	1,730,139 1,629,052	1,168	9,324	3,133	3,133 10,492	1,727,006 1,618,560
80		5.081	19,754,684	1,100	9,324		10,492	19,754,684
	Jamaica	0.010	38,879	110	_	_	110	38,769
-	Japan	16.631	64,660,530	201,909	-	_	201.909	64,458,621
	Jordan	0.012	46,655	9	-	-	9	46,646
84	Kazakhstan	0.029	112,751	401	-	-	401	112,350
85	Kenya	0.010	38,879	122	-	-	122	38,757
86	Kiribati	0.001	3,888	3	21	9	33	3,855
87	Korea, Republic of	2.174	8,452,408		-	16,085	16,085	8,436,323
	Kuwait	0.182	707,607		-	-	-	707,607
	Kyrgyzstan	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888
	Lao People's Democratic Republic	0.001	3,888	249	-	-	249	3,888
	Latvia Lebanon	0.018 0.034	69,983 132,190	249	383	215	598	69,734 131,592
-	Lesotho	0.001	3,888	12	- 303	213	12	3,876
	Liberia	0.001	3,888	14	_	_	14	3,874
-	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.062	241,053		-	-	-	241,053
96	Lithuania	0.031	120,526	398	-	-	398	120,128
97 (	Luxembourg	0.085	330,476	1,154	-	-	1,154	329,322
	Madagascar	0.002	7,776	7	-	27	34	7,742
	Malawi	0.001	3,888	14	-	-	14	3,874
	Malaysia	0.190	738,711	2,490	-	-	2,490	736,221
	Maldives, Republic of	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888
102	Mali Malta	0.001 0.017	3,888 66,095	15	-	-	- 15	3,888 66,080
-	Marshall Islands	0.017	3,888	15	1	2	2	3,886
	Mauritania	0.001	3,888		<del></del>	-	-	3,888
	Mauritius	0.001	42,767	151		1	151	42,616
	Mexico	2.258	8,778,996		-	_	-	8,778,996
	Moldova, Republic of	0.001	3,888	14	-		14	3,874
109	Mongolia	0.001	3,888	1	-	9	10	3,878
	Montenegro	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888
	Morocco	0.042	163,294	467	-	-	467	162,827
	Mozambique	0.001	3,888	13	-	-	13	3,875
	Myanmar	0.005	19,440	2 .	-	89	89	19,351
	Namibia	0.006	23,328	84	-	-	84	23,244
	Nepal Netherlands	0.003 1.874	11,664 7,286,022	41 25,125	-	-	41 25,125	11,623 7,260,897
	New Zealand	0.256	995,316	3,559		<del></del>	3,559	991,757
	New Zealand Nicaragua	0.002	7,776	21		9	30	7,746
	Niger	0.001	3,888	- 1	-	-	-	3,888
	Nigeria	0.048	186,622	516			516	186,106
	Norway	0.783	3,044,266	8,869	-		8,869	3,035,397
122	Oman	0.073	283,820	770	-	-	770	283,050

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		Ass	essed	Earned Credits 2008	Distributed in Prior			Net	
			ribution 2010	Incentive	50% Net	Surplus	Total	Contribution for	
	Member States	%	Amount	Scheme	Premium		Credits	2010	
	Pakistan	0.059	229,389		-	492	492	228,897	
	Panama	0.023	89,423		-	-	-	89,423	
	Papua New Guinea	0.002 0.005	7,776 19,440	52	-	-	- 52	7,776 19,388	
	Paraguay Peru	0.005	303,260	52	-	823	823	302,437	
_	Philippines	0.078	303,260	342		850	1,192	302,068	
	Poland	0.501	1,947,864	6,959	_	-	6,959	1,940,905	
	Portugal	0.527	2,048,951	3,670	-	-	3,670	2,045,281	
131	Qatar	0.085	330,476	953	-	-	953	329,523	
132	Romania	0.070	272,157	862	-	-	862	271,295	
_	Russian Federation	1.201	4,669,430	13,879	-	9,855	23,734	4,645,696	
_	Rwanda	0.001	3,888		21	-	21	3,867	
	Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.001	3,888	13	21	-	34	3,854	
_	Saint Lucia	0.001	3,888	3	43	18	64	3,824	
137	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Samoa	0.001 0.001	3,888 3,888	14	-	9	9	3,879 3,874	
	San Marino	0.001	11,664	37	-		37	11,627	
	Sao Tome and Principe	0.003	3,888	37	-		- J	3,888	
_	Saudi Arabia	0.748	2,908,188	9,555	-		9,555	2,898,633	
142	i	0.004	15,552	3,330	-	-	-	15,552	
143	Serbia	0.021	81,647		-	-	-	81,647	
144	Seychelles	0.002	7,776		43	18	61	7,715	
145	Sierra Leone	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888	
146	Singapore	0.347	1,349,119	4,822	-	-	4,822	1,344,297	
147		0.063	244,941	859	-	-	859	244,082	
_	Slovenia	0.096	373,243	1,325	-	-	1,325	371,918	
	Solomon Islands	0.001	3,888		628	190	818	3,070	
_	Somalia South Africa	0.001 0.290	3,888	4,027	-	-	4,027	3,888 1,123,479	
	Spain Spain	2.969	1,127,506 11,543,329	34,963			34,963	11,508,366	
	Sri Lanka	0.016	62,207	211			211	61,996	
_	Sudan	0.010	38,879	211	-	-		38,879	
_	Suriname	0.001	3,888	14	-	-	14	3,874	
	Swaziland	0.002	7,776	27	-	-	27	7,749	
157	Sweden	1.072	4,167,885	14,028	-	-	14,028	4,153,857	
158	Switzerland	1.217	4,731,638	16,653	-	-	16,653	4,714,985	
	Syrian Arab Republic	0.016	62,207		-	340	340	61,867	
	Tajikistan	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888	
	Tanzania, United Republic of	0.006	23,328	75	-	54	129	23,199	
162		0.186	723,159	2,584 1	-	-	2,584	720,575 19,439	
	The former Yug. Rep of Macedonia Timor-Leste	0.005 0.001	19,440 3,888			-	1	3,888	
	Togo	0.001	3,888	11	272	9	292	3,596	
	Trinidad and Tobago	0.027	104,975	350	-	-	350	104,625	
	Tunisia	0.031	120,526	384			384	120,142	
168	Turkey	0.381	1,481,310	4,019		-	4,019	1,477,291	
169	Turkmenistan	0.006	23,328		-	-	-	23,328	
	Tuvalu	0.001	3,888		-	-	-	3,888	
	Uganda	0.003	11,664	34	117	54	205	11,459	
	Ukraine	0.045	174,958	160	-	- 0.465	160	174,798	
	United Arab Emirates	0.302	1,174,161	26 625	-	2,103	2,103	1,172,058	
	United Kingdom United States	6.645 22.000	25,835,441 85,534,944	26,635	-	- 196,919	26,635 196,919	25,808,806 85,338,025	
	Uruguay	0.027	104,975	45		190,919	196,919	104,930	
	Uzbekistan	0.027	31,104	7-5	-			31,104	
	Vanuatu	0.001	3,888		21	_	21	3,867	
	Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	0.200	777,590					777,590	
	Viet Nam	0.024	93,311	334	-		334	92,977	
	Yemen	0.007	27,216		-	-		27,216	
	Zambia	0.001	3,888	11	-	54	65	3,823	
183	Zimbabwe	0.008	31,104	745 115	-	- 070 500	4.040.000	31,104	
	TOTAL	100.000	388,795,200	715,110	59,230	272,520	1,046,860	387,748,340	

<sup>(1)</sup> Should a member State pay previous year's contributions prior to the closure of the 98th session of the International Labour Conference, that member State's earned credits may change.

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