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Voluntary contributions and gifts

Summary: This document contains a detailed list of gifts accepted in aid of operational programmes since September 2015, not including funds received for technical cooperation activities.

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1. At its 251st Session (November 1991), the Governing Body authorized the Director-General to accept gifts in money or in kind made by governments, governmental or non-governmental organizations or private persons, at his discretion, provided that they did not involve any financial liability for the Members of the Organization and provided that details of such gifts were reported periodically to the Governing Body. This authority confirmed the Governing Body decision at its 151st Session (March 1962) which had extended the authority granted by the Governing Body at its 130th Session (November 1955) and confirmed at its 138th Session (February–March 1958).
2. Details of gifts accepted by the Director-General were last communicated to the Governing Body in November 2015.¹ Gifts accepted in aid of operational programmes since that date are listed in the appendix. These gifts do not include funds received for technical cooperation activities.

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¹ [GB.325/PFA/INF/2](#).

Appendix

Gifts in aid of operational programmes

Donor	Amount	Date	Purpose
Japanese Trade Union Confederation (JTUC-RENGO)	Two contributions of ¥5,000,000 (\$84,505)	October 2015 and January 2017	For the ILO/RENGO/JILAF Regional Workshop for Capacity Building on Trade Union Rights and Labour Standards for Productivity Improvement in Africa, held in Gaborone, Botswana from 16 to 20 November 2015 and Ouagadougou/Burkina Faso from 21 to 25 February 2017.
Messe Düsseldorf GmbH	Two contributions of €20,000 (\$43,303)	December 2015 and March 2017	For the biannual international conference "Implementing Global Occupational Safety and Health Standards" jointly organized by the ILO, Messe Düsseldorf and the German Federal Association for Occupational Safety and Health (BASl), to be held in Düsseldorf, Germany, in 2017.
Government of Trinidad and Tobago	TTD 1,080,875 (\$163,327)	Between September 2015 and August 2017	Contribution towards the rental cost of the ILO Office in Port of Spain.
Government of Germany	Two contributions of €62,000 (\$133,949)	January 2016 and January 2017	To defray the operating costs of the ILO Office in Berlin.
Government of France	Two contributions of €145,000 and €150,000 (\$322,708)	March 2016 and April 2017	To defray the operating costs of the ILO Office in Paris.
Novia Salcedo Foundation	€2,761 (\$3,113)	June 2016	To support the ILO's campaign against child labour.
Government of Portugal	€19,019 (\$21,250)	August 2016	To cover the costs associated with the delivery of training on national action plans and national lists of hazardous work prohibited to children to tripartite representatives from the Community of Portuguese Speaking Countries (CPLP countries), held in Lisbon, 30 August to 1 September 2016.
Government of Sweden, Prime Minister's Office	\$24,970	January 2017	To prepare a report to draw out the business case for social dialogue.

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