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Annex 1: Instruments

**DECENT WORK IN THE RURAL ECONOMY
POLICY GUIDANCE NOTES**

This annex presents an overview of international labour Conventions, Recommendations and Protocols relevant to the promotion of decent work in the rural economy.



Core Conventions

- Forced Labour Convention, 1930 (No. 29)
- Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organise Convention, 1948 (No. 87)
- Right to Organise and Collective Bargaining Convention, 1949 (No. 98)
- Equal Remuneration Convention, 1951 (No. 100)
- Abolition of Forced Labour Convention, 1957 (No. 105)
- Discrimination (Employment and Occupation) Convention, 1958 (No. 111)
- Minimum Age Convention, 1973 (No. 138)
- Worst Forms of Child Labour Convention, 1999 (No. 182)

Governance Conventions

- Labour Inspection Convention, 1947 (No. 81)
- Employment Policy Convention, 1964 (No. 122)
- Labour Inspection (Agriculture) Convention, 1969 (No. 129)
- Tripartite Consultation (International Labour Standards) Convention, 1976 (No. 144)

Other relevant instruments**A. Conventions**

- Workmen's Compensation (Agriculture), 1921 (No. 12)
- Sickness Insurance (Agriculture) Convention, 1927 (No. 25)
- Labour Clauses (Public Contracts) Convention, 1949 (No. 94)
- Protection of Wages Convention, 1949 (No. 95)
- Migration for Employment Convention (Revised), 1949 (No. 97)

- Holidays with Pay (Agriculture) Convention, 1952 (No. 101)
- Social Security (Minimum Standards) Convention, 1952 (No. 102)
- Plantations Convention, 1958 (No. 110)
- Minimum Age (Fishermen) Convention, 1959 (No. 112)
- Medical Examination (Fishermen) Convention, 1959 (No. 113)
- Fishermen's Articles of Agreement Convention, 1959 (No. 114)
- Equality of Treatment (Social Security) Convention, 1962 (No. 118)
- Employment Injury Benefits Convention, 1964 (No. 121)
- Fishermen's Competency Certificates Convention, 1966 (No. 125)
- Accommodation of Crews (Fishermen) Convention, 1966 (No. 126)
- Invalidity, Old-Age and Survivors' Benefits Convention, 1967 (No. 128)
- Medical Care and Sickness Benefits Convention, 1969 (No. 130)
- Minimum Wage Fixing Convention, 1970 (No. 131)
- Rural Workers' Organisations Convention, 1975 (No. 141)
- Human Resources Development Convention, 1975 (No. 142)
- Migrant Workers (Supplementary Provisions) Convention, 1975 (No. 143)
- Nursing Personnel Convention, 1977 (No. 149)
- Labour Administration Convention, 1978 (No. 150)

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- Collective Bargaining Convention, 1981 (No. 154)
- Occupational Safety and Health Convention, 1981 (No. 155)
- Workers with Family Responsibilities Convention, 1981 (No. 156)
- Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (Disabled Persons) Convention, 1983 (No. 159)
- Occupational Health Services Convention, 1985 (No. 161)
- Employment Promotion and Protection against Unemployment Convention, 1988 (No. 168)
- Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169)
- Working Conditions (Hotels and Restaurants) Convention, 1991 (No. 172)
- Safety and Health in Mines Convention, 1995 (No. 176)
- Home Work Convention, 1996 (No. 177)
- Maternity Protection Convention, 2000 (No. 183)
- Safety and Health in Agriculture Convention, 2001 (No. 184)
- Promotional Framework for Occupational Safety and Health Convention, 2006 (No. 187)
- Work in Fishing Convention, 2007 (No. 188)

Conventions with interim status

- Right of Association (Agriculture) Convention, 1921 (No. 11)
- Minimum Wage-Fixing Machinery Convention, 1928 (No. 26)
- Forty-Hour Week Convention, 1935 (No. 47)
- Minimum Wage Fixing Machinery (Agriculture) Convention, 1951 (No. 99)
- Holidays with Pay Convention (Revised), 1970 (No. 132)

B. Recommendations

- Medical Care Recommendation, 1944 (No. 69)
- Labour Clauses (Public Contracts) Recommendation, 1949 (No. 84)
- Migration for Employment Recommendation (Revised), 1949 (No. 86)
- Equal Remuneration Recommendation, 1951 (No. 90)
- Indigenous and Tribal Populations Recommendation, 1957 (No. 104)
- Plantations Recommendation, 1958 (No. 110)
- Discrimination (Employment and Occupation) Recommendation, 1958 (No. 111)
- Hygiene (Commerce and Offices) Recommendation, 1964 (No. 120)
- Employment Policy Recommendation, 1964 (No. 122)
- Vocational Training (Fishermen) Recommendation, 1966 (No. 126)
- Tenants and Share-croppers Recommendation, 1968 (No. 132)
- Labour Inspection (Agriculture) Recommendation, 1969 (No. 133)
- Rural Workers' Organisations Recommendation, 1975 (No. 149)
- Migrant Workers Recommendation, 1975 (No. 151)
- Tripartite Consultation (Activities of the International Labour Organisation) Recommendation, 1976 (No. 152)
- Nursing Personnel Recommendation, 1977 (No. 157)
- Workers with Family Responsibilities Recommendation, 1981 (No. 165)

- Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (Disabled Persons) Recommendation, 1983 (No. 168)
- Employment Policy (Supplementary Provisions) Recommendation, 1984 (No. 169)
- Working Conditions (Hotels and Restaurants) Recommendation, 1991 (No. 179)
- Safety and Health in Mines Recommendation, 1995 (No. 183)
- Home Work Recommendation, 1996 (No. 184)
- Job Creation in Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises Recommendation, 1998 (No. 189)
- Worst Forms of Child Labour Recommendation, 1999 (No. 190)
- Maternity Protection Recommendation, 2000 (No. 191)
- Safety and Health in Agriculture Recommendation, 2001 (No. 192)
- Promotion of Cooperatives Recommendation, 2002 (No. 193)
- Human Resources Development Recommendation, 2004 (No. 195)
- Promotional Framework for Occupational Safety and Health Recommendation, 2006 (No. 197)
- Work in Fishing Recommendation, 2007 (No. 199)
- Social Protection Floors Recommendation, 2012 (No. 202)
- Transition from the Informal to the Formal Economy Recommendation, 2015 (No. 204)

C. Protocols

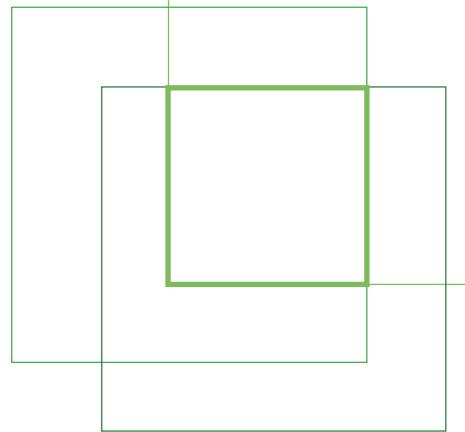
- Protocol of 1982 to the Plantations Convention, 1958 (No. 110)
- Protocol of 2014 to the Forced Labour Convention, 1930 (No. 29)

Recommendations with interim status

- Social Insurance (Agriculture) Recommendation, 1921 (No. 17)
- Minimum Wage-Fixing Machinery (Agriculture) Recommendation, 1951 (No. 89)



Overview of Policy Guidance Notes on the Promotion of Decent Work in the Rural Economy



Supporting inclusive agricultural growth for improved livelihoods and food security

- Decent Work for Food Security and Resilient Rural Livelihoods
- Decent and Productive Work in Agriculture

Promoting economic diversification and triggering productive transformation for rural employment

- Economic Diversification of the Rural Economy
- Promoting Decent Work for Rural Workers at the Base of the Supply Chain
- The Role of Multinational Enterprises in the Promotion of Decent Work in Rural Areas
- Transitioning to Formality in the Rural Informal Economy
- Sustainable Tourism – A Catalyst for Inclusive Socio-economic Development and Poverty Reduction in Rural Areas

Promoting access to services, protection and employment-intensive investment

- Providing Access to Quality Services in the Rural Economy to Promote Growth and Social Development
- Extending Social Protection to the Rural Economy
- Developing the Rural Economy through Financial Inclusion: The Role of Access to Finance
- Employment-Intensive Investment in Rural Infrastructure for Economic Development, Social and Environmental Protection and Inclusive Growth

Ensuring sustainability and harnessing the benefits of natural resources

- A Just Transition towards a Resilient and Sustainable Rural Economy
- Decent Work in Forestry
- Harnessing the Potential of Extractive Industries
- Water for Improved Rural Livelihoods

Increasing the voice of rural people through organization and the promotion of rights, standards and social dialogue

- Rights at Work in the Rural Economy
- Promoting Social Dialogue in the Rural Economy
- Building Local Development in Rural Areas through Cooperatives and other Social and Solidarity Economy Enterprises and Organizations
- Decent Work for Indigenous and Tribal Peoples in the Rural Economy
- Empowering Women in the Rural Economy
- Decent Work for Rural Youth
- Promoting Fair and Effective Labour Migration Policies in Agriculture and Rural Areas

Improving the knowledge base on decent work in the rural economy

- Enhancing the Knowledge Base to Support the Promotion of Decent Work in Rural Areas

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