





ASEAN-ILO/Japan Project Promoting and building income security and employment services in ASEAN

ASEAN Trade Union Workshop for Strengthening Social Protection in ASEAN Community

Hotel Cambodiana, 26-27 August 2014 Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Prinom Penn, Cambodia	
Tuesday 26 August 2014	
8.30-9.00	Registration
9.00-9.30	Opening remarks
	• ILO
	• ATUC
	Cambodia trade union
	Introduction of participants
9.30-10.10	ASEAN Economic Integration by 2015, opportunities and challenges ahead
	By Mr Pong-Sul Ahn, Senior Specialist for Workers' Activities, ILO Bangkok
	Questions and answers
10.10-10.30	Coffee break
10.30-11.30	Regional situation on social protection
	- ILO Conventions and Recommendations related to social protection
	- ASEAN overview on social protection
	- ASEAN Declaration for Strengthening social protection
	By Ms. Celine Peyron Bista, Chief Technical Advisor, Social Protection, ILO
	Bangkok
	Questions and answers
11.30-12.00	Presentation of the afternoon's group discussions
	Into two groups, participants will work towards a joint statement on key issues
	related to social protection in ASEAN.
	The group discussions will centre around the following issues:
	- Review of the ASEAN Declaration principles against the guiding principles of
	the ILO instruments;
	- Identify common social protection gaps and challenges across the ASEAN
	countries;
	- Agree on opportunities for implementing national social protection floors and
	progressive extension of social security systems, taking into consideration
	protection of informal and rural economy workers, protection of migrant
	workers, gender equality in accessing social protection, among others;
	- Define the role of the workers' organizations in implementing the ASEAN
	Declaration at regional and national levels, including a trade unions'
	campaign for the extension of social protection in ASEAN;

	- Recommendations for the preparation of the Plan of Action of the ASEAN Declaration.
12.00-13.00	Lunch
13.00-17.00	Group discussions
Wednesday 2	27 August 2014
9.00-10.30	Drafting of a joint statement by ASEAN trade unions for an effective
	implementation of the ASEAN Declaration and recommendations for the
	development of the Plan of Action.
10.30-10.40	Adoption of the joint statement.
10.40-10.55	Coffee break
10.55-12.00	Closing session
	The way forward and the activities under the ILO/Japan Project on income security and employment promotion in ASEAN
	 By Ms. Celine Peyron Bista, Chief Technical Advisor, Social Protection, ILO Bangkok
	Closing remarks
	Cambodian trade union representative
12.00-13.00	Lunch