

IRAQ (2018)
THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF FORCED OR COMPULSORY LABOUR
Protocol of 2014 (P029) to the Forced Labour Convention

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| REPORTING | Fulfillment of Government's reporting obligations | Yes. | |
| | Involvement of Employers' and Workers' organizations in the reporting process | 2018 AR: Copies of the report were sent to the Iraqi Federation of Industries and to the General Federation of Trade Unions in Iraq. | |
| OBSERVATIONS BY THE SOCIAL PARTNERS | Employers' organizations | No. | |
| | Workers' organizations | No. | |
| EFFORTS AND PROGRESS MADE IN REALIZING MEASURES TARGETED BY THE PROTOCOL | Ratification | Ratification status | Iraq has not yet ratified the Protocol of 2014 (P029) to the Forced Labour Convention. |
| | | Ratification intention | 2018 AR: The Protocol is likely to be ratified. |
| | Existence of a policy and / or plan of action for the suppression of forced or compulsory labour | 2018 AR: There is no policy or plan action for the suppression of forced labour. | |
| | Measures taken or envisaged for systematic and coordinated action | 2018 AR: The new Labor Law 37-2015 has many legal articles addressing the compulsory labour and the Law no. 28-2012 of human trafficking has many articles addressing these issues. | |
| | Measures taken or envisaged to prevent forms of forced labour | | |
| Measures taken or envisaged to protect victims of forced labour | | | |
| Measures taken or envisaged to facilitate access to remedies | | | |
| Non-prosecution of victims for unlawful acts that they would have been forced to carry out | | | |
| Cooperation with other Member States, international / regional organizations or NGOs | | | |
| Promotional activities | | | |

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| | Special initiatives/Progress | | |
| CHALLENGES IN REALIZING MEASURES TARGETED BY THE PROTOCOL | According to the social partners | Employers' organizations | |
| | | Workers' organizations | |
| | According to the Government | | |
| TECHNICAL COOPERATION NEEDS | Request | <p>2018 AR: The Government requires ILO technical cooperation in the following areas: a) Collection and analysis of data and information; b) Capacity building for the competent authorities; c) Basic social security guarantees; d) Assessment, in cooperation with the ILO, of the obstacles identified and their impact on the realization of the principle; e) Awareness-raising and mobilization activities; f) Inter-institutional coordination; g) Promotion of fair recruitment and placement practices; h) Promotion of fair migration policies; i) Vocational training, job-creation and income-generation programmes for at-risk populations; j) Capacity building for employers' and workers' organizations; k) Promotion of freedom of association and collective bargaining to enable at-risk workers to join workers' organizations; l) Exchange of experiences between countries or regions; international cooperation; m) Guidance on the development of the national policy and plan of action; n) Strengthening the legal framework; and o) Guidance on supporting due diligence.</p> | |
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