



## 17th American Regional Meeting

Santiago de Chile, 14–17 December 2010

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### Provisional programme

#### Tuesday, 14 December 2010

08.00 onwards (Hall, Sheraton Hotel)	Registration
10.00–12.30	Group meetings: Governments ( <i>Rooms: San Cristobal ABC</i> ), Workers ( <i>Room: P. de Valdivia C</i> ) Employers ( <i>Room: P. de Valdivia A</i> )
12.30–14.15	Lunch break
14.15–16.00 ( <i>Rooms: P. de Valdivia A and B</i> )	<b>Inaugural event: Growth, employment and equity in the Americas</b> Moderator: Mr Juan Somavia, Director-General of the ILO Panellists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Ms Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary, CEPAL</li><li>■ Mr Eduardo Brenta, Minister of Labour and Social Security of Uruguay</li><li>■ Mr Daniel Funes de Rioja, Employer Vice-Chairperson of the Governing Body of the ILO</li><li>■ Sir Roy Trotman, Worker Vice-Chairperson of the Governing Body of the ILO</li></ul>
16.00–16.30	Coffee break
16.30–18.00 ( <i>Room: San Cristobal ABC</i> )	<b>Plenary – Opening of the Meeting</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Election of the Chairperson of the Meeting</li><li>– Election of the Vice-Chairpersons of the Meeting</li><li>– Adoption of the provisional programme</li><li>– Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee</li><li>– Appointment of the members of the Drafting Committee for the conclusions of the Meeting</li><li>– Opening statements</li></ul>
18.00 ( <i>Room: P. de Valdivia C</i> )	Meeting of the Drafting Committee for the conclusions

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## Wednesday, 15 December 2010

- 09.00–10.00  
(Rooms: P. de Valdivia A and C) Group meetings
- 10.00–10.45  
(Room: San Cristobal ABC) **Plenary**  
– Presentation and discussion of the Director-General’s Report
- 11.00–11.30  
(Room: San Cristobal ABC) **Address by His Excellency, Mr Sebastián Piñera,  
President of the Republic of Chile**
- 11.30–12.30  
(Room: San Cristobal ABC) Continuation of the discussion of the Director-General’s Report
- 12.30–14.15 Lunch break
- 14.15–15.30  
(Room: San Cristobal ABC) **Plenary**  
Continuation of the discussion of the Director-General’s Report
- 15.30–17.15  
(Room: P. de Valdivia A and B) **Dialogue 1**  
– **Lessons from the crisis: Public policies and the role of the social partners in efforts to promote recovery with decent work**  
Moderator: Mr Guillermo Miranda, Deputy Regional Director for the Coordination of Policies and Programmes of the ILO Regional Office for Latin America and the Caribbean  
Panellists:
  - Government representatives:
    - Ms Lisa Raitt, Minister of Labour, Canada
    - Mr Carlos Tomada, Minister of Labour, Employment and Social Security, Argentina
    - Mr Max Puig, Minister of Labour, Dominican Republic
    - Mr Stanley Gacek, International Relations, Department of Labor, United States
  - Employer representative: Ms Ronnie Goldberg, USCIB, United States
  - Worker representative: Mr Víctor Báez, CSADialogue open to the floor
- 17.15–17.45 Coffee break
- 17.45–19.30  
(Room: P. de Valdivia A and B) **Dialogue 2**  
– **The Global Wage Report 2010**  
Moderator: Ms Manuela Tomei, Director, TRAVAIL, ILO Geneva  
Presentation by Mr Andrés Marinakis, Specialist in market policies and labour institutions, ILO Santiago – Wage report for Latin America and the Caribbean  
Special guest: Professor SU Hainan, Wages Specialist, Ministry of Human Resources and Social Security, China  
Panellists:
  - Government representatives:
    - Ms Victoria Marina Velásquez de Avilés, Minister of Labour, El Salvador
    - Mr Jaime Domingo López Buitrón, Undersecretary for Labour and Social Protection, Mexico
    - Mr Nelson Loustaunau, Undersecretary, Minister of Labour and Social Security, Uruguay

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- Employer representative: Mr Alfonso Swett Opazo, USEC, Chile
    - Worker representative: Mr Joao Felicio, CUT, Brazil

Dialogue open to the floor
  - 19.30 Meeting of the Drafting Committee for the conclusions  
(Room: P. de Valdivia C)
  - 20.00 Reception hosted by the Director-General of the ILO  
Place: *ENOTECA*
- Thursday, 16 December 2010**
- 09.00–10.00 Group meetings  
(Rooms: P. de Valdivia A and C)
  - 10.00–12.30 **Plenary**  
(Room: San Cristobal ABC) Continuation of the discussion of the Director-General’s Report
  - 12.30–14.15 Lunch break
  - 14.15–15.15 **Plenary**  
(Room: San Cristobal ABC) Continuation of the discussion of the Director-General’s Report
  - 15.15–17.00 **Dialogue 3**  
(Room: P. de Valdivia A and B) – **The challenge of social protection for all**  
Moderator: Mr Virgilio Levaggi, Director, Decent Work Technical Support Team and ILO Country Office for Central America  
Panellists:
    - Government representatives:
      - Ms Camila Merino, Minister of Labour and Social Protection, Chile
      - Ms Esther Byer-Suckoo, Minister of Labour, Barbados
      - Ms Manuela Esperanza García Cochagne, Minister of Labour and Promotion of Employment, Peru
    - Employer representative: Mr Brian Burkett, Heenan Blaikie LLP, Canada (*to be confirmed*)
    - Worker representative: Mr Guillermo Zucotti, CGTRA, Argentina

Dialogue open to the floor
  - 17.00–17.30 Coffee break
  - 17.30–19.15 **Dialogue 4**  
(Room: P. de Valdivia A and B) – **New trends in South–South cooperation**  
Moderator: Ms Lais Abramo, Director, ILO Office for Brazil  
Presentation on the 2010 South–South Exhibition by Ms Gerardina González, Director, EXREL, Geneva  
Panellists:
    - Government representatives:
      - Mr Raúl Mongelós, Deputy Minister of Labour and Social Security, Paraguay
      - Mr Márcio Correa, Coordinator of Multilateral Technical Cooperation, Brazilian Cooperation Agency, Brazil
      - Ms Cristina Lazo, Director, AGCI, Chile

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- Employer representative: Mr Ricardo Briceño, CONFIEP, Peru
  - Worker representative: Ms Amanda Villatoro, CSA
- Dialogue open to the floor

19.15

(Room: P. de Valdivia C)

Meeting of the Drafting Committee for the conclusions

### **Friday, 17 December 2010**

09.00–11.00

(Rooms: P. de Valdivia A and C)

Group meetings

11.00–11.30

Coffee break

11.30–13.00

#### **Plenary**

(Room: San Cristobal ABC)

- Adoption of the Report, conclusions and possible resolutions of the Meeting, and noting of the report of the Credentials Committee

#### **Closing ceremony**

- Government Vice-Chairperson of the Regional Meeting
- Employer Vice-Chairperson of the Regional Meeting
- Worker Vice-Chairperson of the Regional Meeting
- Chairperson of the Regional Meeting
- Secretary-General of the Regional Meeting