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The contribution of Employers' Organisations from Moldova to combating child labour is stated in the Report of the Director General of the ILO, presented in Lisbon

The initiative of the Agricultural Employers' Organisation in combating child labour in Moldova has been reported as particularly successful by the Director General of the International Labour Organisation (ILO) in the report which has been recently presented in Lisbon, Portugal, at the 8<sup>th</sup> European Regional Meeting.

The Project on combating child labour in Moldova, promoted by the National Federation of Employers in Agriculture and the Food Industry (FNPAIA) with technical assistance from the ILO-ACT/EMP and financial support from the Government of Norway, was stated in the Report "Towards Decent Work Outcomes: A Review of ILO Work for 2005-08" as an initiative in the subregion when employers' organizations have been directly involved in the issue.

"The FNPAIA showed serious commitment to the project, working hard to ensure that the code, which was developed and endorsed by the Council of the Federation, gained acceptance not only among its members, but also with educational institutions, local government officers and trade unions", reads the Report presented in Lisbon.

The European Regional Meeting is held by the ILO every four years and brings together political and economic actors from countries of the region. The Prime-minister of the Republic of Moldova Zinaida Greceanîi attended the 8th Regional Meeting of the ILO.

The Report "Towards Decent Work Outcomes: A Review of ILO Work for 2005-08" is accessible in English:

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