

# Summary of the Multilateral Labour Affairs Evaluation

## 2010 – 2016

The Program represents the Government of Canada in international labour forums and facilitates domestic labour-related discussions.



### KEY FINDINGS

The Program effectively supported the Government of Canada in advancing international and domestic labour standards by:

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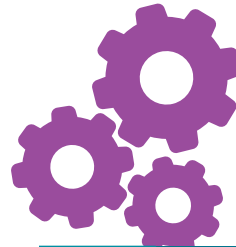
coordinating Canada's ratification of four International Labour Organization conventions

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facilitating various processes of consultations with government, employer, and worker entities to develop Canada's positions at the international level

3

Reporting on Canada's progress in meeting its international obligations, including facilitating solutions to complaints made to the International Labour Organization by Canadian workers' organizations.



### CHALLENGES

Shortage of resources in order to balance its international and domestic obligations.

Receipt of timely input from provincial, territorial and federal government departments to meet various international timelines.



### RECOMMENDATIONS

- Conduct a thorough assessment of its resource requirements to ensure that the Program is meeting its broader mandate including representing Canada at appropriate level(s) in international forums.
- Improve communications with various Canadian stakeholders to ensure timely and complete reporting to the International Labour Organization.

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