

Outline of the submission

1. Nature of the document (select one) – Policy Framework/ Guideline/Tool: **Guideline**
2. Scope of application (select one) – National application/ International application:

International application

3. Usage (select one) – Mandatory / Voluntary: **Mandatory**
4. Target users (select one) – Public policy / Private sector: **Public policy**
5. Specificity (select one) – Sector specific / multiple sectors/ broad. If sector specific: **broad**
6. Elements covered - Impact assessments; Stakeholder consultation/engagement; Economic diversification; Job creation; Training, re-training, retooling, and reskilling; Social protection; Other (please explain): **Stakeholder consultation/engagement; Social protection; Financing.**
7. Short summary (max 300 words)

The document details the demands/contributions of the trade union movement for COP28 in Dubai, highlighting the importance of a just transition in the context of climate change. Just transition aims to ensure that the working class is not disadvantaged in the transition to a low-carbon economy, with an emphasis on active worker participation in policy formulation and implementation.

The Just Transition Work Program (JTWP) is a crucial initiative that must be implemented, with a focus on the labor dimension. This involves collaboration between workers, unions, employers and governments, respecting human and labor rights. Social protection is fundamental in this context, ensuring that workers are safe from the consequences of climate change.

Furthermore, the trade union movement demands the gradual and well-managed elimination of the use of fossil fuels. COP28 offers vital opportunities to take action and achieve the goals of the Paris Agreement, with agenda items such as Global Balance, the MWP and the Glasgow-Sharm el-Sheikh Program of Work on the Global Adaptation Goal.

With regard to financing the fight against climate change, COP28 is an opportunity to advance in the definition of the New Quantified Collective Objective (NCQG). The union movement demands that the global value be based on real climate needs and that financing agreements include just transition standards for workers.

In short, the trade union movement plays a crucial role in promoting the just transition and ensuring that workers are not left behind in the fight against climate change. COP28 represents a vital opportunity to set clear guidelines and solid commitments to achieve climate justice and ensure a sustainable future for all.

8. Attached document