

Statement of Interpretation on Article 2§4

When it examined the first governmental reports submitted, the Committee observed that it would be impossible to state whether or not a Contracting Party which had accepted this provision fulfilled the obligations deriving from it unless that country supplied adequate information in its two-yearly reports, in particular on:

- (i) occupations considered dangerous or unhealthy under the country's regulations;
- (ii) the rules in national legislation, collective agreements or general practice governing reduced working hours;
- (iii) in view of Article 33 of the Charter, the proportion of workers to whom the standards mentioned in point (ii) above did not apply.