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International Society for Labour Law and Social Security XVIII World Congress of ISL&SSL, Paris, September 2006

The XVIII World Congress of ISL&SSL, is taken place France- Paris, 5-8 September 2006. The meetings are been held in Sorbone and Maubert Mutalite. Reports of 71 national reports from national associations have been reported: 22 on item I, 27 on item II and 22 on item III. Below is a list of countries which have give reports:

THEME I: Argentina, Austria, Bolivia, Brazil, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Croatia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Finland, France, Honduras, Japan, Mexico, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Peru, Sweden, Turkey, United Kindgom, United States and Uruguay.

THEME II : Argentina, Australia, Austria, Brazil, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Israel, Japan, Mexico, the Netherlands, Peru, Poland, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Turkey and the United Kingdom.

THEME III: Agentina, Australia, Austria, Brazil, Bosnia and Herzegovina Canada, Chile, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Israel, Morocco, Mexico, New Zealand, Peru, Slovenia, Sweden, Turkey, Uruguay and Venezuela.

Programme at a glance:

Monday, 4 September: Meeting of the International Association of Labour Law Journals, at Panthéon-Sorbonne, 12 Place Pantheon 75005 PARIS, Room 2, second floor,

Tuesday, 5 September: 9 am - 1 pm: Meeting of the Executive Committee, at the Palais de la Mutualité.

2 pm - 6 pm: Professional meetings at the Palais de la Mutualité. It was three meetings, respectively for labour law practitioners, judges and labour administrators. It was organized respectively by the European Association of Labour Court Judges, the Bar of Paris (for labour law practitioners) and the Institut du Travail, Lyons (for labour administrators)

4 pm - 5.30 pm: Registrations at registration desk, Palais de la Mutualité.

6 pm - 7.30 pm: Opening Ceremony of the Congress, Grand Amphithéâtre of the Sorbonne; followed by the traditional welcome cocktail.

Wednesday, 6 to Friday 8: Congress, with plenary sittings in the morning and wor-

kshops in the afternoon. The Round Table is on Thursday 7, from 5 pm to 7 pm. Also, on Friday 8 it was hold the General Assembly of ISL&SSL from 2 pm to 2.30 pm.

Interpretation:

Interpretation was into English, French, Spanish and German at the opening ceremony, all plenary sittings, the Round Table and one workshop every day.

Social activities:

Tuesday, 5 September: Welcome Cocktail at la Sorbonne

Wednesday, 6 September: Cocktail at Maubert Mutalite

Thursday, 7 September: Cocktail-Dinner offered by the Mairie de Paris, at Palais Brognart (old Stock Exchange)

Friday, 8 September: Congress Cocktail-Dinner (Cite Paris)

Theme:

Theme I: Trade Liberalization and the Labour Law.

General Reporter: Lance Compa, USA

Discussants: Luis Lizama Portal (Chile), Alain Supiot (France), C.Kollonay Lehoczky (Hungary), Aiqing Zheng (China)

Theme II: Labour law (in its individual and collective aspects) and productive decentralization

General co-reporters: Raffaele de Luca Tamajo and Adalberto Perulli (Italy)

Discussants: Y. Mizumachi (Japan) - Eduardo Ameglio (Uruguay), Spiros Simitis (Germany)

Theme III: Occupational risks: social protection and employer's liability

General co-reporters, Ann Numhauser-Henning (Sweden) and Aminata Cissé (Senegal)

Discussant: Steve Adler (Israel)

Round table: What future for statutory regulation in the field of labour law?

Moderator: Catherine Barnard, UK

Panellists: Ron Mc Callun (Australia), Oscar Hernandez Alvarez (Venezuela), Michael Lynk (Canada), Hélène Masse-Dessen (France)

The main purpose of ISL&SSL is to stimulate the exchange of ideas and experiences to Labour Law and Social Security.