

Proposed for ongoing consideration

A. Africa

Central African Republic – SATPC	Documentation to judge democratic and representative character has been requested but not yet received.
Côte d'Ivoire – U.NA.Tr.Cl	The secretariat has tried to collect additional information about the representative character of this organisation. This exploration will continue, in close cooperation with ITUC Africa.
Guinea – COSATREG	The Secretariat has tried to collect additional information about the representative character of this organisation. This exploration will continue, in close cooperation with ITUC Africa.
Kenya – TUC-KE	Despite earlier messages from our existing affiliate in Kenya – COTU – that merger talks were ongoing, TUC-Ke reports that no merger engagements have been made so far, although both organisations are working closely together. This will help create a climate that stimulates a possible amalgamation.
Mauritius – AEC	Administrative process ongoing.
South Africa – SAFTU	Administrative process ongoing. Once the requested information has been received, a mission will be organised, also to consult the existing affiliates in South Africa.
Tunisia – CGTT	The Secretariat had serious doubts on the democratic character of CGTT and has asked the organisation to improve the election process in their professional federations, towards meeting the ITUC criteria for affiliation.
Zambia – FTUZ	Negotiations on a unification with our existing affiliate ZCTU are ongoing. The secretariat is optimistic about a positive result.

B. Americas

Jamaica – NWU	Due to changes in the leadership of NWU Jamaica it has not yet fulfilled all administrative obligations. TUCA has a positive opinion about their affiliation request and is supporting NWU to deliver the requested documentation that would enable us to propose them for affiliation.
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C. Asia-Pacific

Bangladesh – BFWS	ITUC-AP requested more time to prepare a joint ITUC/ITUC-AP mission to Bangladesh to identify whether these organisations would meet the ITUC affiliation criteria and to consult the existing affiliates in the country.
Bangladesh – JSF	
Israel – Koach La'Ovdim (Power to the Workers)	A mission in 2016 concluded that this organisation can be considered as a democratic and independent national trade union structure, but there were serious doubts on their representative character. Despite our request we have not yet received an update on their membership figures.
Jordan – FITU	After a long period of internal conflicts, this organisation is now regrouping and developing in a positive way. During a recent meeting with the FITU leadership, the ITUC secretariat has encouraged them to continue in that direction and asked them to keep us informed about their development in membership and results achieved.
Palestine – GFITUP	Administrative process ongoing – if the requested information is not received before 31 March 2018 they would be considered as no longer interested in ITUC affiliation.
Sri Lanka – Sri Lanka Plantation Employees Union	Administrative process ongoing – if the requested information is not received before 31 March 2018 they would be considered as no longer interested in ITUC affiliation.
Vietnam – VLF	In the past VLF operated mainly from outside Vietnam. Since a few years the VLF is creating structures, mainly in textile and shoe factories. At this moment their representative character is insufficient to consider affiliation to the ITUC.

D. Europe

France – FSU	Our existing affiliates are not in agreement on the question as to whether FSU can be considered as a national trade union confederation. Education International considers FSU as a pure sector union in Education. Further consultations are needed.
Slovakia – NKOS	NKOS is Associated Organisation since many years and has asked for full membership of the ITUC. However, their representative character has not improved during the past years. It is therefore proposed to maintain their status of Associated organisation.
Tajikistan – FTuiT	This organisation has passed a period of instability with two major changes in its leadership during the last few years. The secretariat will continue to collect all relevant information.
Ukraine – Federation of Trade Unions of Workers in SMEs	The existing affiliates in Ukraine have a critical view on this Federation and have serious doubts on its representative character. The Secretariat will continue to collect relevant information.