

## **Resolution No.2**

### **PAKISTAN: FEDERAL INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS ACT 2012**

The 8<sup>th</sup> ITUC-AP Regional General Council Meeting held in Amman, Jordan, on 2 - 3 November 2012:

- WELCOMES** the Government of Pakistan initiative for the enactment of Federal Industrial Relations Act 2012 and the existence of the Regulating Authority the National Industrial Relations Commission (NIRC) intact;
- NOTES** that certain provisions of the IRA 2012 are not in conformity with the ILO Conventions 87 and 98 ratified by Government of Pakistan;
- URGES** that these provisions be brought in line with the ILO Conventions; and
- FURTHER URGES** that the capacity of NIRC be further strengthened for proper performance of its statutory role stipulated in the Industrial Relations Act.