

FIRST ITEM ON THE AGENDA

## **Appointment of the Director-General**

On the expiry of the date for the presentation of candidatures for the post of Director-General of ILO, at 11 a.m. on 24 February 2003, the Chairperson of the Governing Body had received only one candidature, presented by the Government of South Africa on behalf of the African Group, the Government of Argentina on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean Countries, the Government of India and the Government of Jordan, namely that of Mr. Juan Somavia, Chile.

Geneva, 28 February 2003.

Submitted for information.