- (2) to seek to reduce obstacles to the creation of new jobs:
 - by encouraging the development of industries and services in response to demand and technological change, including in innovative small and medium-sized businesses;
 - by encouraging the efficient working of the labour market;
 - by encouraging the improvement and extension of job training;
 - by encouraging flexibility in the patterns of working time;
 - and by discouraging measures to preserve obsolescent production and technology;
 - (3) to support and strengthen work in the appropriate international organisations, notably the OECD, on increasing understanding of the sources and patterns of economic change, and on improving economic efficiency and