

**AGREEMENT ON LABOUR COOPERATION**  
**BETWEEN**  
**CANADA**  
**AND**  
**HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN**

**CANADA** and **THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN** (Jordan)  
hereinafter referred to as the "Parties":

**RECALLING** their desire in the *Free Trade Agreement between Canada and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan* (CJFTA) to:

- protect, enhance and enforce basic workers' rights;
- strengthen cooperation on labour matters; and
- build on their respective international commitments on labour matters;

**SEEKING** to complement the economic opportunities created by the CJFTA with human resource development, protection of basic workers' rights, labour-management cooperation and continuous learning that characterize high-productivity economies;

**REAFFIRMING** the obligations of both countries as members of the International Labour Organization (ILO) and their commitments to the *ILO Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work* and its Follow-Up (1998) (ILO 1998 Declaration);

**AFFIRMING** their continuing respect for each other's Constitution and law;

**DESIRING** to build on their respective international commitments;