

Common Space, Berlin, Friday 30 June 2017

Reporting template 2017 Common Space Focus Sessions	
Focus Session theme:	Focus Session 6: Mechanism for Recruitment of Migrant Workers
<p>1. What concrete mechanisms¹ exist, existed or might be developed that can achieve “safe, orderly and regular migration” within the theme of this focus session? Please name 3 to 4 mechanisms.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Particular <u>resource</u>: what mechanisms if any does the Sutherland Report suggest in this regard? 	
<p><i>(If possible, please detail the stakeholders involved in this mechanism, and - if it is being implemented - please include country/region of implementation. If mechanisms are mentioned that should be omitted because they go against the principles of ‘safe, orderly and regular’, feel free to also take note of them).</i></p>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Develop and fully implement national/local legislative frameworks to translate global and national commitments to concrete actions Regulate the activities of recruitment agencies and agents and ensure the elimination of recruitment fees and hidden costs Provide education, training, information and awareness raising on ethical recruitment of migrant, including through on line mechanisms Promote relevant international standards, including the ILO principles and operational guidelines on fair recruitment. Develop ethical codes of recruitment/codes of conduct. Ensure that bilateral and multilateral government agreements promote ethical recruitment 	
<p>2. Is it possible to conceive timelines that the Global Compact on Migration might include for a few goals and targets that can increasingly implement such mechanisms for example, over 2, 5 and 12 years?</p>	
<p><i>(Here we are looking at practical next steps to achieve these mechanisms, in the short, mid and longer term. If mentioned, please list who should initiate these next steps).</i></p>	
<p>Yes, in order to monitor progress, but the group cautioned against rigid timelines.</p>	
<p>3. If your session could choose <u>one key message</u> to be conveyed in the plenary by the Grand Rapporteur, what would it be?</p>	
<p>Ensure the development and implementation of legislative frameworks and come up with effective regulatory mechanisms for recruitment agencies</p>	
<p>4. Additional comments, e.g. particular challenges or highlights worth mentioning? [optional]</p>	
<p>Provide adequate funding to ensure full implementation of the Global Compact commitments</p>	
<p>5. Inspirational quotes? [optional]</p>	

¹ Mechanisms” are policies, practices, programmes or partnerships that focus on *implementation*, not simply restating rights or commitments, that concretely help to achieve safe, orderly and regular migration and that either already exist, existed or can be developed. Mechanisms can be implemented individually or in partnerships among states or local authorities, civil society, private sector, international organisations, or several of the above, and they can be local, national, regional, global or multi-levelled.