



# 5TH GLOBAL CONFERENCE ON THE ELIMINATION OF CHILD LABOUR

DURBAN, 15-20 MAY 2022



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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **MEDIA ACCREDITATION FOR THE 5TH GLOBAL CONFERENCE ON THE ELIMINATION OF CHILD LABOUR**

South Africa will be hosting an international Child Labour Conference, as part of a larger effort to scale up action to end child labour.

The Government of South Africa, in collaboration with the International Labour Organization (ILO), will host the 5<sup>th</sup> Global Conference on the Elimination of Child Labour from May 15-20, 2022, at the International Convention Centre (ICC) in Durban, KwaZulu-Natal.

The conference will build on four previous Global Conferences, held in Buenos Aires (2017), Brasilia (2013), The Hague (2010), and Oslo (1997), which raised awareness of the issue, mobilised resources, and established a strategic direction for the global movement against child labour.

South Africa's hosting of the conference is consistent with SDG 8.7, which calls for the abolition of all forms of child labour by 2025 and the abolition of forced labour, modern slavery, and human trafficking by 2030.

Members of the media are invited to apply for accreditation to cover the 5<sup>th</sup> Global Conference on the Elimination of Child Labour. The accreditation deadline is Friday, 29 April 2022, at 12:00, Central African Time (CAT).

Please RSVP by sending your details on the attached template to [zeenat@gcis.gov.za](mailto:zeenat@gcis.gov.za)

Member of the media are also requested to send their broadcast plans and highlight their technical requirements for coverage. The technical requirements should be sent to Mr. Shadrack Mashalaba on Cell: +27 76 982 6821 or Email: [Shadrack.Mashalaba@labour.gov.za](mailto:Shadrack.Mashalaba@labour.gov.za)

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For more information about the conference, please visit the website: <https://www.5thchildlabourconf.org/en> and the agenda can be found on <https://www.5thchildlabourconf.org/en/agenda>

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