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Preliminary Migration Conference of the International Labour
Office held at Geneva 25 April - 9 May 1950 is given below:

- "l. Exchange of views on present position as regards migration and factors restricting its development:
 - (a) position as regards current emigration;
 - (b) manpower in Europe available for emigration; demands for manpower from immigration countries;
 - (c) I.L.O. activities to assist migration; activities of other international organizations in this field.
- 2. Measures necessary to organize migration on the

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international and national levels, in particular (a) methods of determining:

- (i) the number and qualifications of workers available for emigration;
- (ii) the number and qualifications of workers required by immigration countries.
- (b) appropriate methods for organising recruitment, selection, transport, reception, placement and settlement of migrant workers.
- 3. Migration and economic development:
 - (a) desirability of establishing machinery for promoting economic development with respect to both industrial and agricultural projects, taking into account needs for foreign manpower;
 - (b) technical assistance which international organisations can provide.
 - Financial basis for plans for economic development: advances and technical aid from international organisations: private capital investment."