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Position regarding the Practice of 'Employees Leasing'

The NCHR forwarded to the Greek government its concerns at the *raison d'être* itself and application of Law 2956/2001 which provides for the leasing of employees through 'offices of temporary employment' to various businesses in Greece. The NCHR stressed that the above form of employment contravenes in practice human and labour rights of the persons employed through this system. The NCHR also pointed to the necessity of strengthening the efficiency of the competent Body of Labour Inspectors, in charge of safeguarding the proper application of labour law in Greece.

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