IAWP’s Advocacy Work

2018-2024
IAWP’s Advocacy Approach

Engage membership

Workers education

Resources & Positions
Measuring Impact

Are members using our materials?
Are they having impact?

Are our materials and expertise referenced?
Are we impacting policy and practice?
Plastics Treaty

INC1: member states from 30 countries refer to waste pickers, but just transition not yet on the table.

INC2: More than 100 member states expressing need for just transition

INC3:
- Independent proposed article on just transition, and mention in other sections
- Member States agreed to list the terms waste pickers and just transition for definition.
- Waste pickers mentioned in the just transition article of the draft treaty text.

INC4: Broad support for just transition and waste pickers, with our demands repeated by member states.
460,000 waste pickers of IAWP: 51,195,425 tonnes eCO2/year
20 million waste pickers worldwide: 2,225,888,062 tonnes eCO2/year

Of the Nationally Determined Contributions, of the 198 countries that signed the Paris Accords, waste pickers globally contribute 4.3% of those emissions goals!
Gracias!
Thank you!
Merci!