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The Permanent Forum recommends that Member States strengthen and implement legal and institutional frameworks that recognize and protect the rights of Indigenous Peoples to their lands, territories and resources and ensure their participation in decision-making processes. Such frameworks should adhere to the Declaration and Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169) of the International Labour Organization, ensuring Indigenous Peoples' free, prior and informed consent when development, environment, biodiversity and climate change programmes and projects are conducted on their lands and territories.

Area of Work

Human Rights, Free, Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC), Climate Change, Economic and Social Development, Participation