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<p>Discrimination against Alien Workers with regard to Employment Injury Compensation</p>

The Commission recommended the abrogation of article 5 of Royal Decree of 24.07.1920 and of Law 551/1915 which condition employment injury compensation to alien workers on the norm of reciprocity or the alien worker's residence in Greece, in violation of, *inter alia*, fundamental social rights provisions of the Greek Constitution and relevant provisions of the 1966 International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights. The Commission recommended also the ratification by Greece of the 1964 *Employment Injury Benefits* Convention of ILO (No 121).

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