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Strengthening the Right to Food: Validating Labor, Security, and Justice Indicators in Honduras

From March 12 to 13, 2025, the Ministry of Human Rights (SEDH) invited representatives from the Ministries of Labor, Justice and Security, Infrastructure and Transport for a multi-sectoral dialogue on the Right to Food. Members from local governments, civil society, and NGOs were also invited to join in.

The two-day event aimed to validate existing human rights indicators and develop new ones, reflecting a rights-based approach to food security, nutrition, and access to food. Facilitated by the Observatory of Human Rights of SEDH, discussions focused on integrating perspectives from different sectors while aligning them with international best practices, ensuring they remain practical, inclusive, and adaptable to local realities. Participants assessed the relevance and feasibility of each indicator, proposing adjustments where needed to improve how progress on the right to food can be monitored and evaluated.

Overall, the event developed initial groundwork for evidence-based decision-making and policy implementation. The newly refined indicators will help government agencies systematically track progress, identify gaps, and promote transparency in advancing the right to food. This process not only supports stronger national policies but also aligns with Honduras's international commitments to human rights and sustainable development.

