Twenty years after its adoption, the Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169) of the International Labour Organization has become an important feature of the jurisprudence of Latin American courts concerning indigenous peoples' rights.

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