CONTINGENCY AND MODES OF REGULATION: THE CASE OF LABOUR STANDARDS IN THE NEW ZEALAND FISHING INDUSTRY

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BACKGROUND

- FCVs
- The GVC
- Conditions and abuse
- The outcry
- The result
WHY THE (MODEST) SUCCESS? SOME KEY ISSUES

• Egregious excesses

• Domestic mobilisation

• Location specific resources

• The governance of the GVC

• The “fifth column” in the NZ business model
SOME RELATED THOUGHTS

• From contingency to strategy?

• The continuing role of nation-states (inter-state collaboration?)

• The ILO’s missing “third leg”

• Supra-national regional organisations (potential or not?)

• Unions present but secondary

• Complexity