

The Right to Food Campaign in South Africa was established at a seminar organized by FIAN International (FoodFirst Action Network) in March 2003. Entitled 'From legislative framework to framework legislation: Implementing the Right to Food in South Africa', this seminar was attended by participants from a range of South African organisations to discuss approaches to implementing the right to food in this country. The organisations presents agreed that there is a need for a campaign to co-ordinate activities aimed at asserting and advancing the right to food.

The Campaign is making progress. Its Steering Committee has produced a one-page flyer describing the Campaign's objectives and its role in the realisation of the food in South Africa. This flyer has been (and continues to be) circulated widely for endorsement to a wide range of organisations interested and/or working in the field of food rights.