

UNESCO affirms Cuba supports peace education process

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Havana, May 30 (RHC)-- Cuban expert Margarita Mc Pherson intervened Tuesday at UNESCO headquarters in Paris, France, in the process to update the 1974 Recommendation, which seeks to strengthen education as a promoter of peace, cooperation and human rights.

The multilateral organization held four days of debates to promote consensus among member states on the adaptation of the Recommendation to the new times, with challenges that include the achievement of sustainable development.

"We consider Cuba's participation in the revision and updating process very important, because the main lines and approaches of the 1974 Recommendation are in tune with the positions defended by the island of an inclusive education for all life," the Education Ministry official explained to Prensa Latina news agency.

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She said that there is also coincidence in elements such as the integral formation of the new generations, personality development, human rights, global citizenship and sustainable development, "which are priorities of the Antillean nation", she emphasized.

He pointed out that this process contributes to the preparation in Cuba of a new Education Law and to management issues.

Mc Pherson said that his country has made proposals in areas ranging from history to the concepts of transformative education and education for sustainable development.

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