## ILAB TECHNICAL COOPERATION PROJECT SUMMARY

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<th><strong>PROJECT TITLE</strong></th>
<th><strong>PRIORITY RESEARCH TO SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ILO CONVENTION NO. 182</strong></th>
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<td><strong>REGION/COUNTRY</strong></td>
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<td><strong>PROJECT DURATION</strong></td>
<td>September 2002 – June 2007</td>
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<td><strong>FISCAL YEAR &amp; FUNDING LEVEL</strong></td>
<td>FY2002: $2,330,230</td>
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<td><strong>PROBLEM TO BE ADDRESSED</strong></td>
<td>Child labor research is a relatively new field and many information gaps need to be filled, particularly regarding the worst forms of child labor.</td>
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<td><strong>PROJECT OBJECTIVES</strong></td>
<td>1. Increase the knowledge base on child labor by filling gaps in the difficult to research areas of child labor; 2. Increase world-wide awareness of child labor and its causes and consequences; 3. Promotion of good policy practices and program development strategies for the successful implementation of ILO Conventions No. 182 and 138.</td>
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<td><strong>SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES</strong></td>
<td>• Conduct study on child labor and school attendance and performance; • Conduct economic study on child labor wages and productivity levels; • Conduct study on mechanisms of forced and bonded child labor (Niger, Ghana, Haiti, Pakistan); • Develop IPEC working paper series on topics of rising importance; • Perform good policy practice review and produce manual; • Concept paper on targeting the intolerable forms of child labor.</td>
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International Program on the Elimination of Child Labor (ILO-IPEC) |
| **IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS** | Reputable international and national research institutions |
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