

Based on the reporting above, the following actions would advance the reduction of the worst forms of child labor in Montserrat:

IN THE AREA OF COORDINATION AND ENFORCEMENT:

- Develop coordination and enforcement mechanisms to address the commercial sexual exploitation of children.

IN THE AREA OF POLICIES:

- Collect, analyze and disseminate information regarding the prevalence and nature of the commercial sexual exploitation of children to establish policies to address the problem.

IN THE AREA OF PROGRAMS:

- Assess the impact SCOT may have on addressing child labor, particularly commercial sexual exploitation.

⁶⁴³⁶ Jones and Jemmott, *Child Sexual Abuse in the Eastern Caribbean*, 198-199, 204.

⁶⁴³⁷ Government of Montserrat, *Employment Act*, article 4(1); available from http://labour.gov.ms/publications/Employment_Act.pdf, Government of Montserrat, *Employment Act*, (January 1, 2002); available from http://labour.gov.ms/publications/Employment_Act.pdf.

⁶⁴³⁸ Government of Montserrat, *Penal Code*, (January 1, 2008), articles 116, 125, 129; available from http://agc.gov.ms/wp-content/uploads/2010/02/penal_code.pdf.

⁶⁴³⁹ *Ibid.*, article 291.

⁶⁴⁴⁰ Government of Montserrat, *The Montserrat Constitution Order 1989*, (January 8, 1990), article 55; available from <http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukxi/1989/2401/contents/made>.

⁶⁴⁴¹ Government of Montserrat, *Penal Code*, articles 195-197.

⁶⁴⁴² UN Committee on the Rights of the Child, *Consideration of Reports: United Kingdom and Northern Ireland*. See also UNESCO, *EFA Global Monitoring Report*.

⁶⁴⁴³ U.S. Embassy- London, *reporting*, December 9, 2010.

Niue

Prevalence and Sectoral Distribution of the Worst Forms of Child Labor

There is no evidence that children in Niue are engaged in the worst forms of child labor.

Laws and Regulations on the Worst Forms of Child Labor

Information on minimum age laws was not identified. Trafficking in persons is a specific offense in Niue.⁶⁴⁴⁴ There is no military in Niue as defense is the responsibility of New Zealand.⁶⁴⁴⁵

Education in Niue is compulsory to age 16.⁶⁴⁴⁶ Research did not find complete information on the question of whether education is free.

Institutional Mechanisms for Coordination and Enforcement

As there is no evidence of a problem, there appears to be no need for a coordinating mechanism to address the worst forms of child labor.

Government Policies on the Worst Forms of Child Labor

As there is no evidence of a problem, there appears to be no need for policies to address the worst forms of child labor.

Social Programs to Eliminate or Prevent the Worst Forms of Child Labor

As there is no evidence of a problem, there appears to be no need for programs to address the worst forms of child labor.