Project Snapshot

Child Activity Survey - Sri Lanka

ILO TECHNICAL COOPERATION – CHILD LABOUR

	Duration: August 2008 – December 2009	
	Donor & Budget	Objective
	United States Department of	The survey was undertaken to inform policy
	Labour(USDOL)	planning and programme interventions by the
ts.		Government of Sri Lanka, the workers, the
ents		employers and other stakeholders who have an
Ĕ		interest in child rights and youth employment
SSI		related issues in general and the issue of child

labour in particular. Results and Outcomes

- Child Activity Survey collected information on child labour (including children in hazardous and worst forms of child labour), child economic activities in industries and occupations, broad age groups, broad levels of education, gender, rural/urban residency in the main part from information on child labour and HFCL;
- Sample size of 16,000 households for the entire country (excluding the Northern Province) was drawn for the survey.
- The Child Activity Survey 2008-09
 (http://www.statistics.gov.lk/samplesurvey/CAS200809FinalReport.pdf) was published by the Department of Census & Statistics, Ministry of Finance and Planning, Government of Sri Lanka.

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