TECHNICAL COOPERATION PROJECT SUMMARY

PROJECT TITLE	**STATISTICAL PROGRAM FOR THE ADVOCACY OF THE ELIMINATION OF CHILD LABOR IN BRAZIL**
ILAB PROGRAM	International Child Labor Technical Assistance/Statistical Information and Monitoring Program on Child Labor (SIMPOC)
REGION/COUNTRY	THE AMERICAS/Brazil
PROJECT DURATION	September 1999 – March 2004
FISCAL YEAR & FUNDING LEVEL	FY1999: USD 1,663,599
PROBLEM TO BE ADDRESSED	The lack of standardized national level data on child labor practices in Brazil.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES

Development Objective:
To contribute to the collection of reliable data to support effective interventions against child labor.

- At the end of the program, quantitative and qualitative data on child labor will have been collected, processed, analyzed and disseminated.

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES

Research Design:
Attached a child labor survey as a module to the National Household Survey Sample (PNAD). Socio-demographic and economic characteristics of Brazilians aged ten and above were collected using the PNAD.

- Administered a modular household survey to investigate child labor magnitude and practices in Brazil and inform related policy;
- Utilized data collected to develop national policy papers and IPEC country program priorities; and
- Repeated longitudinal surveys to maintain time series data on child labor practices.

PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS

Executing Agency
International Labor Organization's International Program on the Elimination of Child Labor (ILO-IPEC)

Implementing and Collaborating Agencies
Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics (IBGE); Ministry of Labor and Employment (MTE).

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