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Law Relating to Child Labour in India with Special Reference to the Unorganised Sector :Contemporary Issues and Challenge

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Abstract: Child labour remains a major social issue, particularly in developing countries like India. Despite stringent legal mechanisms to combat child labour, the problem persists, and this is particularly so in the unorganised sector, which constitutes a significant portion of the Indian economy. This paper discusses the legal provisions regarding child labour in India with special reference to the unorganised sector. It further aims at determining the contemporary problems and challenges that hinder the proper enforcement of such laws. By a review of literature, an investigation of loopholes in existing policy, and an analysis of socio-economic factors contributing to child labor in the informal economy, this study is intended to provide a detailed analysis of the problem and recommend areas of improvement.

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