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Ministry of Employment and Social Affairs, Seychelles pledges to

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Description:

There are proposals of provisions on the employment of minors that were expected to be added to the Employment Bill. The process is a lengthy one and, with this pledge, the Department proposes to initiate consultations with stakeholders in order to discuss the proposals. Seychelles has no recorded cases of child labour to date. With these proposals, the Ministry is seeking to protect children from the worst forms of child labour and, through a short documentary, create awareness of the dangers associated with it.

Implementation plan:

The action plan will be implemented by having ongoing monthly actions such as TV spots, Facebook posts to raise awareness of child labour and the efforts of Seychelles so far in combating it, as well as organising consultations which will take place during the last quarter of the year.

Impact:

By joining the Child Labour Platform, the Ministry of Employment and Social Affairs expects to protect the general safety of children and ensure their rights as citizens.

Website, Facebook