

Evaluation of National Child Labour Project in the states of West Bengal (five districts) and Assam

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IDSK has been entrusted to conduct an evaluation study of *National Child Labour Project (NCLP) in the districts of West Bengal and Assam* by the Ministry of Labour and Employment, Government of India through its autonomous body, the V.V. Giri National Labour Institute, Noida, Uttar Pradesh.

The study covered Kolkata and districts of North Dinajpur, South Dinajpur, South 24 Parganas and Malda of West Bengal and Nagaon district of Assam. The purpose of the evaluation was to make a quick assessment of the functioning of the NCLPs while locating the role of Special Schools in the elimination of child labour and the working of the project societies.

The evaluation was mainly based on the primary data collected at district, project society, special schools and community levels. The report was sent to the V.V. Giri National Labour Institute, Noida in February 2008.