

Youth Exploitation  
1997-1998  
The Marquis Project

The Marquis Project engaged in various activities concerning the issue of Child Labour and Youth Exploitations with a final objective of preparing a policy paper on the topic. The activities included a youth seminar in Brandon, Manitoba on the linkage between youth exploitation and poverty, and a youth assembly at Brandon University.

Recommendations:

- give priority to funding education and programs that promote the rights of the child;
- provide funding for non-profit organisations to work on co-operative micro-enterprise schemes;
- pressure Canadian companies operating in developing countries to not violate basic human rights;
- withdraw trade concessions for countries that continually tolerate youth exploitation.