

The Primary Policy of Protecting Environment and Children Everywhere (PEaCE) / ECPAT Sri Lanka

The UN Convention on the Rights of the Child is upheld by PEaCE, an organisation that puts children first. PEaCE is committed to achieving children's rights in all spheres. It works to safeguard children from all types of abuse and exploitation, with a primary focus on putting an end to child sexual exploitation and abuse. We respect individual differences and acknowledge that every child is unique. PEaCE understands that it has a duty to perform its duties as effectively and efficiently as possible. We also stress the importance of being transparent, accountable, and responsive to all of our stakeholders, such as children, parents, the community, and other duty bearers.

Our top priority is being and acting as an organisation that protects children from all forms of exploitation and abuse. Transparency and accountability are supported and promoted by our organisational policies, procedures, and code of conduct at all levels.

All of our stakeholders, especially the children, who are our primary right holders, have expectations and rights that must be met. This includes those within the supply chain, networks, and stakeholder groups. The key policies that govern our network, board of directors, staff, consultants, and volunteers are outlined in our child safeguarding policy. They must sign to confirm that they have read, comprehended, and accepted the terms of these policies.