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Q5(e)

Do you think that law has been able to abolish child labour in India? Comment.

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2025 · Sociology GS 2 · 10 marks · Industrialization and Urbanisation in India

Industrialization and Urbanisation in India: Evolution of modern industry in India; Growth of urban settlements in India; Working class: structure, growth, class mobilization; Informal sector, child labour; Slums and deprivation in urban areas.

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CLPR Amendment 2016

Complete ban on child labour under 14 except family enterprises outside school hours; hazardous work ban for adolescents.

RTE 2009

Right to free and compulsory education for 6-14; the schooling counterpart to labour bans.

Family enterprise clause

The legal opening through which much agricultural and artisanal child work is recoded as help.

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