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ABBREVIATIONS

CAAC	Children Affected by Armed Conflict
CAAFAG	Children Associated With Armed Forces and Armed Groups
CAAFAG WG	Children Associated with Armed Forces and Armed Groups, Working Groups
CPA	Comprehensive Peace Agreement
CPN-M	Communist Party of Nepal-Maoist
CWIN	Child Workers in Nepal
HRW	Human Rights Watch
INGO	International Non-Government Organization
INSEC	Informal Sector Service Center
ISK	Indreni Samaj Kendra
NGO	Non-Government Organization
TPO	Transcultural Psychological Organization
UN	United Nations
UNICEF	United Nations International Children Education Fund
UNMIN	United Nations Mission in Nepal
OCHA	Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs
SAAG	South Asia Analysis Group

QUESTIONNAIRES

Interview Schedule

Age at joining-

Religion-

Current age-

Marital status-

Caste/Ethnicity-

District-

Education-

Years at joining-

1. How did you become associated with the Maoists force?
2. What factor motivated you to join the Maoists?
3. What were your duties, roles or responsibilities?
4. Why did you return?

If Cantonment,

5. What kinds of work did you have to perform?
6. Describe about your experiences there.
7. Why did you decided to return?

Returning family and society

8. How was your experience of returning home?
9. What was your family and friends reaction when you met them?
10. How often did you interact with your family and friends?
11. What kind of changes did you notice in your family members towards you?

12. What kinds of change did you find in your friends, teachers or community people towards you?

13. How often did you meet your fellow combatants/motivators/party members?

14. How did you cope in any situation that came to you?

15. What kinds of risks or challenges did you have to face?

About NGO

16. How did you come to know about the NGO?

17. What kinds of challenges did you face while you were engaged with the NGOs activity?

18. Which program did you choose and why?

Education ()

Vocational Training/Income generation ()

19. What other services did you receive?

Medical support ()

Girls special support ()

Psychosocial Counseling ()

Gender issues ()

20. Trainings

Peace building training ()

HIV/AIDS prevention program ()

Child rights protection orientation () Mothers Group Orientation ()

Psychosocial training ()

Child/Youth club orientation ()

Sensitization or community-awareness ()

21. How long did you take these services?

Once a year (first phase)

three times (first to third phase)

Two times (second phase)

four times (first to fourth phase)

22. How have these supports helped you?

23. Which of the above mention trainings help you improve your situation? If yes, which one?

24. Did you face any kinds of risks or challenges during the program period? If yes, then from whom?

25. How did you cope with the situation?

26. What kinds of challenges are you facing at present?

27 How would you solve it?

VT/IG program

28. Have you make use of the support that you have received?

29. Where do you work? How much are you paid?

30. How do you spend your earning?

31. In future, what would you wish to do?