

Checklist **Criminalization of Trafficking under the Protocol**

Article 3(a) of the Trafficking in Persons Protocol sets out the following elements:

(a) **Acts** (what is done)

- i. Recruitment
- ii. Transportation
- iii. Transfer
- iv. Harboring
- v. Receipt of persons

(b) **Means** (how it is done)

- i. Use of force
- ii. Threat of the use of force
- iii. Other forms of coercion
- iv. Abduction
- v. Fraud
- vi. Deception
- vii. Abuse of power or of a position of vulnerability
- viii. Giving or receiving payments or benefits to achieve the consent of a person having control over another.

(c) **Purpose** (why it is done)

- i. Prostitution
- ii. Other forms of sexual exploitation
- iii. Forced labour or services
- iv. Slavery
- v. Practices similar to slavery
- vi. Servitude
- vii. Removal of organs