

Exhibit 3.6
Categories of American Youth Victimized by Sexual Exploitation¹

Categories of Sexually Exploited Youth		Operational Definitions
Group A: Sexually Exploited Children Not Living in Their Own Homes		
1.	<i>Runaway Youth From Home</i>	Youth under the age of 18 years who absent themselves from home or place of residence without the permission of parents or legal guardians and who, as a result of running away, are prone to becoming victims of sexual exploitation
2.	<i>Runaway Youth From Institutions</i>	Youth under the age of 18 years who absent themselves without permission from selected youth-serving institutions including: group foster homes, juvenile facilities, correctional institutions, hospitals or wards for the chronically ill, mental hospitals, and other institutions
3.	<i>Throwaway Youth</i>	Youth under the age of 18 years who either are abandoned or are forced to leave their homes by parents or guardians, and are not permitted to return and who, because of their vulnerable economic status, are prone to becoming victims of sexual exploitation
4.	<i>Homeless Children (Not Elsewhere Counted)</i>	Youth not counted under runaways or throwaways who are homeless and who, because of their social and economic status are vulnerable to sexual exploitation
Group B: Sexually Exploited Children Living in Their Own Homes		
5.	<i>Children Ages 10-17 Living in the General Population</i>	Children between the ages of 10 and 17 years living in the general population who become victims of sexual exploitation
6.	<i>Children Ages 10-17 Living in Public Housing</i>	Children between the ages of 10 and 17 years living in public housing who become victims of sexual exploitation
Group C: Other Groups of Sexually Exploited Children		
7.	<i>Female Gang Members</i>	This group includes approximately 27,000 girls between the ages of 10 and 17 years who are members of identifiable gangs—some portion of whom become victims of sexual exploitation as a result of their gang membership
8.	<i>Transgender Street Youth</i>	A broad category of sexually exploited youth who identify themselves as members of the opposite sex to which they were born. This includes male>female, female>male, and youth born with the sex organs of both genders.
Group D: The International Dimensions of CSE in the U.S.: U.S. Children and Youth Traveling Abroad and Foreign Children Traveling to the U.S. For Sexual Purposes		
9.	<i>Foreign Children Ages 10-17 Brought Into the U.S. Legally Who Become Victims of Sexual Exploitation</i>	Includes all children brought into the U.S. legally as extended family members, as <i>au pairs</i> to the private households and to the business and diplomatic communities and, who, in due course, become victims of sexual exploitation
10.	<i>Foreign Children Ages 10-17 Brought Into the U.S. Illegally Who Become Victims of Sexual Exploitation</i>	Includes all children smuggled or otherwise brought into the U.S. illegally (often in economic or sexual servitude to their smugglers/traffickers)

¹ The 17 categories of sexually exploited children listed here exclude the more than 105,000 children who annually are *substantiated* or *indicated* to be victims of child sexual assault and child sexual assault.

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11.	<i>Unaccompanied Minors Entering the U.S. On Their Own Who Become Victims of Sexual Exploitation</i>	Includes children who, on their own, enter the U.S. and become victims of sexual exploitation
12.	<i>Non-Immigrant Canadian and Mexican Children Ages 10-17 Crossing Into the U.S. For Sexual Purposes</i>	Includes all Canadian and Mexican youth who enter the U.S. on a more or less casual basis and who, while in the U.S., engage in sexually exploitative activities
13.	<i>U.S. Youth Ages 13-17 Living Within Driving Distance to a Mexican or Canadian City</i>	Includes American youth living in cities and towns in close proximity to Mexico or Canada who cross into these countries in pursuit of sex
14.	<i>Non-Immigrant U.S. Youth Ages 13-17 Trafficked From the U.S. to Other Countries For Sexual Purposes</i>	Includes youth between the ages of 13 and 17 years who travel outside the U.S. to provide sexual services to the nationals of other countries
Group E: Children Exposed to On-Line Sexual Victimization (from Finkelhor et al., 2000)²		
15.	<i>Child Victims of Sexual Solicitations and Approaches Via the Internet</i>	Includes a percentage of children between the ages of 10 and 17 years who regularly surf the internet either at school or home
16.	<i>Child Victims of Unwanted Exposure to Sexual Materials Via the Internet</i>	Includes a percentage of children between the ages of 10 and 17 years who regularly surf the internet either at school or home
17.	<i>Child Victims of Sexual Harassment Via the Internet</i>	Includes a percentage of children between the ages of 10 and 17 years who regularly surf the internet either at school or home

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² The “on-line” sexual victimization of children was not a formal part of the current investigation. However, the use of the internet by predators to elicit sex from children illustrates the continuum that exists between child sexual abuse, child sexual assaults and child sexual exploitation that very much is at the heart of this investigation. Hence, the data collected by Finkelhor and his colleagues on children exposed to on-line sexual victimization are reported here but their numbers are not included in our more focused estimates of the overall incidence of either CSE or the CSEC.