

The Children Rights at Egypt

The **Egyptian Constitution** says in **Article (80)**

At Part III in Constitution (Public Rights, Freedoms & Duties)

Anyone under the age of **18** shall be considered a **child**. Each child shall have the right to a **name, identity documents, free compulsory vaccination, health and family or alternative care, basic nutrition, safe shelter, religious education, and emotional and cognitive development**.

The State shall ensure **the rights** of children with **disabilities**, their **rehabilitation** and their **integration** in the society.

The State shall provide children with **care** and **protection** from all forms of **violence, abuse, mistreatment** and **commercial and sexual exploitation**.

Every child shall be entitled to acquire **early education** in a childhood center until the age of six.

It is **prohibited to employ children** before the age of completing their **preparatory education** (six years of primary and three years of preparatory) or in jobs which subject them to danger.

The State shall also develop a **judicial system** for children that have been victims and or are witnesses. Children may not be held criminally accountable or detained save as provided in the Law and for the period of time specified therein. In such a case, they shall be provided with legal assistance and detained in **appropriate locations** separate from those allocated for the detention of adults.

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That was **Article (80)** in the Egyptian Constitution which talk about the children rights in Egypt Actually this article looks perfect and any one reads it will imagine that all Egyptian children are in heaven and all of them take all rights which said in International Convention.

And therefore There is no different between the children in Egypt and Those in Europe and USA But unfortunately that's not true.

The Reality

about that situation that almost some of those rights are taken in considers well any mother have baby once that baby is born they go to give him a **name** and **identity documents** as the constitution states.

There is a **free compulsory vaccination** the country provides for children once it has identity documents. But where is the **basic nutrition, safe shelter, religious education, and emotional and cognitive development**. Those also things said in the constitution!

They apply things which gone make child life but the child won't have a good life children will suffer a lot and will be negative citizens in the near future.

The State shall ensure **the rights** of children with **disabilities**, their **rehabilitation** and their **integration** in the society. That's what constitution says, so that's mean we have place for service of disables like schools and hospitals well this really exist but in small ratio so that government can't apply this article completely it apply part from as it can help all the disables in general.

The State shall provide children with **care** and **protection** from all forms of **violence, abuse, mistreatment** and **commercial** and **sexual exploitation**.

That's can't be true. We have lots of crimes about children and about 18% of those crimes is from sexual exploitation. There is lots of violence for children in general what ever child's social state if he in school or street even in club. In schools the government puts some law to stop use violence against them but that law not really applied.

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There is lots of crimes are committed by children that as a result of the dereliction of government in applying the rules which constitution says.

Well that judicial system is applied now and use for children who commits any crime they provide for them place to stay at (reformatory).

Law abiding

There is article put in constitution for children rights and government must apply this article with all of it's sections so government work and provided place for registration for new born babies and provided place in all country for free compulsory vaccination there is hospitals and schools for all children and government also support the disables in many ways by making them special schools. Also the state do her best to make children learn and go to schools so they provide schools all around the country and make laws to punish the parents whom won't let their children go to school and government do her best to protect the children from any way of abuse. And there is a work houses for children in Egypt who did any crime and they provide to them a good life at in order to go out to world as a better person.

Reality

Government did lots of things but that not enough as we here at Egypt still having lots of countries with any place to register the new baby so the parents need to travel to sign the baby and that take from them lots of time so the baby won't have his free compulsory vaccination on time and that make problem for that baby and also we still have lots of places doesn't have any hospitals or any medical service that make them suffer too much to give the baby the compulsory vaccination and about those children whom born disables they got very low level of care well government could go and provide us with lots of examples which was help free but that with a very small ratio they may help some but not every one and those some are very small number

just in order to be an example to provide to UNICEF and those international charities in order to keep Egypt in them. And about children early education is a must and those parents whom won't do that will be punished well that's a lie as we have about 26.1% illiteracy it that law really applied we would find like same ratio of parents punished because of this but we only have like little hundreds and those little number are also as examples to tell the world that we care about education of children but we also have places at Egypt don't have any near schools around. Well we got promised that we won't have any shape of abuse or violence against the children well we got law to stop violence against children in any organization as schools but this law isn't applied at all and no one got punished because of breaking it except very small number but the others still breaking this law. And about the children abuse we here at Egypt have this thing obvious for us all that there is abuse for lots of children and government hasn't made any move to stop that it just put a law and didn't apply it. We here at Egypt are now one of the biggest countries in children Trafficking and that against in law put in it that means that government doesn't do it work well. And we also have a very big number of cases about sexual exploitation. Well about work houses we have them and they already full with children who commits crimes but about the judge system for them any they life they live at that work house their life there is like a nightmare as they don't get any thing from their rights as other from education or health or nutrition or safe shelter as there is also crimes commit in work houses.

Last but not Least

Egypt is a country which have a place in most of international organization which provides adequate life for citizens so in order to stay in those organization and have their support Egypt need to obey it's law but make it in constitution and in our example here which talks about children and their rights we see that Egypt but laws and edit it as was requested from to do so. But we put law and apply them in some areas not all the country and got little number from those whom don't obey our law but we still have large number from those whom still don't obey those law so if Egypt want to put law government must work to apply them it's not just some ink on papers those laws need to be applied and make the reality just like imagination of any one who reads those laws and the constitution and imagine the life of people in this country. We not just put some laws to keep our place in organization as we get support from! We need to apply this rules by government to make our country better.

Thank you