ANTI-TRAFFICKING POLICY

All God's Children International (AGCI) provides adoption services at all times keeping paramount the best interests of children served. AGCI strictly forbids and discourages any practice or procedure related to the sale, exploitation, abduction or trafficking of children. AGCI acknowledges that compensation may be paid for legitimate adoption services, but strictly forbids any practice that consists of or is related to payment for a child or as inducement to release a child.

- 1. ACTIVE COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS AND STANDARDS AGCI strives to maintain the highest professional and ethical standards by observing all applicable laws and regulations in every state and country in which AGCI operates, and by embracing the ethical standards and procedural requirements created by the Hague Convention and the U.S. implementing regulations. AGCI directors, officers, and employees are expected to comply with all applicable professional standards and to fulfill their duties by adhering to the highest professional and ethical standards.
- 2. WORKING WITH OTHER AGENCIES AND PERSONS AGCI selects and works with partner agencies and other persons, in the U.S. and abroad, who AGCI believes will also observe the highest ethical and legal standards. AGCI strives to educate—by written agreements and other methods—partner agencies and persons regarding AGCI's ethical and legal expectations and requirements. AGCI regularly reviews the conduct of partner agencies and persons to ensure compliance with AGCI standards and practices. At all times, AGCI works within the established legal adoption framework in other countries of origin.
- 3. **PROHIBITION AGAINST CHILD-BUYING ACTIVITIES** AGCI will not work knowingly with any agency or person whom AGCI has reason to suspect has engaged in or is associated with the exploitation, sale, abduction or trafficking of children. AGCI will make all reasonable inquiries regarding partner agencies and persons. AGCI strictly forbids its own directors, officers and employees from engaging in activities that may be construed as connected with child sale or trafficking.

By signing below I commit to the adherence/practice of these policies and the reporting of any suspected abuse(s).		
PRINTED NAME OF VOLUNTEER	SIGNATURE OF VOLUNTEER	DATE