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# Child Sexual Violence is Preventable, Not Inevitable: Updates on Global Prevention Efforts

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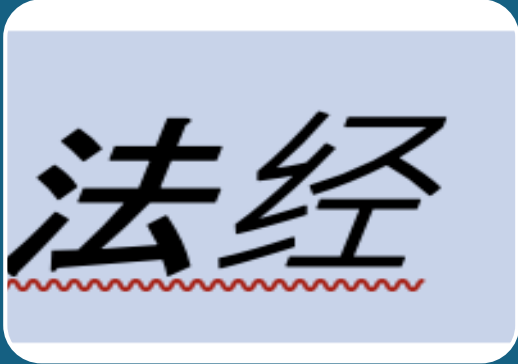
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## Foundations Era: 1350 BCE – 600 BCE

- Code of Hammurabi, Mesopotamia, 1755 BCE
- Book of Punishment, China, 536 BCE



## Classical Era: 600 BCE – 600 CE

- Cannon of Laws, China, 400 BCE



## Post-Classical Era: 600 CE – 1450 CE

- Council of Nablus, Jerusalem, 1120 CE
- Statute of Westminster I, England, 1275 CE
- Ming Code, China, 1397 CE



## Early Modern Era: 1450 CE – 1750 CE

- Aztec Empire prohibits sex between men and boys - 1450
- Ch'ing Code penalizes sexual assault of boys and girls – 1600s



## Modern Era: 1750 CE - 1900 CE

- France popularizes methods to record birth dates
- With verifiable age, many countries create age of consent laws



## Contemporary: 1900 CE – 1960 CE

- Intensifying media coverage of sex crimes
- *The Dangerous Stranger* by Sid Davis, US - 1949

