

C2: Lobbying for Good

Bad law can inhibit good practices:

Case study 1 - Entrenchment

India's law on retrenchment of workers is a case in point. On the surface it would appear to be good, defending workers from inconsiderate lay offs. In practice it has meant that there are wide abuses of the use of contract labour within factories and use of outside contractors as well as a vast army of homeworkers, most of whom are women. These informal workers are remain largely outside the protection of the law.



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