

# Is there a minor around you who is suffering?

## Case 3: A minor\* is forced to provide sexual services.

\*A minor: A person who is under 18 years of age

### —Modus operandi to lure minors through recruitment for part-time jobs—

(1) The victim applies for a part-time job through social media.

The victim sees a post on social media to recruit staff for an event at a store.

The victim applies for the job without thinking carefully and goes to the designated meeting place.



Apply for Job

(2) The store offers sexual services.

The victim is taken to another place by car from the meeting place.

The offender forces her to change clothes and explains that her job is to be touched by male customers. She has no way of getting home and has no choice but to obey the offender.



The heinous crime of treating people as merchandise!

(4) The store manager does not allow the victim to quit.

The offender forces the victim to work without leave of absence and doesn't allow her to quit, saying that she owes a penalty.

The victim loses energy and physical strength due to her long working hours and also loses her will to escape.

Result

(3) The offender controls the victim with "penalties."

The offender locks the door while the victim is working. If the victim is absent or late for work, she is subject to penalties.

The victim cannot talk to anyone about her problem because she is afraid that the offender will tell her family what she does.



**Your awareness can stop harm!  
Please report it to the police if you think you know someone who may need help!**

Anybody can become a victim of trafficking in persons, regardless of their nationality, age or sexual orientation.