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Saudi Arabia is situated on the west of the Asian continent. The country's main livelihoods are based on its vast oil reserves, making it a major player in the global oil industry. Saudi Arabia has made significant progress in education and health care. The government has invested heavily in education, with a focus on modernizing curricular and increasing access to quality education at all levels. Similarly, health care has improved, with continued efforts to improve medical devices. The population of Saudi Arabia is diverse, encompassing various ethnicities, including Arabs, South Asians, and expatriates from around the world who contribute to the nation's workforce. With Arabic is the official language and Islam is the dominant religion, the country is home to a culture that reflects its rich history and geographical location.

Saudi Arabia recognizes the global concern about child labor and recognizes the importance of promoting and protecting children's rights. As a nation committed to advancing the welfare of our youth, we believe that addressing the issue of child labor requires a comprehensive approach that balances socio-economic realities with the imperative of safeguarding children's rights.

Saudi Arabia is actively working on strengthening enforcement mechanisms, enhancing awareness, and fostering international cooperation to eradicate child labour. The country is committed to eliminating child labor and has established legal frameworks and regulations to ensure the protection of children.

Saudi Arabian authorities are actively monitoring workplaces to detect cases of child labour and aiming to impose strict penalties on violators. Additionally, the government is introducing social self-awareness programs to support vulnerable families and address the root causes that can lead to child labour. It supports awareness campaigns and training programs to inform both employers and the public about the harmful effects of child labour and the importance of protecting children's rights. The government aims to promote the well-being and development of the young population by creating a safe and supportive environment for them, through an approach that combines practice and education.

In conclusion, Saudi Arabia reaffirms its commitment to the protection and well-being of children. By addressing the root causes, strengthening legislative frameworks, and fostering international collaboration, we believe that collective efforts can effectively eliminate child labour and ensure a brighter future for all children worldwide.