A Few Facts about

**THE UNIFORM ACT ON THE PREVENTION OF AND REMEDIES FOR HUMAN TRAFFICKING (2013)**

**PURPOSE:** This Uniform Act is a comprehensive law directed against human trafficking. It provides the three components necessary for ending human trafficking: comprehensive criminal penalties; protections for human-trafficking victims; and public awareness and prevention methods.

**ORIGIN:** Completed by the Uniform Law Commission in 2013.

**APPROVED BY:** American Bar Association; Council of State Governments Suggested State Legislation (2015)

**ENACTED BY:** Delaware, Louisiana, Montana, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, U.S. Virgin Islands, West Virginia

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The ULC is a nonprofit formed in 1892 to create nonpartisan state legislation. Over 350 volunteer commissioners—lawyers, judges, law professors, legislative staff, and others—work together to draft laws ranging from the Uniform Commercial Code to acts on property, trusts and estates, family law, criminal law and other areas where uniformity of state law is desirable.