**Bhutan**

**Penal Code**

Come into force in the year of the Male Wood Monkey, Sixth Month, the Third Day, corresponding to the Eleventh Day of August, 2004. English Translation.

**Trafficking a person**

**Article 154**

A defendant shall be guilty of the offence of trafficking a person, if the defendant transports, sells or buys a person within, into or outside of Bhutan for any purpose.

**Grading of trafficking a person**

**Article 155**

The offence of trafficking a person shall be a felony of the fourth degree.

**Trafficking of a child**

**Article 227**

A defendant shall be guilty of the offence of trafficking of a child, if the defendant, sells, buys or transports a child for any illegal purpose.

**Grading of trafficking of a child**

**Article 228**

The offence of trafficking of a child shall be a felony of the third degree.

**Trafficking a person for prostitution**

**Article 379**

A defendant shall be guilty of the offence of trafficking a person for prostitution, if the defendant transports, sells or buys a person into or outside of Bhutan with the purpose of engaging that person in prostitution.