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-Sharing experiences between countries of origin and destination-
Indonesia, Korea, Mongolia, Philippines and Japan

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I. THEY ARE: -WOMEN / CHILDREN

-ENTERTAINER.

-CHILD LABOUR.

-SEX COMMERCIAL WORKERS (PSK)

CONTRIBUTING FACTORS ARE ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURE,
POLITICAL AND LEGAL, MARKET AND INTERNATIONAL.

THE PUSHING FACTORS:

-FULL FACTOR -DEMOGRAPHY

-NEED THE EMPLOYMENT BY THE DEVELOPED
COUNTRIES/INDUSTRIAL COUNTRIES.

-PUSH FACTORS

-POPULATION

-UNEMPLOYMENT.

-ECONOMIC CRISES ESPECIALLY IN ASIA.

-EXISTANCE OF STAT'S NET WORKING.

- FAMILY ASPECT
- CULTURAL ASPECTS
- HISTORY.

II. MIGRATION

INDONESIA PERCEIVES MIGRATION AS A GLOBAL PHENOMENA—GLOBALIZATION—BENEFICIAL TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF INDONESIA—AND IT HAS DOUBLE IMPACT AS NOT ONLY AS SOURCES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE-HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT-TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE AS POSITIVE ASPECT BUT ALSO THE ARISE OF CRIMES AS A NEGATIVE ASPECT.

RELATED TO TIP, IT IS VERY CLEAR THAT WE OBJECT BECAUSE IT IS AGAINST OUR CONSTITUTION, LAW AND REGULATION, HUMAN RIGHTS AND INTERNATIONAL LAW.

III. RECRUITERS PROMOTING ENTERTAINERS TO WORK IN JAPAN

- INDONESIA MANPOWERS ASSOCIATION (PJTKI)
- MINISTRY OF MANPOWER.
- MINISTRY OF TOURISM AND CULTURE.

THE RELATION TO TIPS IS THE BREAKING OF THE CONTRACT OF EMPLOYMENT BY THE EMPLOYER / MIGRANT OR THE COMPANY, AND HE/SHE IS ALREADY AN OVER STAYER—ILLEGAL WORKER.

IV. MEASURES TAKEN TO PREVENT TRAFFICKING IN INDONESIA:

- BY LAW AND REGULATION—(LEGISLATION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT)
- DOMESTIC MEASURES (L.ENFORCEMENT –CROSS SECTORAL APPROACH—INTEGRATIVE APPROACH—IMPROVEMENT OF THE LAWS).
- INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION THROUGH BILATERAL, REGIONAL AND GLOBAL/MULTILATERAL—UN BODY, ILO AND ALSO MOU.

V. NGOS PARTICIPATE IN ANY ACTIVITIES AS A PART OF CIVIL SOCIETY TO COMBAT THE TIPS WITH ALL MEANS.

VI. GOVERNMENT OF INDONESIA WORKS HAND IN HAND WITH THE NGOS IN COMBATING TIPS.