

# **OUTLINE OF PROPOSED ESSAY ON HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND THE INTERNET**

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## 1 Introduction

- Definitions
- Current legal status in US
- Role of Internet

## 2 Motivations

- Many reasons
- Economics
- Sexual exploitation
- Forced labor

## 3 Methods

- Abuse
- Lies
- Manipulation
- Fear
- Threats
- Intimidation

## 4 Dangers

- International recognition
- Transporting illegal immigrants
- Diseases
- Anxiety
- Death

## 5 Statistics

- US State Department “Trafficking in Persons Report.”
- Sample statistics over several years
- Reliability of statistics

## 6 Demographics

Reasons for getting sucked into trafficking

## **6.1 Poverty**

## **6.2 Subgroups**

- Women
- Children
- Bonded labor in India

## **7 International Perspectives**

- Variations in law around world
- United Nations Protocol

### **7.1 Fighting Human Trafficking**

- United States
- Trafficking Victims Protection Act
- Four tiers
- Specific countries

### **7.2 Human Trafficking in the United States**

- Statistics over several years in detail
- Justice Department statements
- Health and Human Services Department reports
- T-visa
- Iowa law

### **7.3 Russia**

### **7.4 South Korea**

## **8 Discussion**

- Fundamental issues
- Future developments
- Recommendations for improvements
- Concluding remarks

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