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NIVEAU BAC

Epreuve : ANGLAIS

DUREE : 1 heure 30

Text: children for sale

Unicef estimates that 1 million children enter the prostitution trade each year, mostly in Asia. Thailand alone is home to as many as 800,000 child prostitutes.

In an Askha village in northern Thailand, near the Burmese border, a salesman recently offered a local man a TV for about \$400. When he complained that he could not afford it, a trafficker stepped in and offered to lend him \$1,600 in exchange for his ‘‘very pretty little daughter.’’ Within moments, the man had a new TV; his 13-year-old daughter was off to Bangkok to repay his debt.

Some experts blame the Asian economic boom for propagating child prostitution by creating a demand for material goods. Electricity did not begin to reach Thailand’s Akha villages until about 10 years ago; now signs in nearby towns advertise Nokia wireless phones and hotels with ‘‘Cable TV Arrival’’. It is not hard to see why the locals are so obsessed with getting a TV. Meanwhile, their children languish in brothels or on the street. Many suffer from depression, alcoholism or drug addiction. Some are sterile from repeated abortions or untreated venereal disease.

1-Translate the text into French (12marks)

2-Essay (8 marks)

Child abuse and trade have become a worldwide evil

What do you propose to eradicate this evil in the world and particularly in Africa? Give relevant examples to sustain your ideas. (15 lines)