Globalization and Internet Sex

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ABSTRACT
The philosophy of globalization process is to promote gender disparity and the empowerment of women as efficient ways to combat poverty, hunger and disease and to stimulate development that is truly sustainable, and also to combat all forms of violence and assault against women. But the recent trend shows a rather sordid picture of gender exploitation and a nexus between the increase in workplace-based sexual harassment claims and the proliferation of work-based email Internet use is quite visible.

We can view how Internet technologies are implicated in sexual pestering and consider some of the reasons why these technologies have aggravated nuisance claims. This is, of course, the dark side of globalization, which is very perilous for the identity of womanhood or motherhood.

Keyword-- The sex industry is among the top five groups buying state-of-the-art computer equipment

I. INTRODUCTION

Feminist movements should be associated with the philosophy of being free from mental bondage such as freedom of speech, freedom of mind-set, freedom of making decisions, and above all, attainment of economic emancipation and emancipation of the soul.

The mission of rhetoric globalization was to promote gender equality and the empowerment of women as effective ways to combat poverty, hunger and disease, to stimulate development that is truly sustainable, and also to combat all forms of violence and assault against women. But the recent trend shows a rather sordid picture of gender exploitation and a nexus between the increase in workplace-based sexual harassment claims and the proliferation of work-based email and Internet use. We can look at how email and Internet technologies are implicated in sexual harassment and consider some of the reasons why these technologies have provoked harassment claims. This is of course the negative and other side of globalization, which is very dangerous for the identity of womanhood or motherhood in the future.

Many urban and rural women are forced into prostitution in cities. Sex trafficking of women and children is increasing due to the wide network of multinational corporations in the industrial and rural areas. The facts and figures reveal that 98 per cent of wealth on Earth is in the hands of men and only 2 per cent belongs to women; the 225 richest 'persons' in the world, who are men, own the same capital as the 2,500 million poorest people. Of these 2,500 million poorest people, 80 per cent are women. About USD 780,000 million are spent on armaments worldwide compared to USD 12,000 million spent on women's reproductive health. In terms of child prostitution, 90 per cent are girls and 100 per cent of the beneficiaries are men.

Wars turn women into sexual slaves. Incidents of sexual assault, I strongly consider, are the impact of digital globalization and deregulated cultural and moral freedom. The young generation is adversely affected and influenced by globalization of media, travel, fashion, McDonaldization and economic changes. The Internet as a medium of communication would exist without the sex industry, but the Internet industry would not be growing and expanding at its present rate without the sex industry. The Internet industry does not like to admit how much it is being supported by the sex industry, but a few indicators are revealing.

The sex industry is among the top five groups buying state-of-the-art computer equipment. Sex industry businesses were the first to buy and use expensive T3 phone lines that transmit compressed, high-resolution images.

One of the largest Internet companies in the world, Digex, whose largest customer is Microsoft Corporation, has a sex industry site as its second largest customer.

A website designer who works at a large sex industry website, described his work as a 'dream job' because any new technology was available for the asking.

In 1998, USD 1 billion was spent online on 'adult content', 69 per cent of the total Internet content sales.

Most of the owners of sex industry sites with live-sex shows moved to the Internet from phone-sex operations. One advantage they had was money for the capital investment. For example, the Internet Entertainment Group (IEG), owned by Seth Warshavsky
who had a phone-sex business, invested USD 3 million in computers and communications equipment to start up his website. The Internet industry flourishes on the sex industry and technicians from the Internet sex industry have developed new techniques to deliver high quality multimedia.

II. CONCLUSION

Pornography is a divisive issue among feminists. Women who call themselves feminists can view pornography in two very different ways. There exists both printed and video form. No, that's not what I mean. What I mean is that pornography can be seen as: (a) an exploitative industry that reaps large profits by degrading of women. An industry that sends a message to society at large that women are nothing more than sex objects, merely existing as both amusement and jack-off material for men; and (b) The ultimate empowerment of woman—the true test of woman's independence. The idea that a woman can do and be anything she wants to be—even if daddy does not like it or it makes you squirm. These examples may be extreme, yes. Just as with all issues, there are shades of grey. But which side leans closer to the truth?

The speedy growth of the global Internet sex industry has deepened the harm to the victims and globalized women's victimization and exploitation. Two components of globalization the rapid development and operation of information technology and the industrialized commodification of women and children are linked and help to expand and truly internationalize sexual exploitation. The lack of regulation of the Internet and prevailing uncritical views on the sex industry are contributing to the escalation of the global sexual exploitation of women and children through global advertising of prostitution tours and online marketing. The global players have created an enchanting Disneyland of industries, but their impact spreads all over the world, especially by women. At its 40th session, in 1996, the Commission on the Status of Women considered the critical area of concern—women and poverty—within the context of reviewing the implementation of the Beijing Platform for Action. The deliberations resulted in the adoption of resolution 40/9 which emphasized that the empowerment and autonomy of women along with the improvement of women's social, economic and political status are essential for the eradication of poverty.

The empowerment and autonomy of women, and the improvement of their political, social, economic and health status, constitute an important end in themselves and one that is essential for achieving sustainable development. There should be full participation and partnership of both women and men in productive and reproductive life, including shared responsibilities for the care and nurturing of children and maintenance of the household.

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