

HUMAN CONDITION UNDER THE IMPACT OF GLOBALISATION

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Rezumat: *Aspectele economice ale condiției umane în lumea contemporană sunt caracterizate de asimetrii imense, de mari și grave discrepanțe. Cauzele acestor asimetrii și discrepanțe se pot găsi în colonialism, precum și în dominanța doctrinei și politicilor neo-liberale în economia mondială, comerț și finanțe din ultimele câteva decenii. Este deja limpede că criza economică și financiară globală va accentua discrepanța dintre părțile puternic dezvoltate și cele subdezvoltate din lume, cu consecințe directe asupra condiției umane.*

Abstract: *The economic aspects of the human condition in the contemporary world are characterized by huge asymmetries, by deep and grave discrepancies. The causes of those asymmetries and discrepancies can be found in colonialism as well as in dominance of the neo-liberal doctrine and policies in the world economy, trade and finances over the last few decades. It is already clear that the current world-wide economic and financial crisis will deepen the gap between high developed and underdeveloped parts of the world, with direct consequences on the human condition*

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1. The Human condition is a concept which covers a divers and complex reality. The Man is how he exists by what he does, by what he possesses, by what he received due to education and culture, by what he brings in the relationship with his fellow men. These lines do not want to be a formal definition of the set phrase “the human condition”. They express only the intention to draw the attention to some sides and aspects of the realities taken into consideration by that set phrase.

1.2. The main framework which determines the human condition in the case of individual as well as of the most communities to which the individual belongs are national framework. That national framework means the natural conditions, the level of economic development, the social, politic and cultural environment, the juridical rules, the religion – both as believe and institution – the moral climate – briefly, the conditions crystallized in and through civilization.

1.2.1. But that national framework do not exists in isolation, virtually never in the history. The interdependence between national and international, between domestic and exterior in the condition of the individual as well as of the human communities increased constantly over the modern and contemporary history. Today, under impact of globalization, the domestic, national conditions are

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