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Irregular migration human trafficking and criminal law in the Mediterranean area

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Multilevel protection in the fight against human trafficking

The script aims to explore the multilevel protection of the human trafficking, point out, on the international level, the fundamental differences with smuggling of migrants, primary for the formulation of two distinct definitions. On the phenomenological level is inevitable deducing similarities between the two phenomena, which make it difficult to apply national regulations. Then, it turns its gaze to the Italian legal system and to the answer to the international obligations in subject, deepening the transposition of the directive 2011/36/EU about the prevention and repression of the human trafficking and protection of the victims, trying to highlight the strong points of the domestic legislation, without neglecting some problems and imperfections that showed up.