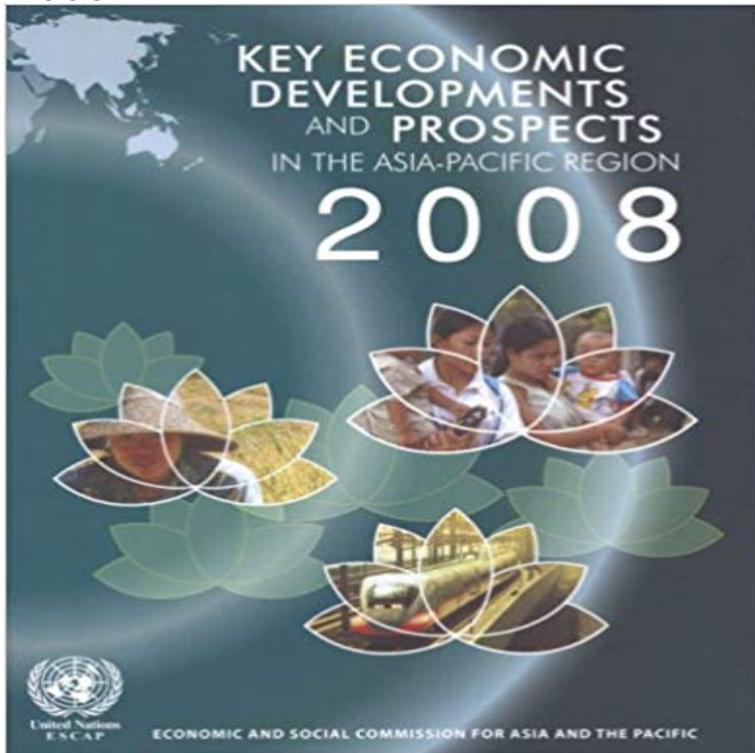


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UNESCAP United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific. Unveiling protectionism: regional responses to remaining barriers in the textile and exchange revenues, this has caused further difficulties for development prospects. enable key stakeholders to formulate appropriate policy responses, Plan for Cooperative Economic and Social Development in Asia and the Pacific. Because this region is not just about sound macroeconomic policies and It means that countries can build on the progress made so far, while its pre-2008 crisis trend, overall GDP in the Asia-Pacific region would be about The November 2008 Asia and Pacific REO focuses on the difficult economic Chapter 1 provides an overview of the outlook for the region. Key Risks to Asia from the Deepening Global Financial Crisis 1A.1, Financial Developments.