HW A: Dictation Exercise

Directions: Listen to the audio as many times as you need to, and then fill in the blanks.

One airline plans to _____ _____ if _____ will pay an extra _____ to avoid _____ near _____ and little kids. Corendon Airlines says that it will _____ an adults-only _____ — no one under 16 — on flights _____ Amsterdam and Curacao _____ in November. The _____ airline says people _____ without children will get quiet _____, and _____ won't have to _____ that their crying or _____ kids will _____ other passengers.

Corendon _____ last week that it will _____ _____93 regular seats and nine extra-_____ seats in the _____ zone in the front of its Airbus A350 jets, which have 432 seats in all. A _____ or _____ will _____ the section from the _____ masses farther back. The _____ said on its _____ that it will charge _____ an extra reservation

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_____ of 45 euros ($49) for the no-kids zone, _____ to 100 euros ($109) for one of the extra-legroom _____.

A _____ from Amsterdam to Curacao usually _____ about 10 hours. Brett Snyder, who _____ a _____ _____ and writes the Cranky Flier _____, said that there could be _____ for adult seats. "For a heavy _____ airline like Corendon, which is probably _____ of families with little kids, I can see the _____ for someone traveling _____ kids to pay _____ to be away from them to have more _____ and _____," Snyder said. Then again, he _____, people in the _____ of the adult zone might still hear _____.

Corendon is not the _____ airline to try a section with no small _____. Scoot, a low-_____ airline _____ _____ Singapore, sells a _____ where passengers _____ be at least 12. Back in 2012, Malaysia Airlines announced it would not _____ anyone under 12 in a 70-seat _____ section on the _____ deck of its Airbus A380 _____. The airline later _____, saying that if there were

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too many _____ with children and _____ to _____ in the lower _____, it would _____ _____ for them in the adult economy section _____.

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