**Bill Gates donation SCRIPT**

One of the world’s richest businessmen, the American computer tycoon, Bill Gates, is donating about £60 million towards vaccinating children in developing countries.

Mr Gates who is the Chairman of Microsoft has denied that the donation has anything to do with improving the image of the company which is locked in a legal battle over competition in the computer market.

As a couple whose wealth could pay off the national debt of numerous third world countries with money to spare, Bill Gatesand his wife Melinda are now joining the ranks of big time philanthropists.

“I have great pleasure in announcing that Bill and Melinda Gates have committed one hundred million dollars to a world-wide vaccine program that could save the lives of millions of children each year.”

According to Gates whose Microsoft computer company has made him reportedly the richest man in the world, the donation is an important demonstration of his philosophy of sharing the benefits of progress.

“Well I think philanthropy is a very personal thing. In my case, my wife and I have decided that most of our resources will go back to society and help to reduce the gapin terms of access to these new advances whether it be kids having a chance to use computers as they grow up or perhaps the first priority is kids having a chance to be healthy.”