

The Human Rights Guide to the Sustainable Development Goals

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 <p>End poverty in all its forms everywhere.</p>	<p>1.1</p> <p>By 2030, eradicate extreme poverty for all people everywhere, currently measured as people living on less than \$1.25 a day.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>1.1.1</p> <p>Proportion of the population living below the international poverty line by sex, age, employment status and geographic location (urban/rural)</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol</p> <p>Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>2.1</p> <p>States Parties shall combat all forms of discrimination against women through appropriate legislative, institutional and other measures. In this regard they shall:</p>
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			<p>13.b</p> <p>promote the right to equal remuneration for jobs of equal value for women and men;</p>
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			<p>13.h</p> <p>take the necessary measures to recognise the economic value of the work of women in the home;</p>
			<p>13.j</p> <p>ensure the equal application of taxation laws to women and men;</p>
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			<p>19.b</p> <p>ensure participation of women at all levels in the conceptualisation, decision-making, implementation and evaluation of development policies and programmes;</p>
			<p>19.d</p> <p>promote women's access to credit, training, skills development and extension services at rural and urban levels in order to provide women with a higher quality of life and reduce the level of poverty among women;</p>
			<p>19.e</p> <p>take into account indicators of human development specifically relating to women in the elaboration of development policies and programmes;</p>


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<p>1.2</p> <p>By 2030, reduce at least by half the proportion of men, women and children of all ages living in poverty in all its dimensions according to national definitions.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>1.2.1 Proportion of population living below the national poverty line, by sex and age</p> <p>1.2.2 Proportion of men, women and children of all ages living in poverty in all its dimensions according to national definitions</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>2.1 States Parties shall combat all forms of discrimination against women through appropriate legislative, institutional and other measures. In this regard they shall:</p> <p>2.1.c integrate a gender perspective in their policy decisions, legislation, development plans, programmes and activities and in all other spheres of life;</p> <p>13 States Parties shall adopt and enforce legislative and other measures to guarantee women equal opportunities in work and career advancement and other economic opportunities. In this respect, they shall:</p> <p>13.a promote equality of access to employment;</p> <p>13.b promote the right to equal remuneration for jobs of equal value for women and men;</p> <p>13.e create conditions to promote and support the occupations and economic activities of women, in particular, within the informal sector;</p> <p>13.h take the necessary measures to recognise the economic value of the work of women in the home;</p> <p>13.j ensure the equal application of taxation laws to women and men;</p> <p>13.k recognise and enforce the right of salaried women to the same allowances and entitlements as those granted to salaried men for their spouses and children</p> <p>19 Women shall have the right to fully enjoy their right to sustainable development. In this connection, the States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>19.a introduce the gender perspective in the national development planning procedures;</p> <p>19.b ensure participation of women at all levels in the conceptualisation, decision-making, implementation and evaluation of development policies and programmes;</p> <p>19.d promote women's access to credit, training, skills development and extension services at rural and urban levels in order to provide women with a higher quality of life and reduce the level of poverty among women;</p> <p>19.e take into account indicators of human development specifically relating to women in the elaboration of development policies and programmes;</p> <p>19.f ensure that the negative effects of globalisation and any adverse effects of the implementation of trade and economic policies and programmes are reduced to the minimum for women.</p>
<p>1.3</p> <p>Implement nationally appropriate social protection systems and measures for all, including floors, and by 2030 achieve substantial coverage of the poor and the vulnerable.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>1.3.1 Proportion of population covered by social protection floors/systems, by sex, distinguishing children, unemployed persons, older persons, persons with disabilities, pregnant women, newborns, work injury victims, and the poor and the vulnerable</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>13 States Parties shall adopt and enforce legislative and other measures to guarantee women equal opportunities in work and career advancement and other economic opportunities. In this respect, they shall:</p> <p>13.f establish a system of protection and social insurance for women working in the informal sector and sensitise them to adhere to it;</p> <p>13.i guarantee adequate and paid pre- and post-natal maternity leave in both the private and public sectors</p>

	<p>1.4</p> <p>By 2030, ensure that all men and women, in particular the poor and the vulnerable, have equal rights to economic resources, as well as access to basic services, ownership and control over land and other forms of property, inheritance, natural resources, appropriate new technology and financial services, including microfinance.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>1.4.1 Proportion of population living in households with access to basic services</p> <p>1.4.2 Proportion of total adult population with secure tenure rights to land, (a) with legally recognized documentation, and (b) who perceive their rights to land as secure, by sex and type of tenure</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>2.1 States Parties shall combat all forms of discrimination against women through appropriate legislative, institutional and other measures. In this regard they shall:</p> <p>2.1.a include in their national constitutions and other legislative instruments, if not already done, the principle of equality between women and men and ensure its effective application;</p> <p>6 States Parties shall ensure that women and men enjoy equal rights and are regarded as equal partners in marriage. They shall enact appropriate national legislative measures to guarantee that:</p> <p>6.j during her marriage, a woman shall have the right to acquire her own property and to administer and manage it freely.</p> <p>7 States Parties shall enact appropriate legislation to ensure that women and men enjoy the same rights in case of separation, divorce or annulment of marriage. In this regard, they shall ensure that:</p> <p>7.d in case of separation, divorce or annulment of marriage, women and men shall have the right to an equitable sharing of the joint property deriving from the marriage;</p> <p>12.1 States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>12.1.a eliminate all forms of discrimination against women and guarantee equal opportunity and access in the sphere of education and training;</p> <p>13 States Parties shall adopt and enforce legislative and other measures to guarantee women equal opportunities in work and career advancement and other economic opportunities. In this respect, they shall:</p> <p>13.f establish a system of protection and social insurance for women working in the informal sector and sensitise them to adhere to it;</p> <p>14.2 States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>14.2.a provide adequate, affordable and accessible health services, including information, education and communication programmes to women especially those in rural areas;</p> <p>14.2.b establish and strengthen existing pre-natal, delivery and post-natal health and nutritional services for women during pregnancy and while they are breast-feeding;</p> <p>15 States Parties shall ensure that women have the right to nutritious and adequate food. In this regard, they shall take appropriate measures to:</p> <p>15.a provide women with access to clean drinking water, sources of domestic fuel, land, and the means of producing nutritious food;</p> <p>15.b establish adequate systems of supply and storage to ensure food security</p> <p>16 Women shall have the right to equal access to housing and to acceptable living conditions in a healthy environment. To ensure this right, States Parties shall grant to women, whatever their marital status, access to adequate housing.</p> <p>18.1 Women shall have the right to live in a healthy and sustainable environment.</p> <p>18.2 States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p>
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<p>1.5</p> <p>By 2030, build the resilience of the poor and those in vulnerable situations and reduce their exposure and vulnerability to climate-related extreme events and other economic, social and environmental shocks and disasters.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>1.5.1 Number of deaths, missing persons and directly affected persons attributed to disasters per 100,000 population</p> <p>1.5.2 Direct disaster economic loss in relation to global gross domestic product (GDP)</p> <p>1.5.3 Number of countries that adopt and implement national disaster risk reduction strategies in line with the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015–2030</p> <p>1.5.4 Proportion of local governments that adopt and implement local disaster risk reduction strategies in line with national disaster risk reduction strategies</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>4.1 Every woman shall be entitled to respect for her life and the integrity and security of her person. All forms of exploitation, cruel, inhuman or degrading punishment and treatment shall be prohibited.</p> <p>18.1 Women shall have the right to live in a healthy and sustainable environment.</p> <p>24 The States Parties undertake to:</p> <p>24.a ensure the protection of poor women and women heads of families including women from marginalized population groups and provide an environment suitable to their condition and their special physical, economic and social needs;</p>
<p>1.b</p> <p>Create sound policy frameworks at the national, regional and international levels, based on pro-poor and gender sensitive development strategies, to support accelerated investment in poverty eradication actions.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>1.b.1 Proportion of government recurrent and capital spending to sectors that disproportionately benefit women, the poor and vulnerable groups</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>2.1 States Parties shall combat all forms of discrimination against women through appropriate legislative, institutional and other measures. In this regard they shall:</p> <p>2.1.a include in their national constitutions and other legislative instruments, if not already done, the principle of equality between women and men and ensure its effective application;</p>

			<p>2.1.b enact and effectively implement appropriate legislative or regulatory measures, including those prohibiting and curbing all forms of discrimination particularly those harmful practices which endanger the health and general well-being of women;</p> <p>2.1.c integrate a gender perspective in their policy decisions, legislation, development plans, programmes and activities and in all other spheres of life;</p> <p>2.1.d take corrective and positive action in those areas where discrimination against women in law and in fact continues to exist;</p> <p>2.1.e support the local, national, regional and continental initiatives directed at eradicating all forms of discrimination against women.</p> <p>9.1 States Parties shall take specific positive action to promote participative governance and the equal participation of women in the political life of their countries through affirmative action, enabling national legislation and other measures to ensure that:</p> <p>9.1.c women are equal partners with men at all levels of development and implementation of State policies and development programmes.</p> <p>17.2 States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to enhance the participation of women in the formulation of cultural policies at all levels.</p> <p>19 Women shall have the right to fully enjoy their right to sustainable development. In this connection, the States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>19.a introduce the gender perspective in the national development planning procedures;</p> <p>19.e take into account indicators of human development specifically relating to women in the elaboration of development policies and programmes;</p> <p>19.f ensure that the negative effects of globalisation and any adverse effects of the implementation of trade and economic policies and programmes are reduced to the minimum for women.</p>
 <p>End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture.</p>	<p>2.1 By 2030, end hunger and ensure access by all people, in particular the poor and people in vulnerable situations, including infants, to safe, nutritious and sufficient food all year round.</p> <p>Indicators 2.1.1 Prevalence of undernourishment 2.1.2 Prevalence of moderate or severe food insecurity in the population, based on the Food Insecurity Experience Scale (FIES)</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles 15 States Parties shall ensure that women have the right to nutritious and adequate food. In this regard, they shall take appropriate measures to:</p> <p>15.a provide women with access to clean drinking water, sources of domestic fuel, land, and the means of producing nutritious food;</p> <p>15.b establish adequate systems of supply and storage to ensure food security</p>
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<div>2.3</div> <div>By 2030, double the agricultural productivity and incomes of small-scale food producers, in particular women, indigenous peoples, family farmers, pastoralists and fishers, including through secure and equal access to land, other productive resources and inputs, knowledge, financial services, markets and opportunities for value addition and non-farm employment.</div> <div>Indicators</div> <div>2.3.1 Volume of production per labour unit by classes of farming/pastoral/ forestry enterprise size</div> <div>2.3.2 Average income of small-scale food producers, by sex and indigenous status</div>	<div>Maputo Protocol</div> <div>Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</div>	<div>Show all articles</div> <div>6 States Parties shall ensure that women and men enjoy equal rights and are regarded as equal partners in marriage. They shall enact appropriate national legislative measures to guarantee that:</div> <div>6.j during her marriage, a woman shall have the right to acquire her own property and to administer and manage it freely.</div> <div>7 States Parties shall enact appropriate legislation to ensure that women and men enjoy the same rights in case of separation, divorce or annulment of marriage. In this regard, they shall ensure that:</div> <div>7.d in case of separation, divorce or annulment of marriage, women and men shall have the right to an equitable sharing of the joint property deriving from the marriage;</div> <div>13 States Parties shall adopt and enforce legislative and other measures to guarantee women equal opportunities in work and career advancement and other economic opportunities. In this respect, they shall:</div> <div>13.e create conditions to promote and support the occupations and economic activities of women, in particular, within the informal sector;</div> <div>18.2 States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</div> <div>18.2.c protect and enable the development of women's indigenous knowledge systems;</div> <div>19 Women shall have the right to fully enjoy their right to sustainable development. In this connection, the States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</div> <div>19.c promote women's access to and control over productive resources such as land and guarantee their right to property;</div> <div>19.d promote women's access to credit, training, skills development and extension services at rural and urban levels in order to provide women with a higher quality of life and reduce the level of poverty among women;</div> <div>21.1 A widow shall have the right to an equitable share in the inheritance of the property of her husband. A widow shall have the right to continue to live in the matrimonial house. In case of remarriage, she shall retain this right if the house belongs to her or she has inherited it.</div> <div>21.2 Women and men shall have the right to inherit, in equitable shares, their parents' properties</div>

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	<p>2.5</p> <p>By 2020, maintain the genetic diversity of seeds, cultivated plants and farmed and domesticated animals and their related wild species, including through soundly managed and diversified seed and plant banks at the national, regional and international levels, and promote access to and fair and equitable sharing of benefits arising from the utilization of genetic resources and associated traditional knowledge, as internationally agreed.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>2.5.1</p> <p>Number of plant and animal genetic resources for food and agriculture secured in either medium or long-term conservation facilities</p> <p>2.5.2</p> <p>Proportion of local breeds classified as being at risk of extinction</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol</p> <p>Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>18.2</p> <p>States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p>
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 <p>3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING</p> <p>Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages.</p>	<p>3.1</p> <p>By 2030, reduce the global maternal mortality ratio to less than 70 per 100,000 live births.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>3.1.1</p> <p>Maternal mortality ratio</p> <p>3.1.2</p> <p>Proportion of births attended by skilled health personnel</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol</p> <p>Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>14.1</p> <p>States Parties shall ensure that the right to health of women, including sexual and reproductive health is respected and promoted. This includes:</p>
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			<p>14.1.b</p> <p>the right to decide whether to have children, the number of children and the spacing of children;</p>
			<p>14.1.c</p> <p>the right to choose any method of contraception;</p>
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<p>3.3</p> <p>By 2030, end the epidemics of AIDS, tuberculosis, malaria and neglected tropical diseases and combat hepatitis, water-borne diseases and other communicable diseases.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>3.3.1 Number of new HIV infections per 1,000 uninfected population by sex, age and key populations</p> <p>3.3.2 Tuberculosis incidence per 100,000 population</p> <p>3.3.3 Malaria incidence per 1,000 population</p> <p>3.3.4 Hepatitis B incidence per 100,000 population</p> <p>3.3.5 Number of people requiring interventions against neglected tropical diseases</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>14.1 States Parties shall ensure that the right to health of women, including sexual and reproductive health is respected and promoted. This includes:</p> <p>14.1.d the right to self-protection and to be protected against sexually transmitted infections, including HIV/AIDS;</p> <p>14.1.e the right to be informed on one's health status and on the health status of one's partner, particularly if affected with sexually transmitted infections, including HIV/AIDS, in accordance with internationally recognised standards and best practices;</p>
<p>3.4</p> <p>By 2030, reduce by one third premature mortality from non-communicable diseases through prevention and treatment and promote mental health and well-being.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>3.4.1 Mortality rate attributed to cardiovascular disease, cancer, diabetes or chronic respiratory disease</p> <p>3.4.2 Suicide mortality rate</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>14.2 States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>14.2.b establish and strengthen existing pre-natal, delivery and post-natal health and nutritional services for women during pregnancy and while they are breast-feeding;</p>
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<p>4.3</p> <p>By 2030, ensure equal access for all women and men to affordable and quality technical, vocational and tertiary education, including university.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>4.3.1</p> <p>Participation rate of youth and adults in formal and non-formal education and training in the previous 12 months, by sex</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol</p> <p>Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>12.1</p> <p>States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>12.1.a</p> <p>eliminate all forms of discrimination against women and guarantee equal opportunity and access in the sphere of education and training;</p> <p>12.2</p> <p>States Parties shall take specific positive action to:</p> <p>12.2.b</p> <p>promote education and training for women at all levels and in all disciplines, particularly in the fields of science and technology;</p> <p>12.2.c</p> <p>promote the enrolment and retention of girls in schools and other training institutions and the organisation of programmes for women who leave school prematurely.</p> <p>19</p> <p>Women shall have the right to fully enjoy their right to sustainable development. In this connection, the States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>19.d</p> <p>promote women's access to credit, training, skills development and extension services at rural and urban levels in order to provide women with a higher quality of life and reduce the level of poverty among women;</p>
<p>4.4</p> <p>By 2030, substantially increase the number of youth and adults who have relevant skills, including technical and vocational skills, for employment, decent jobs and entrepreneurship.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>4.4.1</p> <p>Proportion of youth and adults with information and communications technology (ICT) skills, by type of skill</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol</p> <p>Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>12.1</p> <p>States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>12.1.a</p> <p>eliminate all forms of discrimination against women and guarantee equal opportunity and access in the sphere of education and training;</p> <p>12.2</p> <p>States Parties shall take specific positive action to:</p> <p>12.2.b</p> <p>promote education and training for women at all levels and in all disciplines, particularly in the fields of science and technology;</p> <p>12.2.c</p> <p>promote the enrolment and retention of girls in schools and other training institutions and the organisation of programmes for women who leave school prematurely.</p> <p>18.2</p> <p>States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>18.2.c</p> <p>protect and enable the development of women's indigenous knowledge systems;</p> <p>19</p> <p>Women shall have the right to fully enjoy their right to sustainable development. In this connection, the States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>19.d</p> <p>promote women's access to credit, training, skills development and extension services at rural and urban levels in order to provide women with a higher quality of life and reduce the level of poverty among women;</p>
<p>4.5</p> <p>By 2030, eliminate gender disparities in education and ensure equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for the vulnerable, including persons with disabilities, indigenous peoples and children in vulnerable situations.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>4.5.1</p> <p>Parity indices (female/male, rural/urban, bottom/top wealth quintile and others such as disability status, indigenous peoples and conflict affected, as data become available) for all education indicators on this list that can be disaggregated</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol</p> <p>Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>12.1</p> <p>States Parties shall take all appropriate measures to:</p> <p>12.1.a</p> <p>eliminate all forms of discrimination against women and guarantee equal opportunity and access in the sphere of education and training;</p> <p>12.1.b</p> <p>eliminate all stereotypes in textbooks, syllabuses and the media, that perpetuate such discrimination;</p>

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<div>4.6</div> <div>By 2030, ensure that all youth and a substantial proportion of adults, both men and women, achieve literacy and numeracy.</div> <div>Indicators</div> <div>4.6.1</div> <div>Proportion of population in a given age group achieving at least a fixed level of proficiency in functional (a) literacy and (b) numeracy skills, by sex</div>	<div>Maputo Protocol</div> <div>Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</div>	<div>Show all articles</div> <div>12.2 States Parties shall take specific positive action to:</div> <div>12.2.a promote literacy among women;</div>
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		<p>4.2.d actively promote peace education through curricula and social communication in order to eradicate elements in traditional and cultural beliefs, practices and stereotypes which legitimise and exacerbate the persistence and tolerance of violence against women;</p> <p>4.2.e punish the perpetrators of violence against women and implement programmes for the rehabilitation of women victims;</p> <p>4.2.f establish mechanisms and accessible services for effective information, rehabilitation and reparation for victims of violence against women;</p> <p>4.2.g prevent and condemn trafficking in women, prosecute the perpetrators of such trafficking and protect those women most at risk;</p> <p>4.2.i provide adequate budgetary and other resources for the implementation and monitoring of actions aimed at preventing and eradicating violence against women;</p> <p>13 States Parties shall adopt and enforce legislative and other measures to guarantee women equal opportunities in work and career advancement and other economic opportunities. In this respect, they shall:</p> <p>13.g introduce a minimum age for work and prohibit the employment of children below that age, and prohibit, combat and punish all forms of exploitation of children, especially the girl-child;</p>
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<p>5.5</p> <p>Ensure women's full and effective participation and equal opportunities for leadership at all levels of decision-making in political, economic and public life.</p> <p>Indicators</p> <p>5.5.1 Proportion of seats held by women in (a) national parliaments and (b) local governments</p> <p>5.5.2 Proportion of women in managerial positions</p>	<p>Maputo Protocol Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa</p>	<p>Show all articles</p> <p>2.1 States Parties shall combat all forms of discrimination against women through appropriate legislative, institutional and other measures. In this regard they shall:</p> <p>2.1.a include in their national constitutions and other legislative instruments, if not already done, the principle of equality between women and men and ensure its effective application;</p> <p>2.1.c integrate a gender perspective in their policy decisions, legislation, development plans, programmes and activities and in all other spheres of life;</p> <p>2.1.d take corrective and positive action in those areas where discrimination against women in law and in fact continues to exist;</p> <p>2.1.e support the local, national, regional and continental initiatives directed at eradicating all forms of discrimination against women.</p> <p>9.1 States Parties shall take specific positive action to promote participative governance and the equal participation of women in the political life of their countries through affirmative action, enabling national legislation and other measures to ensure that:</p> <p>9.1.a women participate without any discrimination in all elections;</p> <p>9.1.b women are represented equally at all levels with men in all electoral processes;</p> <p>9.1.c women are equal partners with men at all levels of development and implementation of State policies and development programmes.</p> <p>9.2 States Parties shall ensure increased and effective representation and participation of women at all levels of decision-making.</p>

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