



HISTORIC GLOBAL CAMPAIGN AGREEMENT

Recognizing that cities are becoming the epicenter of political, economic, cultural growth, digitization and innovation particularly in the revolutionary world of Digital technology and Artificial Intelligence;

Convinced of the proven power that adoption of CEDAW ordinances or resolutions have had in fostering a culture of gender justice in city departments, changing gender-responsive budgeting accountability, and nurturing innovation in the arts, public-private partnerships, housing, transport, infrastructure and investment planning, security, delivery of education, health, and social services;

Determined to uphold shared values grounded in the principles of the Cities for CEDAW campaign focused on addressing how Climate Change impacts cities and amplifies discrimination and exclusion of women and girls in critical areas of (i) Governance and leadership, (ii) Economic empowerment and livelihood opportunities, (iii) Security and peace, and (iv) Youth engagement for inclusive & sustainable futures;

We align with verified strategies and modalities detailed in the attached action brief and guidelines to formulate interventions that are compliant with and reflect CEDAW principles and standards for effectively translating global policies to local realities to rapidly transform cities and communities.

We commit to join the Global Cities for CEDAW Coalition, contribute to expanding the reach and impact of interventions to states, cities, local governments and other jurisdictions, collaborate with international organizations, networks and partners and report annually at the Commission on the Status of Women (CSW) and at other UN processes such as the High Level Political Forum as possible.

Signed this 12th Day of March, 2025 between:

Name: Honorable Imaan Sulaiman-Ibrahim

Title & Organization: Minister of Women’s Affairs, Nigeria

Signature & Date

Name: Pam Morgan

Title & Organization: Co-chair, NGO Committee on the Status of Women, New York

Signature & Date

Name: Soon-Young Yoon

Title & Organization: Founder and co-director, Cities for CEDAW History and Futures Project

Signature and date.....



Witnessed by

<p>Ambassador Samson Iteboje Charge D'Affaires a.i. Permanent Mission of Nigeria to the United Nations</p> <p>.....</p>	<p><u>Esther Eghobamien-Mshelia, Vice-Chair, CEDAW Committee, Nigeria</u></p> <p>.....</p>
<p>Marie Bisi Idaomi, CommWA, Edo</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>Angela Mwai, UN Habitat</p> <p>.....</p>
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