

THE REPUBLIC OF SERBIA

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AGENDA ITEM 62: ADVANCEMENT OF WOMEN

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STATEMENT

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Mr. Chairman,

The deliberations on this agenda item today and during the last two days and the commitments expressed by States to continue to take further steps in the field of the empowerment and advancement of

~~are clear indication that this issue is high on the agenda of international and national fora. Yet, the~~

Directorate has established close cooperation with UN entities such as UNDP and UNIFEM, as well as with the Council of Europe and other regional and international organizations in this field. In addition to the mechanisms established on the governmental level, the Parliament of Serbia has its own Gender Equality [redacted] other regulations, reviews policy making and the implementation