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**Agreement document**: [NP_060715_expansion of interim constitution committee.pdf](http://www.peaceagreements.org)

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- Ms. Puspa Bhusal Member
- Ms. Sushila Karki Member
- Ms. Chhatra Kumari Gurung Member
- Ms. Shanta Rai Member
- Mr. Sunil Prajapati Member
- Mr. Parshuram Jha Member
- Mr. Chandeshwar Shrestha Member
- Mr. Kumar Yonjan Tamang Member

**Women, girls and gender**

- **Participation**: No specific mention.
- **Equality**: No specific mention.
- **Particular groups of women**: No specific mention.
- **International law**: No specific mention.
- **New institutions**: No specific mention.
**Violence against women**
No specific mention.

**Transitional justice**
No specific mention.

**Institutional reform**
Constitution-making/reform
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**Development**
No specific mention.

**Implementation**
Other
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**Other**
No specific mention.