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**Statement**

By

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**on Agenda Item 62: Advancement of Women**

**at the Third Committee of the 64<sup>th</sup> Session**

**of the United Nations General Assembly**

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Mr. Chairman,

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6. The UN reform process should give due consideration to the establishment of a new gender entity. At the same time we urge to develop more synergies between ongoing proposal of a new gender entity and intergovernmental process on system wide coherence

7. The inspiration for gender equality and empowerment of women in Pakistan, comes

implementation processes, has been in place since past few years. The project has particular focus on gender mainstreaming.

The initiative Benazir Bhatto Youth development programme has been

introduced to encourage maximum participation of women in the workforce. It provides training to young people, particularly girls in various disciplines, accompanied by a monthly stipend during training.

**Four:** On violence against women the government has adopted a zero tolerance policy. For its prevention and timely response, a Gender Crime Cell has been

