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maintained. Literacy rate for male over 10 years old or older is only higher than that of female 6%. The gap for the enrollment of boys, girls in all school levels was also reduced. The dropping out of girls from school has been improved. On average, the graduation rate for female students is higher than for male. In National Assembly, the percentage of female representatives for the period 1997-2002 was 26.2 percent; for 2002-2007 was 27.3%, 2007-2011 was 25.76% ranked 31st in the world and for 2011