

■ W20 Communique Calls for Action on Gender Equality, Climate Change



Union Minister for Women and Child Development, Smt Smriti Irani, released the W20 Communique, at the third and final meeting of the W20 engagement group on June 15. The Communique highlights the W20's collective efforts to include diverse voices of women worldwide. The Communique, resulting from extensive discussions, focuses on the impact of climate change on women and children and the need to bridge the gender digital divide. It identifies the imperative to foster greater policy initiatives by governments to encourage women entrepreneurship, and labour

and enhance grassroots leadership, education, skill development, and labour market participation of women.

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