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طلب عضوية من النساء الديمقراطيات في افغانستان

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Application for Admission to the WIDF

Democratic Organization of Women of Afghanistan

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The Democratic Organization of Women of Afghanistan asks you to recognise this organization as an equal member of the WIDF. The DOWA, founded on the initiative of a group of progressive, freedom loving women of Afghanistan in 1344 (1965), adopted and confirmed the programme, statutes and leading organs of the organization on the occasion of the first anniversary of its foundation, in 1345 (1966).

Its organizational and propagandist activity is directed towards working women, peasant women, intellectuals, employees, students and housewives.

During recent years the DOWA has won high prestige and increased the number of working women within its ranks. The DOWA runs working groups which conduct social, political, cultural and organizational activities in spite of the difficult conditions and obstacles. The DOWA regularly holds various conferences at cultural centres, in towns and villages with the aim of raising the standard of consciousness of women, and it conducts literacy courses.

Together with other progressive forces of the country, it takes an active part in the struggle against the aggression of international imperialism, participating in demonstrations, meetings and processions, and it conducts its own actions in defence of the rights of women and their democratic demands.

The DOWA expresses its sincere solidarity and actively supports the liberation struggle of women of the whole world.

The DOWA has its own publication, "Women of Afghanistan", and a journal, "Account", which appears twice a month.

We actively support and approve of the programme of action of the WIDF. We consider its objectives as the basis of the national and international activity of the women's movement of Afghanistan. We hope that the WIDF will give consideration to the question of the official recognition of the DOWA as a fully equal member.

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Organization of Women of
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