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WSIS Gender Caucus support to the “Joint Submission to the 7th Meeting of the WSIS GFC by civil society organizations and individuals on the proposed draft text for paragraphs 10, 11 and 29 of the operational part of the Tunis document”

(Submitted on behalf of WSIS GC by IT for Change)

The WSIS Gender Caucus is deeply concerned of the relegation of the commitment to “establish an implementation mechanism for the Geneva and Tunis Plans of Action” and strongly supports the **Joint Submission to the 7th meeting of the WSIS GFC by civil society organizations and individuals on the proposed draft text for paragraphs 10, 11 and 29 of the operational part of the Tunis document.**

“We firmly recommend and reiterate that implementation and follow-up mechanisms for WSIS are based on multi-stakeholder teams around action lines with a well defined overall coordination body, as contained in the existing paragraphs 10, 11 and 29. The text of these paragraphs should be further improved and elaborated through a multi-stakeholder consultative process in order to ensure that an adequate post-WSIS structure is in place. The purpose of such a structure will not only be to implement the outcomes of WSIS but also to take up information society issues as they emerge”.