



2010 Public Accounts and Estimates Committee Presentation

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Women's equal participation in all aspects of life

Priorities

- Women's safety
- Women's leadership
- Women's economic independence



Women's Safety: Progress and Reform

- Risk Assessment and Management Framework and training
- The ENOUGH Campaign
- Prevention focus: *A Right to Respect – State Plan to Prevent Violence Against Women 2010-2020*



New Funding for 2010-11

Key Women's Affairs Initiatives Funded in the 2010-11 State Budget

\$14.1 million over 4 years for *A Right to Respect: Victoria's Plan to Prevent Violence against Women*

\$2.7 million over 3 years for extending the Risk Assessment and Risk Management Framework

\$180,000 in 2010–2011 to support women's increased representation on boards and committees

\$100,000 in 2010–2011 for Financial Literacy Programs for Indigenous women and women from Culturally and Linguistically Diverse backgrounds



A Right to Respect: Prevention Plan

2010-11 Budget \$14.1m: Key funding elements

- Support for local agencies to coordinate and drive whole of community projects
- Extension of the Respectful Relationships Education in Schools
- Work with sporting codes to develop and implement programs to build environments that are safe and inclusive for women
- Support for workplaces in developing environments that are safe and inclusive of women
- Supporting media awards for reporting on violence against women
- Information campaigns and other community awareness programs



Common Risk Assessment Framework

\$2.7 million over 3 years to extend family violence risk assessment and management

- builds on the successful training program to date
- extends to new sectors - primary health services
- tailored training for services for vulnerable groups



Education, work and economic independence

2010-11 Budget: \$100,000 for financial literacy seminars for target groups

Representation and equity

2010-11 Budget: \$180,000 to support women's increased representation on boards and committees