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Subregional Dialogue on Advancing Gender Equality: A Review of the Beijing +30 in the Caribbean
Virtual meeting- Wednesday 19th February 2025

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

(GMT-4, Trinidad and Tobago Time)

- 10.00 a.m.– 10.15 a.m. **Opening of the meeting**
- Moderator of the session: Nicole Bidegain, Social Affairs Officer, Division for Gender Affairs, ECLAC*
- Welcome remarks
- Diane Quarless, Director ECLAC Subregional Headquarters for the Caribbean, Port of Spain
 - Isiuwa Iyahan, OIC, UN Women Multi-Country Office, Caribbean
- 10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. **Presentation: Brief presentation on the main findings of the UN Secretary-General's Report, highlighting global trends**
- Maria-Noel Vaeza, Regional Director, UN Women Americas and the Caribbean Regional Office
- 10:30 a.m.– 11:00 a.m. **Presentation: Action for equality, development and peace in Latin America and the Caribbean. Regional report on the review of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action 30 years after its adoption in synergy with the implementation of the Regional Gender Agenda**
- Ana Güzemes García, Director, Division for Gender Affairs of ECLAC
- 11:00 a.m. – 11:40 a.m. **The Caribbean at Beijing +30: trends, emerging issues and new approaches to accelerate progress**
- Interventions by Caribbean countries
- Comments by:
- L. Nana Oye Hesse-Bayne, Caribbean Women in Leadership (CIWIL)
 - Terry Ince, CEDAW Committee of Trinidad and Tobago (CCoTT)
- 11:40 a.m.– 12:00 p.m. **Discussion and Q&A**

12:00 p.m. – 12.15 p.m.

Closing remarks

- Maria-Noel Vaeza, Regional Director, UN Women Americas and the Caribbean Regional Office
- Ana Güzmes García, Director, Division for Gender Affairs of ECLAC