Statement on behalf of Asi an Pacif ic Resour ce and Research Centr e fr om Women (ARRO W)

We align ou r st at ement with the ISSRC w ritt en stat e ment , and th an k t he Chair and t he CPD

b ureau f or organ iz in g this ded icat ed con sultation on f ut ure role and organiz at ion of t he

Commission on Population and Development with CSOs

The ICPD PoA has the strongest mand ates for advancin g th e se xual and rep roductive health and

rights (SRHR), gender equality, population dynamics and achieving the Agenda 2030 on

su stain ab le develop ment . In th is regard , t he Commission on Population and Develop ment

(CPD), is the on ly in tergovernmental b ody with a mand at e t o f ollow -u p on t he imp lementation

of the ICPD Pr ogr amme of Action .

In light of t his ou r recommen dation s to th e Met hod s of Work of th e Commission are