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Oral Statement of APWLD for the 57<sup>th</sup> Session of the UN Commission on the Status of Women

Madame Chairperson, Members of the CSW Bureau and Distinguished Delegates of the CSW,

The Asia Pacific Forum on Women, Law and Development, shares this statement on behalf of women's rights civil society representatives and supportive agencies from 17 of the Asia Pacific region gathered in attendance to the Strategising Workshop for the 57<sup>th</sup> UN CSW February 2013, in Bangkok, Thailand. This space

