

Soroptimist Official Public Statement Policy

At this time, Soroptimist International of the Americas, Inc. does not develop, release, or endorse public statements related to political or social current affairs. As a global organization, numerous social, economic, and environmental issues face women and girls in the many countries and territories within and outside of our federation. We do not have the resources to explore and address them all.

Soroptimist International of the Americas, Inc. focuses on gender equality through education to drive the most significant impact, leading to economic empowerment. As such, if the board of directors determines a public statement is necessary, it will reflect our mission and the purpose of the work we are doing now, in the past, and in the future.

We depend on Soroptimist International to give voice to gender equality issues at the United Nations, where we take an active stance on various issues that affect the lives of women and girls. Soroptimist International positions are closely aligned with the UN Sustainable Goals concentrating on Goal 1 - No Poverty, Goal 4 - Education, Goal 5 - Gender Equality, Goal 8 – Decent Work, Goal 10 – Reduced Inequalities, and other areas related to women’s empowerment.