Gender: Analysis of the Fair Trade Gender Policy: Panel Discussion on progress made and what is still missing

□ Overview

A Global Gender Policy was adopted by the WGTO AGM this June. Needless to say, a larger part of the Policy is a reflection of the Gender Policy proposed by the Regional Working group in Asia. Now, the time has come when members need to internalize the Policy and with that objective in mind, the Asia Fair Trade Summit has dedicated a full session on the WFTO Gender Policy. It is an excellent opportunity to discuss and identify practical ways in which the Gender Policy needs to be adopted, implemented and monitored like other WFTO standards in the GS, at the level of member organizations. This also gives members an opportunity to critically look at the Policy to understand if anything is missing as there will always be a scope of improvement. Fundamentally, the aim of the session is to initiate a discourse on the Gender Policy in the context of achieving Principle 6, as laid down by WFTO.

• Date and Time: 9.00 am to 10.00 am, October 21, 2016

• Convenor: Sujata Goswami, Sasha and Netty Febriana, Forum Fair Trade Indonesia

• Attendee: Open to everyone, WFTO members are encouraged to participate

• Format: Panel discussion

• Location: Marakot

• Raporteur: Tanya Lutvey

o Panellists: Mitos Urgel, WEAVE, Milton Saranjit Ratna, Sunil Chitrakar, Agung

Alit, and Gudrun Timm. Presentation on Gender Policy Survey and

drafting: Tanya Lutvey

□ Programme

	Chair: Ms. Netty Febriana, Founder, Bian Fair Trade, Indonesia	
Tanya Lutvey	Tanya will do a small presentation on how the regional policy in Asia was developed on	
	recommendation of members.	
Mitos Urgel	The format is a panel discussion. There will be 4 panelists & a moderator. Each panelist will	
(WEAVE),	get 10 minutes to speak and respond. The convener will introduce the subject of the panel	
Milton Saranjit	njit discussion. The subject of the panel discussion will specifically focus on the WFTO Global	

Ratna (CORR - The	Gender Policy recently adopted by the AGM- What is missing, ways forward for its		
Jute Works), Sunil	implementation, monitoring and anticipated challenges.		
Chitrakar	The Policy is available online and can be downloaded by a QR code.		
(Mahaguthi Craft			
With Conscience),			
Agung Alit (Mitra			
Bali), Gudrun Timm			
(NAPP Fair Trade			
International) &			
More TBC			

Supporting documents: what if any supporting documents will be needed in addition to this document (and what format)

Documents name	Objective
WFTO Gender Policy	For reference