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Financing for Gender Equality

Mr Chairperson,

It is an honour and a privilege to address this session of the 52nd Commission on the Status of Women. You heard on Monday from the Presidency of the European Union on the EU's work in the area of financing for gender equality.

and the promotion of women's participation in cross-border activities.

It is also worth recalling that the implementation of the European
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partner countries – also containing references to the issue of promotion of
women's rights - is jointly monitored through sub-committees, including for
some partner countries through dedicated sub-committees on human rights 1

The European Community Programme for Employment and Social Solidarity –

has repeatedly called for a gender convention to be included in the E

Community budget process. We have launched a study to analyse the gender budgeting experiences in the Member States and international organisations and to examine the feasibility to apply gender budgeting on sections of the EC budget. The results are expected in mid-2008.

Thank you for giving me this opportunity to share with you part of the work of the European Commission on gender equality.