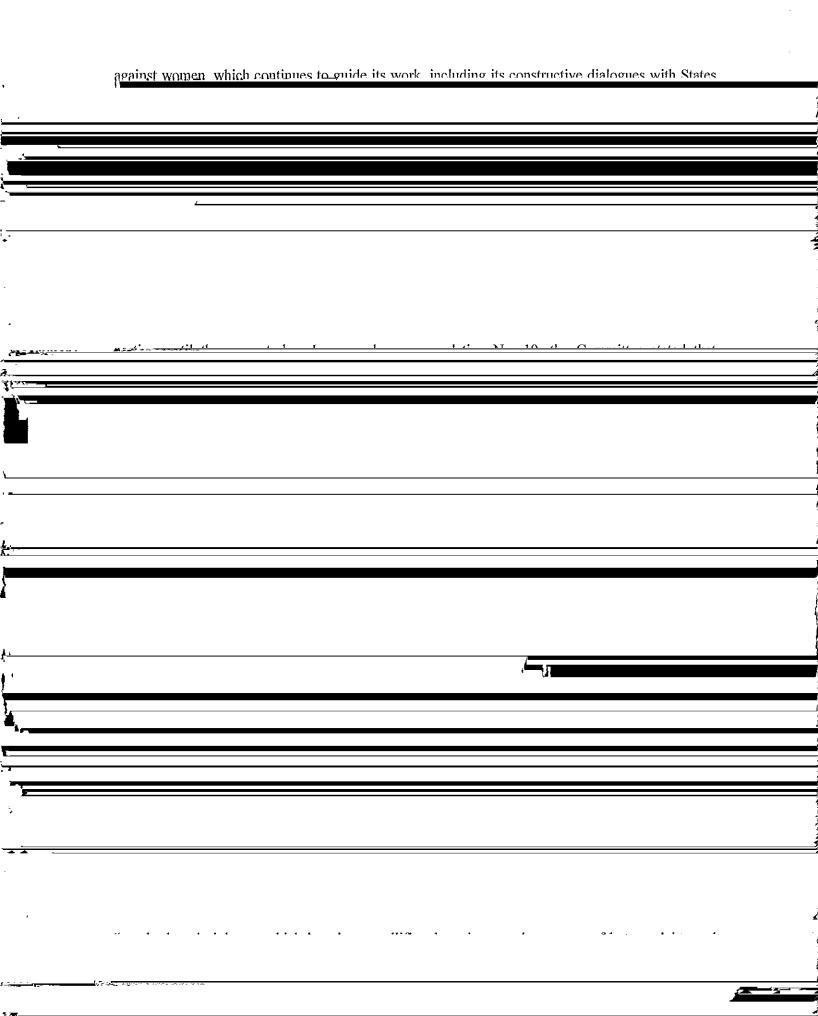


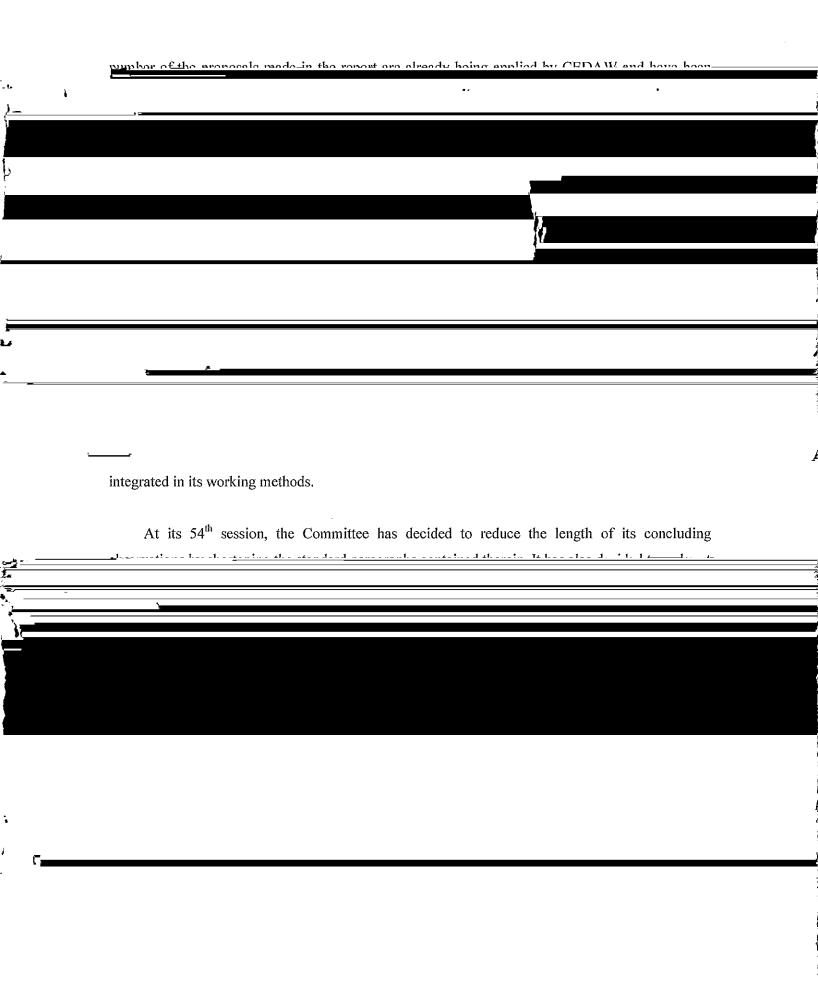
Statement by Ms. Nicole Améline, Chairperson of Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW) at the Fifty-seventh session of the Commission on the Status of Women

4 March 2013

	Madam Chairperson,
	Ladies and gentlemen,
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framework on violence against women. In its regular work, CEDAW comprehensively covers all forms of discrimination against women, including violence against women.

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Allow me to recall that the Committee has reviewed more than 400 reports and adopted 29
general recommendations, the most recent one being its general recommendation on the economic
consequences of marriage, family relations and their dissolution.
I would like also to pay tribute to the dedicated women and men who serve as members or
CEDAW. I would like to thank them as well as the CEDAW Secretariat which lends strong suppor
to our work.
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