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Dear Sir/Madam

**Reserve 40% for Plantation Women in the Local Government Election- 2011**

Hope you will agree with us that the plantation women represent 52 % of the voters in the plantation sector, playing a major role in country's and the family economy. In spite of their major role in both the economy and elections, yet they are being marginalized from the decision making fora such Local Governments, Provincial Councils and Parliament.

Locally and globally it has been proved that women are capable to rule with efficiency, our country being the first country to prove this in electing its first woman prime minister and an executive president.

At present there are women representatives in the Parliament and one in the central provincial council alone plantation woman but there are no plantation women representatives in either the local governments or Parliament.

Therefore, taking into consideration this burning issue we request you to ensure that your party list of candidates for the forthcoming local government's elections has a reservation of at least 40% for women.

We on our part assure you that we will give our fullest cooperation for victory your women candidate's by enlightening the voters

Victory of women - Victory for Democracy.

Thank You,

Yours Sincerely,

K. Yogeshwari.  
President