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Standing for National Women's Committee

I am a Labour councillor, lifelong feminist, lesbian, mother and grandmother, with decades of experience organising within the Labour Party.
Women's concerns are still often dismissed, minimised or talked over. This weakens women's participation and undermines trust in our democratic structures.

Labour must uphold women as a sex class in law, in line with the Equality Act, and ensure women's rights to dignity, safety and freedom of expression are respected. Most voters agree women should not be forced to share intimate spaces or sporting competition with males, and should be able to speak openly without intimidation.

Priorities - I will work to:

- Rebuild strong women's structures within Labour, including a standalone Women's Conference with real policy-making power,
- Defend women's sex-based rights in law and ensure Labour policy is applied lawfully and consistently,
- Challenge misogyny and homophobia within the Party and promote respectful, evidence-based debate,
- Ensure women's voices and experience shape Labour policy, particularly on safety, work, healthcare and caring responsibilities.

Labour must be a party where women can organise, speak and lead as equals. I will work to make that a reality.

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I am a Labour and Co-operative councillor in West London, where I have served my community for eight years. My casework keeps me closely connected to the realities many women face — particularly single mothers balancing caring responsibilities, insecure work and rising costs. I

I am standing because I want to bring practical campaigning experience into Labour's women's structures. I am not afraid to ask difficult questions or to push against the structural misogyny increasingly identified within our party and wider society.

Priorities - I will work to:

- Ensure women and girls can rely on their rights as set out in law, including access to single-sex services and safe, decent healthcare,
- Advocate for women made vulnerable by poverty, caring responsibilities, exploitation or abuse,
- Strengthen women's representation and influence within Labour's policy-making and decision-making structures,
- Support clear, lawful implementation of Labour policy so women are not left to enforce their rights alone

Labour should be a party that listens to women's experience and translates equality into practical change. I am standing to help make that happen.

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