

## Statement 8 March 2024

They want to empty the date of 8M of its initial content, as a date of vindication and struggle for women's rights. They want to displace the demands for others outside **the Feminist Agenda**, seeking to blur the meagre achievements obtained and blur them in false inclusivity. But the attacks also come from the declarations and proclamations of political forces bent on returning us to the private sphere, removing us from public spaces, silencing our voices, taking us back to times we thought we had forgotten.

Patriarchy advances in different guises and guises, with misogyny disguised as tolerance and the apology of diversity. We are led to believe that the maximum expression of tolerance and respect for HR is the apology of every desire, yearning, dream, of each individual, ahead of a common and collective good. Every personal aspiration can be a motive for regulation; society as a whole must adapt to the supposed wellbeing of each person who requires it. The slogan "the right to be happy" encompasses and summarises the credo of this new neo-liberal doctrine.

The patriarchy has responded to the few achievements that women have made towards our emancipation by persecuting, imprisoning, assassinating, erasing the existence of women fighters, and more closely, punishing those who defend their children from male chauvinist and vicarious violence, silencing dissidents, cancelling jobs and voices, diluting feminist agendas into diverse demands, backtracking on rights achieved, dividing forces in struggles that are alien to our own objectives. The attack is frontal, but it also comes disguised as a so-called "inclusive, intersectional feminism" that forgets the universal character that allows the liberation of all women from the oppression of patriarchy, whatever form it takes and wherever it occurs.

Male violence, in all its forms, is the visible sign of an unjust inequality between men and women. The false idea of achieving equality is a propaganda manoeuvre that stops real progress and perpetuates the system of structural inequality in which women live.

**This 8M we continue to demand each and every one of the points of the Feminist Agenda.** The change of ownership in the Ministry of Equality is taking place in an election period and we are attentive to the fulfilment of the promises that are being made, opportunely and timidly, but which are very lukewarm with respect to our demands. Our struggle continues along the same path to advance in real equality and put an end to structural inequalities.

Women's equality will come when our economic conditions allow us de facto emancipation, but today the labour, personal and social reality of women shows a pessimistic picture, in terms of the precariousness they endure, whether we are talking about temporary or part-time work.

**The feminist movement is internationalist, that is why, this 8M, we express our indignation at the genocide of the Palestinian people perpetrated by Israel and at the fate of the murdered women and minors. We demand from the Spanish government a real condemnation and the blocking of arms sales to the state of Israel. As an internationalist movement, this 8M we remember all women who live in war contexts and in countries where their rights are trampled. Our solidarity with all of them.**

1. Women are the political subject of Feminism.
2. We defend an internationalist and pacifist feminism, for the development of the human rights of women and children, any time, anywhere, and respect for Earth.
3. We strengthen alliances with other organizations, feminist platforms and spaces.
4. it is essential for the autonomy and independence of women the right to work in equality with men
5. We stand for policies that bring equal opportunities in educación, health, labor market and social care between women and men.
6. We advocate for a Statal Agreement for the eradication of violence against women, with mandatory guidelines and budget allocations that prevent, care and repair victims, including vicarious and institutional violence.
7. We demand transparency, publicity and oversight over the State Pact Funds and monitor its results.
8. We pursue the elimination of the structural inequality suffered by women in salaries, pensions, family care times until it is eliminated.
9. Care and co-responsibility policies. We are committed to a public care system sensitive to equality between women and men.
10. Educational and cultural policies that guarantee the personal and social autonomy of women and girls for free and safe development of their personality.
11. We declare ourselves abolitionists of prostitution, pornography, trafficking, surrogacy, ovo donation, gender and self identification of one's sex.
12. We claim the right of women to have rights for themselves, as the only way to be considered humans, not a purchase to be merchandised.
13. We act in sorority, if one is touched, everyone responds.

