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Signature of The Sarah & Hajar Accords Declaration

Historical first diplomatic accords signed by political women for women's rights

That's one small step for women diplomacy, one giant leap for humankind

Tel Aviv, Israel - Guila Clara Kessous, a disciple of Nobel Peace Prize Elie Wiesel and student of Harvard negotiator Wiliam Ury creates this official document that is echoing The Abraham Accords declaration. Based on the respect of women's rights and the willingness of a better visibility of women in diplomacy, this unique declaration proclaims the importance of the relation to human dignity that should happen in any social treatment that woman implies in the region of the Middle East and in the entire world. It is time for reconciliation between those two matriarchs who symbolized the strength and the courage to give birth to entire civilizations. First accords on women's rights signed by political women, this world premiere declaration is a one of a kind in the diplomatic field and will be signed on April 27, 2023 at 9PM in front of 300 people.

*"It is time for women role model in diplomacy to inspire others and speak up
for women's rights in the Middle East Region"*

— Dr. Guila Clara Kessous

Peace Ambassador, UNESCO Artist for Peace

Four exceptional women convened to those accords and endorsed them with pride representing Abrahamic Accords countries: Barhain, Morocco, United Arab Emirates and Israel. Each representant presented herself as role model in diplomacy, engaging for helping women by inspiring them to have proper role in the table of negotiation and defending women's rights in link with human dignity.

"I firmly believe that the advancement of women's rights goes hand in hand with the overall progress and stability of our society" states Her Excellency Nancy Khedoury, Member of the Shura Council, Deputy Chairperson of The Foreign Affairs Defence and National Security Committee and Human Rights Committee of Barhain.

"We, women, today want to take the path of peace so that together we can live with each other, with one another, in the same world of dignity, justice and freedom" continues Maître Maria Belafia, elected to the region of Rabat, President of the Economic Commission of the Rabat region and Founding Member of the Moroccan Center for Legal Studies.

"We should put our hands together and think creatively, out of the box, how women can really and truly make a contribution to the world and make it a better place" insists Mrs. Ruth Wasserman Lande, co-chair of the Knesset Caucus for the Promotion of the Abraham Accords, former Member of the Knesset in Israel.

At last, Her Excellency Afra Mahest Al Hameli, Director of Strategic Communications Department at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs & International Cooperation of the United Arab Emirates is concluding: "Dedicated to the girls of today and the women of tomorrow, the UAE continues to working tirelessly alongside the international community to enhance the status of women and realize our vision for a better world".

No doubt that those accords will offer new feminine visibility in the region and will be a "fantastic way to help women role model to be heard in all the countries which signed the Abraham Accords" states first woman Nobel Peace Prize of Islamic countries, Iranian Dr. Shirin Ebadi who congratulated Dr. Guila Clara Kessous, Peace Ambassador and UNESCO Artist for Peace for "her strength and courage as a diplomatic entrepreneur".

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