

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

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Question: PM 25

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Topic: Women's National Non-Government Secretariats

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Senator Crossin asked: Similarly, for other years can you provide me with a list of those organisations associated with the secretariat.

Answer: As at June 2004 there are 59 members of the National Secretariats (with six organisations represented on more than one Secretariat, indicated by **). Consortium members are:

Australian Women's Coalition Inc (AWC). (12 members)

- Current members are:
 - Australian Church Women
 - Australian Federation of Medical Women**
 - Council of the Ageing
 - Guides Australia**
 - Soroptimist International**
 - United Nations Development Fund for Women
 - Zonta International - District 24
 - Pan Pacific and South East Asia Women's Association of Australia
 - Catholic Women's League Australia
 - National Council of Women of Australia
 - Salvation Army
 - National Council of Jewish Women of Australia

National Rural Women's Coalition Inc (NRWC). (7 members)

- Current members are:
 - Australian Women in Agriculture
 - Country Women's Association of Australia
 - Women's Industry Network Seafood Community
 - Australian Local Government Women's Association
 - National Rural Health Alliance
 - Foundation for Australian Agricultural Women

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- An Indigenous woman

WomenSpeak Network – YWCA Australia as agent. (32 members)

- Current members are:
 - Soroptimist International**
 - Guides Australia**
 - Catholic Women's League of Australia
 - International Women's Development Agency
 - National Foundation for Australian Women
 - Women's International League for Peace and Freedom
 - Children by Choice
 - Australian Federation of Medical Women**
 - National Association of Services Against Sexual Violence
 - Australian Women's Network Health
 - Australian Federation of University Women**
 - National Council of Single Mothers and Their Children
 - Public Health of Australia (Women's Special Interest Group)
 - UNIFEM
 - United Nations Association of Australia Status of Women Network
 - Women's Electoral Lobby
 - Working Against Sexual Harassment (WASH)**
 - Australian Bahai Community – Office of Equality
 - Migrant Women's Lobby Group of South Australia
 - Project Respect
 - Union of Australian Women
 - Victorian Immigrant and Refugee Women's Coalition**
 - Women with Disabilities Australia
 - Women's Economic Think Tank (WETTANK)
 - Body Image and Eating Disorders Network of South Australia
 - National Union of Students (Women's Department)
 - National Council of Churches in Australia (Gender Commission)
 - National Liaison Committee for International Students in Australia (Women's Department)
 - An Indigenous woman
 - Australasian Council of Women and Policing
 - Aboriginal Legal Rights Movement in South Australia
 - YWCA Australia

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Security 4 Women – Australian Federation of Business and Professional Women (BPW Australia) as agent. (12 members)

- Current members are:
 - Association of Women Educators
 - Australian Federation of University Women**
 - Certified Practising Accountants (Women)
 - View Clubs Australia
 - Koori Women Mean Business
 - Women With Disabilities Australia
 - Working Against Sexual Harassment (WASH)**
 - Positive Women (Victoria) Inc
 - Voice, Interests and Education of Women (VIEW)
 - Victorian Immigrant and Refugee Women's Coalition**
 - Victorian Women's Trust
 - BPW Australia