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**I. REFERENCES**

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- B. Beijing Platform for Action (BPfA).
- C. Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) and Similar International Conventions and Commitments.
- D. Relevant provisions of the 1987 Philippine Constitution.
- E. Republic Act No. 7192, Women in Development and Nation Building Act (1992), and Its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR).
- F. Women Empowerment Development and Gender Equality (WEDGE) Plan 2014-2016
- G. EO No. 273 Approving and Adopting the Philippine Plan for Gender Responsive Development (PPGD-1995-2025).
- H. Republic Act 9710, An Act Providing for the Magna Carta of Women (MCW) of 2009, and Its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR).
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- J. Defense Planning Guidance 2013-2018
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- M. PCW-Office of the Presidential Adviser on the Peace Process (OPAPP) Joint Circular 2014-01, Subj: Integration of Women, Peace and Security Programs, Activities and Projects in Annual GAD Plans and Budgets, and GAD Accomplishment Reports
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