

**Questions for the Record Submitted to
Ambassador Kelley Currie by
Representative Virginia Foxx (#1)
House of Representatives Committee on Oversight and Reform
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Question 1:

My question to all of you is, in your opinions, what would a successful implementation of line of effort four look like by 2023 and in the years beyond?

Answer 1:

The United States is committed to protecting the rights of women globally. Through Women, Peace, and Security efforts in working with governments, civil society, religious communities, and the private sector, we are already seeing results from Sudan to Colombia. As Line of Effort 4 is implemented, the Department will continue to support WPS-related policies at local, regional, and national levels to scale women's contributions to peace and security; develop and expand global coalitions, public-private partnerships, and other collaborations in support of WPS; and promote accountability of international organizations in meeting their responsibilities on WPS, women's empowerment, and conflict prevention, including gender-based violence.

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