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THE PRIME MINISTER

I am delighted to send my best wishes to all those gathered at Soroptimist International's 2016 Conference in Malta.

Soroptimist International is doing tremendous work to educate and empower women and girls around the world, and you should all be tremendously proud of your achievements over the past year.

The UK Government is working at home and abroad to remove the barriers facing women and girls in achieving full equality. This is an enormous undertaking, and one that no government can achieve alone. That is why the work of Soroptimist International and other non-governmental groups is so important. You are harnessing the power of individuals and volunteers, and investing that power into the futures of women and girls across the globe.

I hope you have a successful Conference and send my very best wishes for your next year of work.

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