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## **Women Move the World, Now We Stop! #HuelgaDeTodas! All on strike!**

Women are tired of the social, economic and legal policies that undermine increasingly severe form against our rights, our dignity and our freedom.

**Regressive laws like abortion or assisted reproduction** that deny us the right to freely decide whether or not to become mothers, because control over women's bodies and our reproductive capacity have been provided, central strategy of building sexist and patriarchal power. We do not want illegal abortions and the loneliness of women in them. We demand the right to abortion in safe, decent conditions, a public health system that does not criminalize women or abandon us to our fate.

**35 women have been murdered in the first months of 2014** in the Spanish state, and more than 1 in 4 women have suffered serious attacks, but the macho violence remain invisible and prevention work and equal education from childhood remains absent educational plans. Also in 2013 there was a 39% reduction of the budgets of 27% equity and comprehensive care to GBV (when the average cut was 8.9%).

**Criminal cuts to public services and social welfare** (education, health, social services, etc.) that affect us more to us than the rest of the population: we are most employed in these sectors and therefore that we were unemployed ; we remain where we take care of children, elderly and dependent and therefore that amortiguamos the disappearance of these services; we are among the most precarious and impoverished sectors of the population and, therefore, they have less access to these services if they are not public.

**A brutal repression that holds us, imprisons and cripples**, by the mere fact manifest, not to remain silent, when no fear and no police repression nor any attempt to criminalize can stop our dreams of a real life, in which the welfare of the people and respect for nature are not subordinated to the profit of a few.

**Exclusion health, immigration laws** that condemn us to the hidden labor, racism and xenophobic attacks, vulnerability, racist raids, if not the locked-in IECs where the violation of human rights is daily and even deportation. The cuts and lack of job prospects have led to the return of native people in the lower paid and this has led many migrant women (previously performed by these low-paying jobs without warranties or labor rights) to live in misery, condemned poverty and one (yet) greater social exclusion, which is just one of the many faces of violence against women.

**Labour reforms that deepen inequalities in labor** already facing women. Freezing the minimum wage, reform of the income tax, the VAT increase, labor reform (which precarious wage labor of women and increases the wage gap), postponing improving widow's pension or pension freeze We leave on the most vulnerable.

Being almost exclusively responsible for care work, **we just intensifying domestic work time to make cuts and privatization in social services.** Debt, and reforms that apply on their behalf, reinforce and deepen an employment structure that relies on double or triple shifts for women, and the maintenance of the traditional roles of patriarchy. Financial contributions unpaid and unpaid work of women constitute an immeasurable debt.

**These and many other reasons lead us to want to call a general strike.**

The idea stems from the striking depletion of many to the increasingly serious situation to attack the social, economic, civil, sexual and reproductive, etc.

We propose that the forms of struggle that are conducting: demonstrations, rallies ... although necessary are not enough and we want to take another step, trying to bring about a **new stage of mobilization and rupture**, which is spark for activation of all we are tired, not only those who are fed well organized.

**WE WANT A STRIKE POLICY, creative, productive strike that transcends and incorporates new actresses that this does not include SOCIAL STRIKE, STRIKE A CONSUMER, A FEMINIST STRIKE A strike by everyone.**

## Why a strike?

Because we think it's a fighting tool power clean; because we want to recover the tradition of women who have played key roles in historical strikes; reappropriarnosla because we want to stop being a tool only in the service of formal worker, male and white and becomes a tool of all.

## But what kind of strike?

We want a strike that specifically makes visible the unequal conditions in which we are women, a strike of everyone that is called by women and where women and our demands are protagonists. A strike in which we can associate ourselves from our possibilities, and reflects our reality (each and all).

A productive strike, yes, but mostly a strike to get out of the androcentric classic patterns to serve all people, workers and non-workers, and all jobs, productive, reproductive, domestic, sexual, formal or submerged.

A consumer strike, denouncing the predatory capitalist system market; strike stops showing that the stops are active and are struggling; Retired strike, a strike by civil disobedience, strike students, a strike by all.

## For when?

By 22 October, with enough time to think it, prepare, coordinate, convene, make it our own; but postpone it to infinity, letting the current saturation point and our need to say enough.

Therefore, to think together we invite you to participate in this process of building a strike of all to advance the process of defining the strike we want. Also invites your friends and your neighbors.

**Because we were already living in crisis before the crisis. Women move the world, stop now! All Strike! All on strike!**