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Diary Note 5th March Amnesty International launches campaign to stop violence against women

Amnesty International will launch a global campaign, Stop Violence Against Women, on 5 March, ahead of International Women's Day. The organization says that it will "mobilise both men and women to work to counter violence and to use the power and persuasion of the human rights framework in the efforts to stop violence against women".

The two-year campaign will focus on violence within the family and violence against women in conflict. A launch event takes place in London at 10:00 on Friday, 5 March.

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