

Gender Balance Act (the Netherlands)

Gender Equality · Literature / resource · Netherlands · National

Quality score: 81/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

On September 28, 2021, the Dutch senate approved a bill aimed at creating a more balanced ratio between woman and men in management and supervisory boards. The bill replaces the statutory target regulation of Article 2:166/267 Dutch Civil Code for large NVs and BVs, which expired

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Transferability / replicability	3/3
Impact on gender equality	1/1
Effectiveness	1/1
Evaluated outcomes	1/1
Achievement / evidence	1/1
Gender-mainstreaming embedding	1/1
Sustainability	1/1
Curator validation	0/1

Evaluated by ProPEGE consortium (Equal Leadership)

Data sources

[ProPEGE — Equal Leadership catalogue](#) — accessed 2026-06-14

[Practice website](#) — accessed 2026-06-14

[Promoter website](#) — accessed 2026-06-14

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