

**N.I. WOMEN'S COALITION**  
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**Press Release**

**Where is the Democratic Responsibility?**

The Northern Ireland Women's Coalition office has been taking phone calls all day from members of the Unionist Community who were distraught at the enormous set back to the Good Friday Agreement.

These callers have made it clear, said Monica McWilliams that they felt that their views had not been heard and that no democratic responsibility had been shown to the 50% of the Unionist community who had voted yes in the referendum. Where are we supposed to go now ? asked one.

Monica McWilliams will be meeting with the British Government this morning to hear from them what possibilities are left for the way forward.

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