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The editorial comments on key changes for women in the transition from Communism: political representation had dropped; more women were overrepresented among the unemployed; socialist reproductive rights were being challenged; women's domesticity promoted as a virtue; and pornography and marketing of women's bodies seen as 'freedom'. Women were also more vulnerable to various sorts of violence, including sexual harassment at work, domestic violence and sex trafficking.

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