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NHRCN Will Arrange National Conference to End Racial Discrimination and Untouchability

National Human Rights Commission, Nepal decided to campaign nationwide to end the practice of racial discrimination and untouchability. By concluding provincial and national conference, in the meantime, the Commission has its action plan to publish the report. The Commission today has organized a consultation and discussion meeting with the stakeholders for collecting their opinion/suggestions as a part of preparation of the conference.

From the participants in the discussion, NHRCN received suggestions that the conference should focus on the various issues of rights of the dalit community, participation from the law implementing agencies should be ensured, dalits and non dalits are to be participants. They also opined that the Commission should form a permanent body for the continuous effort to implement the recommendations to the government regarding the issues raised in the conference.

The Commission has already conducted the preparatory consultation meeting with National Dalit Commission and the Dalit NGO Federation.

During the discussion, NHRC Acting Chairperson Prakash Osti, Director of NHRCN Dr. Tika Ram Pokharel, the intellectuals working in the field of Dalit rights including the officials of NHRCN were among those present during the discussion.

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