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The incident of Acid Attack

NHRC urges to book the culprit

The serious attention of the National Human Rights Commission has been drawn to the incident of acid attack perpetrated on two school girls namely Sangita Magar and Sima Basnet in the capital including another incident of rape perpetrated on a six year old girl in Bara district.

The NHRC team led Commissioner Sudeep Pathak visited Sanigta Magar, one of the injured at the Sinamangal-based Kathmandu Medical College Teaching Hospital and obtained the information about the incident. Though the doctor involved in the treatment informed that the injured victims is out of danger, it would take more than a month to heal the wound caused from the acid attack. It is learned that Seema Basnet, another victim of the attack returned home after first aid treatment.

The Commission, therefore, urges that Government to immediately book those involved in throwing acid on schoolgirls and take stern action against them.

The Commission would also like to draw the attention of the government towards taking effective steps to end all forms of violence against women, girls and children, make necessary arrangement for the treatment of the victims and also strictly monitor the import and selling of acid.

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