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Press Note

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Discussion held between Social Justice and Human Rights Committee and the NHRC on the overall human rights situation after the earthquake hit the nation

Lalitpur: Social Justice and Human Rights Committee of parliament and the National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) held discussion today on jointly monitoring overall human rights situation in the country.

At the discussion held in Singha Durbar office between chairperson of the committee, Constituent Assembly (CA) members and the NHRC Officials, the decision has been reached to conduct the joint monitoring on overall human rights situation as well as ongoing rescue, relief and reconstruction efforts in the districts affected by the devastating earthquake.

Similarly, the, Chairperson Justice Anup Raj Sharma and other Commissioners briefed on the ongoing monitoring the aftermath human rights situation of the earthquake conducted by the Commission. Chairperson said that the Commission has been constantly engaged in the monitoring on whether or not the victims have received the relief and this will continue in the days ahead as well. He also briefed about the parliamentary committee about the attention of the government authorities drawn towards the delay in the relief operation.

At the discussion, commissioners Prakash Osti, Sudip Pathak, Mohna Ansari and Govinda Sharma Paudyal briefed the parliamentary committee on the monitoring report, which highlights lack of coordination between government agencies as well as other organizations, genuine victims facing the deprivation of relief, distribution of substandard foods to the victims in some places as well as women and child living under high risk of violence such as trafficking.

They also urged the government to take up necessary measures well in time to protect from the possible future landslide and floods following the earthquake.

On the occasion, Sushil Kumar Shrestha, chairperson of the committee and the CA members said that the parliamentary committee would give necessary directives to the government soon for re-coating the earth affected villages at safe places before the monsoon begins.

They also ascertained that they will advance all human rights related activities in coordination with the commission in the days come.

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Commissioner /Spokesperson