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NHRC requests to save individual's life from hunger strike

National Human Rights Commission of Nepal draws its attention towards a team of six persons' relay hunger strike in Kathmandu for the past nine days demanding the effective enforcement of the agreement on 6 July between the government of Nepal Ministry of Health and Population and the persons on hunger strike to intensify the PCR testing works to prevent and control COVID-19 spreading globally.

The Commission today monitored the demands of the persons and the health condition of the people on hunger strike visiting at Basantapur. During monitoring NHRC received information that two of the protestors are on relay hunger strike in Kathmandu for the past nine days and Samira Shreestha's health condition is quite weakening. The Commission in the past too monitored their health condition at Patan Hospital on 1 July.

Thus, the Commission requests to the government of Nepal to to save lives of those who are on a relay hunger strike and address their demands related to health through dialogus and talks and solve problem implementing the previous agreements. Similarly, the Commission requests to the protesting group of people to not to follow the determined path like hunger strike and seek solution through dialogus and talks

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