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### **Request to arrange health treatment in the fearless environment**

National Human Rights Commission draws its attention seriously towards the condition that enraged by the manacles that bound Resham Chaudhary's leg to the bed at Bir Hospital, where Chaudhary is undergoing his health treatment and also the presence of security personnel with the arms in the hospital cabin.

When the Commission team monitored the hospital on June 22, 2019, the security personnel in the hospital cabin were present with the arms. Because of his back pain, he was admitted for treatment at the hospital on June 20 and he was enraged by the manacles till June 21 evening. This act is also against as mentioned in the section 11 (2) of the Prison Act 2063 which provides if any Detainee or Prisoner becomes extremely sick and have to kept in a hospital for better treatment, the handcuff and fetter, shall be taken off.

Thus, the Commission draws attention to the Government of Nepal and the hospital administration to arrange fearless environment for health treatment without imposing mental and physical effects upon the individual while pursuing the security alertness to the detainees and prisoners brought to the hospital for health treatment. The Commission also requests to the Government of Nepal to take action against authority who provided directive order to enrage by the manacles.

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