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Ensure protection of right to life in a fearless environment

National Human Rights Commission draws its attention seriously towards the incidents of loss of life and property due to the bomb explosion, arson and vandalism happened today and yesterday in the capital city Kathmandu and Morang, Makwanpur, Tanahun, Pokhara, Nawalparasi (East), Baitadi, Surkhet, Sarlahi, Sindhuli including other districts.

The media monitoring shows the death of 4 persons in Kathmandu due to explosion of bombs and the injury of 8 persons due to bomb explosion, arson and vandalism in the various parts of the country. The fear and horror are created to the citizens due to explosive devices found in the various places in the country and difficulty has been created for free and fearless movement of the people. The Biplav led Communist Party called strike has created very difficult condition in human life. The bomb attacks targeting to the public transportations including the buses have also damaged some of the vehicles.

From these incidents, person's right to live with dignity is violated as provided by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, 1948, the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, 1966, and other international conventions in which Nepal is a state party and the Article 16 of the Constitution of Nepal.

The Commission believes in the situation of discrepancy, struggle and conflict may be overcome through mediation and dialogue rather than rivalry or killing or violence, arson and vandalism like activities. Thus, the Commission requests concerned all to respect and protect the inalienable rights of the people to live in peaceful environment restricting the politics of extortion, violence, killing and explosion as there is no destination of such kind of politics. Similarly, the Commission requests to the Government of Nepal to provide proper relief to the deceased family members, to arrange effective and free health treatment of the injured persons, provide adequate relief and compensation to the lost property assessing their loss.

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