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Press Note

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Implementation of the NHRC Recommendations stressed

The National Human Rights Commission has organized a consultation with the civil society for the effective implementation of the NHRC recommendations on the incidents of human rights violation in the context of dissatisfying implementation status of most of the NHRC recommendations.

At the program, the Commission informed that the recommendations have been made on a total of 737 complaints on the incidents of human rights violations. It is learnt that, among these, 14% of the recommendations has been fully implemented, 48 % has been partially implemented while 38% of them remains unimplemented till date.

Expressing worries over the bleak picture of implementation status of the NHRC recommendations, human rights activists and the members of civil society have strongly stressed on the effective implementation of the constitutional rights body's recommendation in full. They have also suggested to the Commission to carry out vetting of the officials, authorities, the individuals and publicize their names in the event of their failure to implement the NHRC recommendations as per the NHRC Act-2012.

The Commission may make public names of officials, persons or agencies that do not knowingly implement or observe the recommendations or orders or directives made by the Commission with regard to violations of human rights as Human Rights Violators, according to section 7 of the Act.

At the program, amendment in the existing laws was also suggested to make the human rights violators accountable for due implementation of the recommendations. The NHRC Chairperson Justice Anup Raj Sharma and other Commissioners informed that the Commission has begun its initiative for the effective implementation of the NHRC recommendations.

Discussion held on the Jajarkot Incident

Similarly, the Commission has acquired the information on the Jajarkot incident from the Office of the Prime Minister and Council of Ministers, Health Ministry, Ministry of Home Affairs, Defense Ministry, Nepal Medical Association and the Officials from the Nursing Association at the Commission.

At the discussion program held at the NHRC, Chairperson Sharma has issued a directive to the Officials from various Ministries to establish coordination among one another with regard to the Jajarkot incident and resolve the problems by combating the endemic as soon as possible.

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