

Report of NRNA ICC Women coordinator (July – Dec 2014)

1) Women right in Constitution of Nepal

- equal gender right
- issuing Nepali citizenship to children born to Nepali Mother or Father
- Issuing travel document to children born in foreign land to Nepali mothers

Regarding these issues meeting were held with Rt. Honorable Mr. Sushil Koiral, Prime Minister of Nepal and Rt. Honorable Mr. Subhash Chandra Nembang, speaker of CA .

A letter was presented to Rt. Hon. Mr Subhash Chandra Nembang.

During the session of CNC in NRN day this issue was also raised in from of CA members and chairs of citizenship committee in CA.

2) Foreign migrant women worker

- a) Meeting was held with Labor and Employment Minister H.E. Mr. Tek Bahadur Gurung and DG of Department of Foreign Employment department .A Letter was presented to H.E. Minister.

NRNA had listed 5 major demands from Government of Nepal.

- To build a shelter (safe house) in countries exceeding 1000 Nepali women in foreign employment (NRNA can guide).
- The organizations giving false Health and orientation certificates should be taken under strict control.
- Banning Age and place is not a solution. After receiving the citizen every human has right to decide. So the age 30 years for Women going in FE should be removed and Government has to find other solutions.
- To secure Nepali citizens, Nepal Government has to sign agreement with all countries , where Nepali citizens go for FE.
- Micro financing should be provided to returnee women , legally gone in FE . This will help her establish life in Nepal and also go in FE legally.

- b) MOU was signed in UN women and Paurakhi

UN women

A workshop was organized by UN women and NIDS after the NRN day. The result of this workshop is as below

- 1) Advocacy in Citizenship (CA)

- 2) Advocacy for migrant workers and returnees (women in particular)
- 3) Promote women economic empowerment (WEP)
 - Signing of WEP program by companies owned by NRNs (equal gender right in work place etc.) Few companies have already given their consent.
 - Organize a seminar on “ Women empowerment and entrepreneur development”.
- 4) Interaction program between NCC women forum and UN women department in different countries

Paurakhi

- Bilateral relation between Paurakhi and NRNa was discussed. NCCs role to help Nepali migrant women worker in need was discussed.

- A seminar was organized by Paurakhi and NIDS on the issues of returnee migrant worker.

3) NRNA Programs – participation of WF : conferences, sessions, seminar, interaction programs:

- 5th NRNA Women regional meeting , Barcelona , Spain ,June 2014
- 8th Regional conference, Nagano, Japan, September 2014
- NRN Day 2014 , Kathmandu, Nepal, October 2014
- Formation of NRNA NCC women forum : France , July 2014
- Formation of NRNA NCC women forum : Denmark, November 2014
- Formation of NRNA NCC women forum: Portugal, December, 2014
- Cyber teleconference with NRNA woman forum , December 2014

4) Charity Project - women welfare fund : 1 Eur/ month (on going)

5) Uterus prolapse project

- Health camp was organized in Dhangadhi , Kailali on the occasion of NRN day . 155 patients went through screening and 40 patients were operated successfully.

6) Future Plans January - March (passed by NRNA women forum):

- 1) Write a open letter to Constitutional Assembly regarding the children's right on getting Nepali citizenship born to Nepali mother or Father.
- 2) Work out a proposal for Government of Nepal regarding Women Migrant workers.
 - 3) Organize a health camp "Uterus prolapse" on the occasion of International women's day in Nepal.
 - 4) Organize various programs on the occasion of International women's day globally.