

**Statement by Mr. Amar RAI, First Secretary**

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**Madam Vice-President,**

Nepal welcomes the delegation of the Commonwealth of Dominica to the fourth cycle of UPR and thanks them for the presentation of national report.

We appreciate Dominica’s constructive engagements and cooperation with the human rights instruments and mechanisms; and take positive note of the measures taken to implement the recommendations of the last UPR.

The National Resilience Development Strategy 2030 which captures the vision of becoming the first climate resilient nation in the world is noteworthy.

In a constructive spirit, we would like to recommend Dominica the following:

1. Take further measures to combat domestic violence.
2. Scale up efforts to prevent child labour.
3. Establish a national human rights institution in line with the Paris Principles.

We wish Dominica a successful review.

**Thank you, Madam Vice-President.**