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Liechtenstein welcomes the distinguished delegation of Nepal and wishes to thank for the information provided in the introductory statement and in the national report.

In a constructive spirit, Liechtenstein recommends that Nepal

1. Take effective steps to combat all forms of child labor and extent the Child Labor Act to all areas of work.

2. Strengthen its efforts to put an end to torture and ill-treatment of children in all settings, including by ensuring that children were detained as a measure of last resort only.

3. Take effective steps to eliminate all forms of sexual and gender-based violence, including by broadening the definition of family and domestic violence to cover all forms of gender-based violence against women as well as by ensuring effective access to gender-based violence response services, and to provide justice to survivors.

We wish Nepal all the success in its review. We thank you.