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United Nations International Strategy for Disaster Risk Reduction
World Disaster Reduction Campaign 2010-11

Re: Expression of Interest on World Disaster Reduction Campaign 2010-11

Dear Madam/Sir,

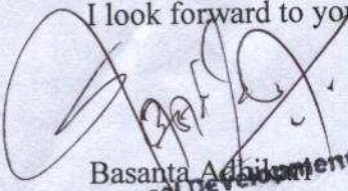
It is my pleasure to inform you that District Development Committee, Nawalparasi is willing to participate world disaster reduction campaign 2010-11. We believe this as an opportunity to us to further institutionalize the initiatives taken in the district to disaster risk reduction and raise awareness of communities and stakeholders for the same.

The DDC facilitated preparation of community based disaster management plans (CBDMP) for 28 VDCs in the priority. These CBDMPs are under implementation with support from different stakeholders. Disaster Management Committees (DMCs) have been formed in each VDC as institutional set up at the local level to facilitate the implementation integrating DRR into mainstream development.

I am confident that participation in this campaign will support and add value to our efforts on building resilient communities. We would like to implement focused activities in the proposed VDCs in two clusters, one of them will exercise upstream and downstream linkage on DRR where there is potentiality of bringing resources generated in the downstream to upstream communities such as paying for environmental services for DRR. There will be cooperation and assistance from different sectors and institutions such as District Disaster Rescue Committee non government organizations and civil societies.

Should you need please feel free to contact us in the address below for further information in this regard.

I look forward to your kind cooperation in this regard.


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