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Press Release

The Embassy of Nepal in Beijing hosted an investment promotion event entitled "Emerging Nepal: Opportunities for Investment" at the Embassy on 8 July 2025. The event was aimed at sharing investment opportunities in Nepal along with the current reform measures of the government in order to attract foreign investors in Nepal.

Welcoming the participants, H.E. Dr. Krishna Prasad Oli, Ambassador of Nepal to the People's Republic of China, emphasized Nepal's need for foreign investment, particularly from China which is already a major source of foreign investment and a key trading partner of Nepal. Highlighting priority sectors such as energy, information technology, infrastructure, and agriculture, he outlined recent reforms to improve Nepal's investment climate and encouraged Chinese investors to explore key opportunities. His Excellency also reaffirmed the Embassy's strong commitment to facilitating investment through proactive engagement and dedicated support services.

In a video message, Hon. Mr. Damodar Bhandari, Minister of Industry, Commerce and Supplies, highlighted the need of foreign investment to complement the domestic resources in the context of Nepal's graduation from LDC status and invited Chinese investors to explore opportunities in infrastructure, technology, tourism, trade, and agriculture, among others. He reaffirmed Nepal's commitment to liberal investment policies, institutional facilitation, and special incentives for priority sectors.

Mr. He Zhenwei, President of the China Overseas Development Association (CODA), highlighted the growing momentum in Nepal-China economic cooperation, particularly under the Belt and Road Initiative. He emphasized China's rising high-value exports to Nepal, the steady progress of major connectivity projects, and the importance of deepening pragmatic partnerships. Mr. He also invited Nepali representatives to actively participate in the upcoming 15th China Overseas Investment Promotion Conference in Beijing in September 2025.

Mr. Zhai Wenming from Arniko International Supply Chain Company shared the company's expanding footprint in Nepal, spanning over 10 sectors including consumer goods, tourism and industrial development. He highlighted Arniko's partnerships, expert local team in Nepal and operational readiness with projects in Nepal. Emphasizing Nepal's untapped potential and first-mover advantage for Chinese enterprises, he reaffirmed Arniko's commitment to long-term commercial and cultural integration.

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Mrs. Parbati Aryal, Economic Minister of the Embassy made a presentation on "Investment Climate and Opportunities in Nepal and Applicable Legal Regime" highlighting Nepal's key investment policies, sectoral opportunities and investment procedures. She emphasized Nepal's commitment to creating a conducive environment for foreign investors through clear regulatory frameworks and various incentive measures.

The event also featured sharing of experiences by the Chinese Small and Medium Sized Enterprises planning to invest in Nepal.

The event was attended by more than 100 participants including government officials, representatives from various Chinese companies, and media persons.

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