



Supreme Court of Nepal
Quarterly Progress Report - April to June 2015

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Note: Updates of Risk Log, Issue Log and Monitoring and Communication Plan will be attached with the Quarterly Progress Report as annexes.

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QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT (NIM project)
Project Title: Strengthening the Rule of Law and Human Rights Protection System in Nepal Programme (RoLHR)

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Duration: April to June 2015

Outcome 1: Justice Sector Development

EXPECTED OUTPUTS (Please include baseline, associated indicators and annual targets)	PLANNED ACTIVITIES (List key activities and their sub-activities that contribute to the respective outputs)	PLANNED BUDGET				MONITORING FRAMEWORK					
		Funding Source (code)	Donor name and code	Budget Codes	Budget Description	Unit Cost USD	No. of Units	Request for Cash Advance USD	Actual Expenditure for this quarter USD	% of expenditure	Progress against the planned quarterly targets and Annual targets
Output 1 (First CPAP output): Judicial, legislative and administrative authorities have improved capacity to draft, reform and implement legislation that protects people's rights and constitutional guarantees ii) Justice sector institutions have improved capacity for coordinated service delivery; Vulnerable people are better enabled to access fair and effective security and justice institutions;											
Activity Result 1: Justice sector development process established	1.1: Justice Sector Coordination Committee secretariate established at Central level and in selected districts. Activity 1.1.1. Strengthen JSCC secretariat whose role will be to support the JSCC to implement recommendations and undertake research, monitoring and evaluation of initiatives. Sub-activity 1.1.1.1 JSCC District and Central staff salaries and miscellaneous expenses	30000F	FINLAND	71400	Contractual Service- Individual	24,311.39	160.00	42,005.00	22,993.12	270%	
		30000F	FINLAND	74500	Miscellaneous expenses	789.17	18	14,205.00	10,959.29	77%	
Annual Targets:	1.1.1.1.1 Support staff for JSCC Central and district Secretariat	30000F	FINLAND	75700	Training, Seminar/Workshop	238.89	18	4,300.00	307.43	7%	
JSCC Secretariat operational in 22 districts.	1.1.1.1.2 Support for Central and District level JSCC meetings	30000F	FINLAND	72600	Grants to Instt & other Benef	1,500.00	25	2,500.00	-	0%	3 staffs at Central and 15 staffs at District JSCC are working for the smooth functioning of the JSCC
JSCC accessed (seed) fund to run their activities.	1.1.1.1.3 Support for Central and District level JSCC meetings	30000F	FINLAND	71600	Contractual Services- Companies	375.00	40	15,000.00	-	0%	District JSCCs are holding its meeting in quarterly basis. The total meeting in districts are 9. However, no meeting held at Central JSCC
JSCC Secretariat staff trained on planning, budgeting, M&E.	Sub-activity 1.1.1.2 Support to conduct induction programme for JSCC members in 5 districts 1.1.1.2.1 Organise one day induction programme for district JSCC members about JSCC's structure, mandate etc in 5 districts	30000F	FINLAND	72200	Equipment and Furniture	1,333.33	15	3,000.00	5,391.29	0%	
	Activity 1.1.3. Support district JSCC to conduct interaction, dialogues, meeting etc. at district level partners and stakeholders on priority issues of justice sector to enhance JSCC ability to provide innovative service delivery across the sector in 15 districts	30000F	FINLAND	71600	Travel	75.00	40	3,000.00	5,560.74	185%	Agenda for the induction programme prepared and carry forwarded to 3rd quarter
	1.1.3.1 Provide funding support to districts JSCC for their programme on the basis of their concept note/proposal	30000F	FINLAND	72800	Information Technology Equipmt	20,000.00	2	-	774.37	0%	
	Activity 1.1.4. Support Central JSCC Committee members to visit other developing countries with justice sector policy coordination mechanisms implementing justice sector strategies										
	1.1.4.1 Explore potential places for learning visit										
	1.1.4.2 Organize learning/study visit										
	Activity 1.1.5. Support establishment of JSCC Secretariat in 15 pilot districts. (Provide logistic support- computers, furniture, projector, photocopy machine etc. and refurbishment/renovation for secretariat in selected district) (continued support to the 5 districts (2013) and 10 districts (2014))										
	1.1.5.1 Additional equipment and furniture support to district JSCC Secretariat as per the request from Districts										Supported computer, photocopier, printer UPS etc to Kailali, Sindhupalchowk District Courts

Activity	30000F	FINLAND	72200	Equipment and Furniture	714.29	7	5,000.00	1,656.12	33%	Carry forward to third quarter
1.4.1.2 Conduct orientation on e-library to court officials	30000F	FINLAND	71600	Travel	1,987.50	16	1,800.00		0%	Completed
1.4.1.3 Provide Logjet support (structure and equipment) to Central Law Library	30000F	FINLAND	71300	Local Consultants				2,720.85	0%	Carry forward to third quarter
1.4.1.4 Support to purchase relevant books for Supreme Court Library										Carry forward to third quarter
Activity 1.4.8 Develop operational/ costed action plans linked to strategic plan priorities.										Carry forward to third quarter
1.4.8.1 Organize one regional w/s on implementation status of Third Five Year Strategic Plan of Judiciary										Carry forward to third quarter
Activity 1.4.10 Provide capacity development supports to women court officials and officials from vulnerable communities and study visit										Carry forward to third quarter
1.4.10.1 Organise study visit for women Judges with Berghof Foundation (WAF) on women in the Justice system (6 pay)										Carry forward to third quarter
Activity 1.4.13. Support Supreme Court to revise and update Personal Information Management System (PIMS)										Carry forward to third quarter
1.4.13.1 Organize one orientation and Review workshop on PIMS										Carry forward to third quarter
Activity 1.4.14 Support Supreme Court for capacity development on Organisation and Management (O & M)										Carry forward to third quarter
1.4.14.1 Support Supreme Court to organise 1 consultation programme on Organisation and Management										Carry forward to third quarter
1.5: Implementation of Key priorities of evidence-based budgeted, and results-oriented Strategic Plans supported.					3,957.59	1,034.00	43,000.00	9,406.85	84%	
Activity 1.5.1 Provide technical, logistical, capacity development, financial or other support to implement findings of case management study and implement of other priority initiatives identified through evidence-based and result-oriented planning process	30000F	FINLAND	71300	Local Consultants	2,000.00	3	6,000.00	3,983.29	66%	
Sub-activity 1.5.1.1 Support to develop manual/guidelines on judicial outreach program-FYSI, goal-4, Strategy-4, page no. 78	30000F	FINLAND	75700	Training, Seminar/Workshop	1,326.09	23	30,500.00	5,423.56	18%	Resource material is being developed by NJA
1.5.1.1 Support SC/NJA to develop manual/guideline on judicial outreach programme (LOA)	30000F	FINLAND	74200	Audio Visual & Print Prod Costs	6.50	1000	6,500.00		0%	One TOT conducted for 24 Judges and Registrars
Sub-activity 1.5.1.2 Support to implement judicial outreach program-FYSI, goal-4, Strategy-4, page no. 78	30000F	FINLAND	71600	Travel	625.00	8			0%	Carry forward to third quarter
1.5.1.2.1 Support NJA to conduct one regional TOT on judicial outreach programme										Carry forward to third quarter
Sub-activity 1.5.1.3 Provide logistic and technical support develop guideline, establish database, online web and SMS system in courts-FYSI Goal-3, Strategy-2 page 74										Carry forward to third quarter
1.5.1.3.3 Printing of SMS Service, Online Tarikh and Myad Tarneli system guideline (5000 copies)										Carry forward to third quarter
1.5.1.3.4 Conduct training to court officials on SMS Service, Online Tarikh and Myad Tarneli system software										Carry forward to third quarter
1.5.1.3.6 Support SC-IT Division to conduct monitoring and inception visit for IT to all Appeal court and district courts										Carry forward to third quarter
Sub-activity 1.5.1.4 Support judiciary to develop bench book/judicial guide on some pertinent issues i.e. Juvenile Justice, gender discrimination etc.										Carry forward to third quarter
1.5.1.4.1 Support to NJA to develop bench book/judicial guide										LOA signed with NJA
Activity 1.5.2. Support to archive courts directives and precedents (digitalize system)										
1.5.2.2 Organise one consultation on the software of archive court directives and precedents										
Activity 1.6: Public Information (Community relations' and donor coordination) mechanism developed					10,513.26	1,031.00	19,000.00	10,829.64	111%	Carry forward to third quarter
Activity 1.6.1 Develop and implement public information communication strategy to improve understanding and practice of justice sector services. (PSA, TV/Radio programmes, Manuals, booklet, brochures etc.) for information desk, JSCC secretariate and other court procedures	30000D	DENMARK	74200	Audio Visual & Print Prod Costs	13.26	1018	13,500.00	9,686.83	72%	

monitoring divisions access technical support

Implementation of Supreme Court Strategic Plan supported

Court 'orientation' desks established and functional in 22 districts. Public awareness campaign continued.

2.4.1.4.1	Support NIA to develop training manual on human rights	30000	UNFPN	75100	Facilities & Administration (7%)								LOA signed with NIA
2.4.1.4.1	Support NIA to organize one TOT on human rights	30000R	NORWAY	75100	Facilities & Administration (7%)	3							LOA signed with NIA
2.4.1.5.1	Develop comprehensive training manual for processing GBV cases for police, prosecutors, judges, court administration, NGOs, victim/witness and psycho-social support.	30000F	FINLAND	75100	Facilities & Administration (8%)	3	533,72						LOA signed with NIA
2.4.1.5.2	Support NIA to develop comprehensive training manual for processing GBV cases for police, prosecutors, judges, court administration, NGOs, victim/witness and psycho-social support.	30000D	DENMARK	75100	Facilities & Administration (8%)								LOA signed with NIA
2.4.1.5.2	Support NIA to organize consultation programme on draft comprehensive training manual for processing GBV cases for police, prosecutors, judges, court administration, NGOs, victim/witness and psycho-social support	30000D											
Sub Total Activity Result 2													
Program Management Costs													69,000.00
Activity Result 6:													1,054.30
Program Support Cost													3%
6.1. International/National Consultants													
International Consultant-Mid Term Evaluation													
National Consultant-Mid Term Evaluation													
International Consultant -UNFPN Final Evaluation													
National Consultant-Mid Term Evaluation													
International Consultant-Overall RoLHR Sustainable Strategy Development													
National Consultant-Mid Term Evaluation													
Local Consultant: Development of gender and social inclusion policy of RoLHR (20 days)													2,000.00
Staff Salaries													0%
6.1. International/National Professionals													0%
Chief Technical Advisor (P-5)													0%
Access to Justice Specialist (P-4)													0%
30000F													0%
30000F													0%
National Program Manager (NPPP-4)													6,875.00
Justice Sector Coordinator (NPPP-4)													7,150.00
Legal Aid Coordinator (NPPP-4)													2,383.33
Training and M & E Officer (NPPP-2)													4,290.00
Human Rights Officer (NPPP-2)													4,290.00
IT Officer (NPPP-1)													
Monitoring and Evaluation Officer (NPPP-2)													3,875.00
Justice Sector Officer (NPPP-2)													
Translator/Interpreter (NPPP-1)													3,410.00
Communication & Reporting Officer (NPPP-2)													3,875.00

Gender and Social Inclusion Officer (NPPP-2)	30000F	FINLAND	71400	Contractual service - individual	1,430.00	3	4,290.00	3,875.00	90%
Field Project Coordinator (NPPP-3)/Nepalgunj	30000F	FINLAND	71400	Contractual service - individual	1,540.00	3	4,620.00	3,875.00	84%
Field Project Officer (NPPP-2)-2	30000F	FINLAND	71400	Contractual service - individual	2,860.00	3	8,580.00	7,775.00	91%
Legal Aid Officer (NPPP-2)	30000F	FINLAND	71400	Contractual service - individual	1,430.00	3	4,290.00	3,875.00	90%
Admin & Finance Officer (NPPP-2)	30000F	FINLAND	71400	Contractual service - individual	1,173.33	3	3,520.00	3,452.00	98%
6.2. Support Staff									
Admin/Finance Associate (2)	30000D	DENMARK	71400	Contractual service - individual	2,383.33	3	7,150.00	6,570.00	92%
Program Assistant (SU-4)	30000D	DENMARK	71400	Contractual service - individual	550.00	3	1,650.00	1,500.00	91%
Intern Program Assistant (2)	30000F	DENMARK	71400	Contractual service - individual	400.00	3	1,200.00	1,100.00	92%
Clerk (2)	30000D	DENMARK	71400	Contractual service - individual	806.67	3	2,420.00	2,100.00	87%
Drivers (4)	30000D	DENMARK	71400	Contractual service - individual	806.67	3	2,420.00	2,100.00	87%
Field Program Assistant (SU-5)/Nepalgunj	30000D	DENMARK	71400	Contractual service - individual	696.67	3	2,090.00	2,050.00	98%
Other Need Base Staffs (Field+Center) 4	30000D	DENMARK	71400	Contractual service - individual	666.67	3	2,000.00	1,500.00	75%
6.3. Overhead Expenditures									
Communication and Audio Visual Equipment	30000D	DENMARK	72400	Communication and Audio Visual Equipment	800.00	3	2,400.00	2,629.11	110%
Rental maintenance of other equipment	30000D	DENMARK	73400	Rental maintenance of other equipment	3,200.00	3	9,600.00	4,602.10	48%
Office Supplies	30000D	DENMARK	72500	Office Supplies	833.33	3	2,500.00	7,001.27	280%
Rental & maintenance of premises	30000D	DENMARK	73100	Rental & maintenance of premises	2,000.00	3	6,000.00	9,851.21	164%
Annual and Halfyearly Review and Planning meeting	30000D	DENMARK	75700	Training			8,000.00		0%
Miscellaneous	30000D	DENMARK	74500	Seminar/Workshop	2,833.33	3	8,500.00	3,522.00	41%
Equipment / Furniture	30000D	DENMARK	72200	Miscellaneous	16,666.67	3	50,000.00	3,834.00	8%
6.4. Monitoring & Evaluation, Security and Communication									
Travel	30000D	DENMARK	71600	Travel	1,666.67	3	5,000.00	(790.58)	-16%
Miscellaneous	30000D	DENMARK	74500	Miscellaneous	166.67	3	500.00		0%
	30000N	NORWAY	75100	Facilities & Administration (7%)	574.67	3			
	30000F	FINLAND	75100	Facilities & Administration (8%)	2,592.65	3			
	30000D	DENMARK	75100	Facilities & Administration (8%)	1,512.10	3			
	30000	UNPFN	74500	DPC Contribution	832.89	3			

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		Apr	May	June	Funding Source (code)		Donor name and code	Budget Codes	Budget Description	Unit Cost USD	No. of Units	Request for Cash Advance USD	Actual expenditure for this quarter USD	% of expenditure	Progress against the planned quarterly targets and annual targets	
	i) Conduct additional coaching classes to scholarship recipients (20 students*2 classes a day* 60 days (3 months))	20					30000D	DENMARK	72100	Contractual Services- Companies	42.86	7	300.00	96.17	32%	Additional coaching classes conducted (N=7)
	ii) Training/workshops (2 events - guest lecture series)	2					30000F	FINLAND	75700	Training, Seminar/Workshop	600.00	7	4,200.00	2,825.43	67%	2 guest lecture Provided
	v) Operational support for the Secretariat to implement the scholarship programme	1				MLC								0%	Continue support	
	2.5.1.3 Conduct coordination / review meeting of steering committee for scholarship implementation	2*15														
	i) Training workshop - contractual service (2 event *1.5 par)															
	2.5.2 Develop Clinical Legal Education Programme	1				UNDP										1 Steering Committee meeting conducted
	ii) Select a National/International Institute for the implementation of the activity															Carry forward to 3rd quarter
	2.5.3 Implement 6-month supervised legal internship programme (2nd - Central and 3rd- Central (20) & Regional (30) Batch) in coordination with Nepal Bar Association (NBA)	1				NBA / RolHR										Implemented and Monitored II- Batch of internship programme
	i) Implement and monitor the activity - 2nd batch	1														Procured 10 laptops
	2.5.5 Support Tribhuvan University, Faculty of Law to review and develop new curriculum	10				TU,LF										
	ii) Procure laptops for the interns (10)															
	2.5.6.1 Review and develop B.A.LL.B curriculum to include legal aid, social inclusion and human rights components	1				TU,LF										
	i) Follow up on the implementation of the BA.LL.B curriculum review and development, as per LOA	1														
	ii) Training/Workshops, Conduct consultation meeting on new developed curriculum (7 event *2.5par)	7														7 consultation meeting conducted
	2.5.6.2 Conduct an orientation programme on the newly developed curriculum to law teachers and head of	1*30				MLC										
	i) Training/workshop- contractual service (1 even 1day-30 par)															
	Activity 2.6 : OAG performance management system strengthened	1														Carry forward to 3rd quarter
	2.6.1 Continue record management system update	1				OAG	30000D	DENMARK	72100	Contractual Services- Companies	2,940.00	15	84,900.00	36,897.12	43%	
	ii) Support OAG for record management update															
	2.6.2 Establish and operate the Crime Trend Analysis Centre / Unit in OAG (Secretariat refurbishment, logistics (equipment and furniture), MIS/Database system, training/orientation, etc.)	1					30000D	DENMARK	75700	Training,	2,000.00	1	2,000.00	-	0%	Continue
	ii) Develop TOR and hire a local expert for designing	1					30000D	DENMARK	71600	Travel	100.00	5	500.00	-	0%	Hold
	ii) Develop concept note / RFP for the centre refurbishment and select the contractor	1					30000D	DENMARK	71300	Local Consultant	1,100.00	3	3,300.00	275.04	8%	
	ii) Organize consultation meetings - central-1 & regional-2	3					30000F	FINLAND	75700	Training, Seminar/Workshop	1,000.00	10	10,000.00	595.50	6%	
	v) Travel	3					30000F	FINLAND	71600	Travel	500.00	2	1,000.00	1,109.37	111%	
	2.6.3 Provide prosecutors with access to software on legal precedents (to improve case preparation and convictions rate	1				OAG/ RolHR	30000	UNPFN	75100	Facilities & Administration (7%)	13.63	3	-	-	0%	
	i) Implement e-attorney system related activities based on the feasibility study as per LOA	1					30000N	NORWAY	75100	Facilities & Administration (7%)	1,118.96	3	-	-	0%	One Consultation meeting organized
	ii) Develop TOR and hire a consultant for database and website development and training (1 Consultant*60 days)	1					30000F	FINLAND	75100	Administration (8%)	1,887.65	3	-	-	0%	Carry forward to 3rd quarter

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	v) Travel	1				30000D	DENMARK	75100	Facilities & Administration (8%)	2,809.88	3			
	2.6.4 Logistic support to Government Attorneys' Offices at district (in the RoLHR programme districts-10) Solar bank up, i) Develop TOR and hire a consultant for Solar bank up system- need assessment, installation and quality assurance ii) Prepare and publish RFP iii) Select the contractor and award the contract for solar power back up installation iv) Travel	1			UNDP									In progress
	2.6.5 Establish/refurbish victim witness friendly rooms as per OAG standard, in the RoLHR Programme Districts (10) i) Conduct need assessment and prepare a report ii) Select the local contractor for furnishing - 10 districts	1			UNDP									Done
	2.6.7 Develop the Prosecutorial Code of Conduct i) Develop TOR and hire local consultants (1 con. for peer review* 20 days) ii) Training/workshop (consultation meetings-2) iii) Travel (2times * 5 pak) iv) Conduct research, review and develop draft code of conduct (contractual service)	2			OAG / RoLHR									Under Process
	2.6.9 Conduct the overall training need assessment (TNA) of OAG i) Develop concepts note on TNA and TOR for local experts (2 experts * 30 days) ii) Training - Contractual service - (2 events, 5days, 30 pak)	2			OAG									Carry forward to 3rd quarter
	2.6.12 Conduct monitoring mission on HR conditions in prisons and pre-trial detention (Monitoring mission in 5 programme districts, guideline oriented, etc.) i) Conduct monitoring missions in selected districts ii) Conduct orientations to OAG officials on the policy guideline on 'Prison and Pre-trial Detention Centre Monitoring' (5 events * 40 min * 1 day) iii) Travel	5			OAG									Carry forward to 3rd quarter
	2.6.13 Commission a report on investigation, prosecution and adjudication system on caste-based cases and cases of vulnerable people (inc. judicial study of incidents and their FIR) i) Implement the activities as per LOA, incl. progress monitoring	5			OAG									Carry forward to 3rd quarter
	Activity 3.1: Consultative national legal aid reform process established.	2										136,600.00	66,372.84	49%
	3.1.1 Develop the National Legal Aid Policy i) Conduct consultation meetings - 3 ii) Develop TOR and hire local experts (2 experts 60 days) iii) Travel	5			MoJ/CAPA	30000F	FINLAND	75700	Training, Seminar/Workshop	1,607.14	18	7,500.00	325.03	4%
	3.1.3 Conduct the Project Steering Committee (Legal Aid Task Force) meetings i) Conduct the PSC meetings - 1 event	3			RoLHR	30000F	FINLAND	71600	Travel	357.14	14	5,000.00	325.03	7%
		2				30000F	FINLAND	71300	Local Consultant	500.00	2	1,000.00		
		1								750.00	2	1,500.00		Carry forward to 3rd quarter
		1												Carry forward to 3rd quarter
		1												Field research work completed and report in under preparation
		1												1 meeting conducted

