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**Country/entity** Nepal

**Region** Asia and Pacific

Agreement name Agreement between the GoN and the Rastriya Badi Adkhikar Sangharsha Samiti

**Date** 15 Oct 2007

Agreement status Multiparty signed/agreed

**Interim** Yes

arrangement

Agreement/conflict Intrastate/local conflict

level

Nepalese Insurgency (1996 - 2006)

Inspired by the Maoist insurgency in Peru in the early 1990s, the Communist Party of Nepal (Maoist) – CPN(M) – declared war on the Nepalese government in February 1996. A key demand was the transformation of Nepal from a monarchy into a 'People's Republic'. Following a pronounced Maoist military strategy, the CPN(M) focused their insurgency on the rural areas. They gained significantly in strength and it took heavy international military support to stabilize the Nepalese government in 2002. After public protests escalated in Kathmandu in 2004, the Nepalese King Gyanendra took authoritarian control over the government. In the cities, a strong popular movement for democracy emerged, forcing the government into fast progressing peace negations in 2006 that concluded with the signing of a Comprehensive Peace Accord on 21 November 2006.

Close

Nepalese Insurgency (1996 - 2006)

**Stage** Implementation/renegotiation

**Conflict nature** Government

**Peace process** Nepal related-local processes

Parties Sd.

Uma Devi Badi Coordinator

Rastriya Badi Adhikar Sangharsha

Samiti Talks Team

Sd.

Ram Chandra Poudel

Coordinator GoN Talks Team

Third parties -

**Description** A short agreement between the Government of Nepal and the Rastriya Badi Adkhikar

Sangharsha Samiti agreed after several rounds of talks.

Agreement document

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## Women, girls and gender

**Participation** Participation→Effective participation

Page 1, 2: In order to sequentially implement all the points stated in the report, including the provision of scholarship to children of the Badi community, a Study Task Force shall be constituted under the coordination of gazetted first-class officers as determined by the Government of Nepal. The said Task Force shall include officer-level representatives from the Ministry of Home Affairs, Ministry of Local Development, Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Labour and Transport Management, Ministry of Land Reforms and Management, Ministry of Education and Sports, Ministry of Forest and Soil Conservation, Ministry of Women, Children and Social Welfare, and Ministry of Health and Population and two representatives from the Badi community, including one female representative.

**Equality** No specific mention.

**Particular groups of** No specific mention.

women

**International law** No specific mention.

**New institutions** No specific mention.

Violence against

women

No specific mention.

**Transitional justice** No specific mention.

**Institutional reform** No specific mention.

**Development** No specific mention.

**Implementation** No specific mention.

**Other** Page 1, 1: The report presented by the secretary-level task force formed as per the

agreement of the two sides on October 2, 2007 shall be agreed to in principle. The use of words such as bhaand [those who bring social vices], badeni [female Badi], patar [characterless] [tr. all three words are discriminatory to Badis], etc shall immediately be stopped and provision shall immediately be made to provide citizenship to the Badi

communities all over the country.