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**Views on conclusions and/or recommendations, voluntary commitments
and replies presented by the State under review***

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1. A total of 284 recommendations were made during the interactive dialogue held on 21 January 2026. Nepal has examined all recommendations made, in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 27 and 32 of the annex to Council resolution 5/1 and paragraph 16 of the annex to Council resolution 16/21.

2. The following recommendations formulated during the interactive dialogue have been examined by Nepal and enjoy the support of Nepal:

<i>Para no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.17	Supported	
61.18	Supported	
61.19	Supported	
61.20	Supported	
61.21	Supported	
61.22	Supported	
61.23	Supported	
61.24	Supported	
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<i>Para no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.55	Supported	
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61.95	Supported	
61.96	Supported	
61.97	Supported	
61.100	Supported	

<i>Para no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.101	Supported	
61.102	Supported	
61.103	Supported	
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61.138	Supported	
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61.140	Supported	
61.141	Supported	

<i>Para no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.142	Supported	
61.143	Supported	
61.144	Supported	
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61.178	Supported	

<i>Para no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.179	Supported	
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<i>Para no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.213	Supported	
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<i>Para no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.252	Supported	
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61.264	Supported	
61.265	Supported	
61.266	Supported	
61.267	Supported	
61.268	Supported	
61.269	Supported	
61.270	Supported	
61.271	Supported	
61.277	Supported	
61.279	Supported	
61.280	Supported	
61.281	Supported	
61.282	Supported	

3. The following recommendations formulated during the interactive dialogue and on which a position had not been taken yet have been examined by Nepal and have been noted by Nepal:

<i>Para. no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.1	Noted	
61.2	Noted	
61.3	Noted	
61.4	Noted	
61.5	Noted	

<i>Para. no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.6	Noted	
61.7	Noted	
61.8	Noted	
61.9	Noted	
61.10	Noted	
61.11	Noted	
61.12	Noted	
61.13	Noted	
61.14	Noted	
61.15	Noted	
61.16	Noted	
61.37	Noted	
61.38	Noted	
61.39	Noted	
61.40	Noted	
61.41	Noted	
61.42	Noted	
61.43	Noted	
61.45	Noted	
61.59	Noted	
61.63	Noted	
61.64	Noted	
61.65	Noted	
61.67	Noted	
61.78	Noted	
61.86	Noted	
61.87	Noted	
61.88	Noted	
61.98	Noted	
61.99	Noted	
61.105	Noted	
61.106	Noted	
61.107	Noted	
61.108	Noted	

<i>Para. no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.111	Noted	
61.112	Noted	
61.126	Noted	
61.149	Noted	
61.150	Noted	
61.174	Noted	
61.238	Noted	
61.272	Noted	
61.273	Noted	
61.274	Noted	
61.275	Noted	
61.276	Noted	
61.278	Noted	
61.283	Noted	
61.284	Noted	

4. Nepal supports the following recommendation in part and notes the following part:

<i>Para. no.</i>	<i>State position</i>	<i>Comments (optional)</i>
61.75	Supported	Guarantee an independent and adequately funded transitional justice process
	Noted	Remove the three-month filing limit for conflict-related sexual violence
	Supported	Prohibit amnesties for gross human rights violations
61.227	Supported	Adopt comprehensive legislation to ensure that all forms of gender-based violence against women are specifically criminalized; including to ensure the availability of specialized services for victims of gender-based violence
	Noted	Eliminate statutory limitation to report rape
61.240	Supported	Strengthen the protection of women against all forms of gender-based violence
	Noted	Abolish the two-year statute of limitations for reporting rape cases
61.242	Supported	Strengthen efforts to eliminate gender-based violence in line with

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		international standards and ensure access to justice for victim-survivors
	Noted	Including by repealing the statute of limitations for reporting offences
61.251	Supported	Continue efforts to eradicate child marriage
	Noted	Amend the 2018 Act Relating to Children to align with the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child and raise the age of criminal responsibility to 14 in the National Penal Code.

5. Summary statement: In total, out of 284 recommendations received, 224 enjoy the support of Nepal, and 55 are noted. Additional clarification is provided on another 5 recommendations.