



Press Release

His Excellency Mr. Lok Bahadur Thapa, Ambassador of Nepal to Belgium handed over the original Instrument of accession to the International Convention on the Simplification and Harmonization of Customs Procedures (Revised Kyoto Convention) signed by Honourable Mr. Krishna Bahadur Mahara, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance to Mr. Kunio Mikuriya, Secretary General of the World Customs Organization (WCO) in Brussels today.

During the occasion, Secretary General Mikuriya congratulated the Government of Nepal on acceding to the Revised Kyoto Convention and commended Nepal's efforts in reforming and modernizing its customs system. Ambassador Thapa thanked the WCO for technical assistance and support to Nepal on capacity building over the years and expressed his hope that this would continue in the days to come. Mr. Shreekrishna Nepal, Deputy Director General of the Department of Customs of the Government of Nepal was also present on the occasion.

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