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Press Release

His Excellency Mr. Lok Bahadur Thapa, Ambassador of Nepal to Belgium, presented his Letters of Credence to the King of the Belgians, His Majesty King Philippe amidst a special official ceremony held today at the Royal Laeken Castle in Brussels.

Following the credential ceremony, Ambassador Thapa had an audience with His Majesty King Philippe. During the audience, His Majesty the King congratulated Ambassador Thapa on his appointment and wished him success in further strengthening the existing bilateral relations between Nepal and Belgium. His Majesty the King also recalled his fond memories of his visit to Nepal in 1998 as the Crown Prince. He noted that there had been sea changes in Nepal's political, economic as well as socio cultural landscapes since then.

Ambassador Thapa, on the occasion, conveyed the greetings and best wishes from Rt. Hon'ble Mrs. Bidya Devi Bhandari, President of Nepal to His Majesty the King. While expressing happiness over the state of bilateral relations and economic cooperation between Nepal and Belgium, Ambassador Thapa mentioned that he would be making unremitting efforts to augment these relations to a new height during his tenure.

Mr. Thapa is the sixth Ambassador of Nepal to the Kingdom of Belgium after the establishment of residential Embassy of Nepal in Brussels in 1992.

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