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NCRC and MIT Group Foundation Partner to Support Children Affected by the 2026 Bhotekoshi Flood

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The National Child Rights Council (NCRC) and MIT Group Foundation Ltd. (MITGF) have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding to provide long-term education, protection and wellbeing support for eligible children who lost one or both parents as a direct result of the 2026 Bhotekoshi flood and are experiencing economic and social hardship.

The partnership is expected to support up to 110 verified school-age children, with priority given to children who have lost both parents and those at greatest risk. Based on each child's assessed needs and an approved individual education and wellbeing plan, support may include school and examination fees, learning materials, uniforms, health care and insurance, nutrition and living costs, transport, psychosocial care, child protection and family-based care. Subject to continued eligibility and programme participation, assistance is intended to continue through completion of Grade 12.

NCRC will coordinate beneficiary identification and verification in accordance with applicable law and government records, working with relevant local authorities. MITGF will provide approved financial and technical support and oversee monitoring, reporting and financial transparency. Both organisations will protect each child's privacy and dignity, avoid duplication of assistance and regularly review educational progress, health, protection and wellbeing.

MITGF's proposal provides an indicative long-term planning envelope of up to NPR 578.5 million, including contingency, over approximately ten years. Actual support will depend on the verified number and needs of beneficiaries, approved annual and child-specific plans, available complementary assistance and applicable governance approvals. The first-year planning limit is up to NPR 300,000 per child and is not an automatic fixed grant.

Through this partnership, NCRC and MITGF reaffirm their shared commitment to helping flood-affected children continue their education in safety and dignity and build a secure future within supportive family and community environments.

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