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#### ***Meeting with Mr. Kevin C. Price, Economic and Commercial Officer, Political and Economic Section of Embassy of the United States of America, Kathmandu at TEPC***

On, March 29, 2018 **Mr. Kevin C. Price**, Economic and Commercial Officer, and Mr. Abhishek Basnet, Economic and Commercial Specialist of Political and Economic Section of Embassy of the USA, Kathmandu visited Mr. Sarad Bickram Rana, Executive Director of Trade and Export Promotion Centre on his chamber.

During the meeting Mr. Price, emphasized on how Nepal should develop and export the products which is given preferentially duty free entry of 77 products of Nepal in the US market from the Trade Facilitation and Trade Enforcement Act (TFTEA).

During the meeting he also talked about how to decrease the trade deficit by exporting more products to the larger market in China and India. In this regard he was seeking TEPC's views on how to collaboration in order to export more in the growing economy in the neighbourhood.

In the meeting Mr. Sarad Bickram Rana thanked the government of the USA for providing the duty free entry of 77 products of Nepal in the US market. In this regard he also seek the trade promotion and trade facilitation activities through US Embassy in Kathmandu participating different trade fairs and B2B meeting programs in the USA. He highlighted that TEPC has been carrying out different promotional activities and program in different cities of the USA.



***Briefing by Mr. Kevin Price, US Embassy during the meeting***