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<u>Realizing</u> the need of qualified human resources in the field of geoinformation and land management to support spatial planning and decision-making, infrastructure development and deliver people-centric services in line with the recently introduced federal structure of Nepal and ultimately play a vital role in achieving sustainable development goals,

Bearing in mind the provision made by the Public Service Act; according to which every public servant is entitled to attend training, at least once in three years,

<u>Emphasizing</u> the importance of new skills, knowledge and innovations for continuous professional development of professionals in land and geoinformation domain,

<u>Believing</u> that utmost level of cooperation and support is essential to develop a center of excellence and a knowledge hub in the field of geoinformation and land management,

- 1. Suggest conducting wide range of short and midterm trainings to fulfill the demand of skilled human resources and broaden the scope of Surveying, Mapping and Land Management professionals in local, provincial and federal levels.
- 2. Recommend expanding the opportunities of in-service and refresher courses, especially for newly recruited employees from varying domains and mid-career professionals to enhance and polish their skills in tandem with emerging technologies to ensure efficient and effective service delivery.
- 3. Encourage to exploit the opportunities created by rapidly growing information and communication technologies, embed it in the courses as required, amend the curriculum to synchronize with the evolving technologies, adopt and integrate the best practices, support innovative ideas and initiate research and development activities in this domain.
- 4. Request to develop communication mechanism for partnership and collaboration in national and global arena among professional organizations, academic institutions, private sector and development partners to enhance institutional capacity, develop LMTC as a knowledge hub and center of excellence in the field of Geoinformation and Land Management.

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