# PRIME MINISTER OF NEPAL CALLS ON THE PRESIDENT OF INDIA

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The Prime Minister of Nepal, Rt. Hon'ble Mr. Balendra Shah, called on the President of India, Smt. Droupadi Murmu at Rashtrapati Bhavan today (November 23, 2026).



Welcoming Prime Minister Shah to Rashtrapati Bhavan, the President congratulated him on the strong mandate for his government in the March 2026 elections, and wished him success in his efforts to fulfill the aspirations of the people.

The President expressed her condolences for the loss of life caused by the Bhotekoshi floods. She said that as always, in this difficult time, India has stood by Nepal, providing prompt humanitarian assistance and technical support, and will continue to do so as a close partner in the recovery and reconstruction efforts.

The President underlined that climate change is a shared challenge for both our nations, and we must work together to strengthen early warning systems and disaster management.

The President said that the unique and multi-faceted India-Nepal relations are based on our shared civilizational heritage and the deep cherished bonds between the people of the two countries.

She said that the Joint Vision document announced during this visit reflects the aspirations of the people of both our nations, especially the youth. She expressed confidence that it will provide a clear direction for our future cooperation in trade and investment, infrastructure, development partnership, connectivity, cultural and people to people exchanges, as well as in new and emerging sectors such as start-ups, digital services, space and innovation.

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