

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR WOMEN

NCW writes to Home Minister seeking intervention in human trafficking cases

PRESS NOTE

New Delhi, 29th June, 2018: The National Commission for Women (NCW) has written to the Hon'ble Home Minister, Shri Rajnath Singh drawing his attention to the media report captioned, "Many still stuck, claim victims trafficked as sex slaves by agents" published in The Tribune, Delhi edition, dated 29.06.2018 wherein it is reported that two victims of human trafficking who were rescued from Oman have made allegations that there were many other victims who were yet to be rescued.

It has been further stated by The Tribune report that the victims were under constant threat and police inaction in the matter has been highlighted. It has also been reported that most victims are lured by agents with promises of better job prospects and taken to Oman.

The NCW has written to the Hon'ble Home Minister seeking his intervention in the matter. The Commission has requested the Hon'ble Home Minister to issue necessary directions for free and fair investigation and to take appropriate action against the offenders.
