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Press Release

Bhutanese Delegation Participates in 2025 IMF/WBG Annual Meetings in Washington, D.C.



A delegation from Bhutan, led by the Honorable Finance Minister and the Governor of the Royal Monetary Authority of Bhutan, is in Washington, D.C, this week for the 2025 Annual Meetings of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and the World Bank Group (WBG). The 2025 Annual Meetings of the Board of Governors of the WBG and IMF will take place from 13 to 18 October in Washington, D.C.

The Board of Governors of the WBG and the Board of Governors of the IMF meet once a year to discuss the work of their respective institutions. The Annual Meetings bring together central bankers, ministers of finance and development, private sector executives, and academics to discuss issues of global concern, including the world economic outlook, poverty eradication, economic development, and aid effectiveness. The meeting also features seminars, regional briefings, press conferences, and many other events focused on the global economy, international development, and the world's financial system.

During the sessions, the Bhutanese delegation will engage in high-level bilateral meetings, including with senior leadership from the WBG, the IMF, and other Development Partners, to advance priority initiatives of the Royal Government of Bhutan. The delegation aims to strengthen partnerships, mobilize concessional finance, and reaffirm Bhutan's commitment to a green, resilient, and inclusive growth trajectory.