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Governing Issues of the Week

1. Nepal has officially confirmed its plan to purchase 10,000 hectares of land from China. A joint commission has been formed to acquire the land, which will be used for sports infrastructure development. The government has refrained from presenting any new bills, leading to concerns about the legislative agenda. The delay in presenting new bills has resulted in the postponement of scheduled meetings in both the National Assembly and the House of Representatives.

2. The government has approved new Citizenship Regulations, enabling non-resident Nepalis to acquire Nepali citizenship. These regulations, in accordance with the amended Citizenship Act, will soon be published in the Nepal Gazette. NRN citizenship will come with certain limitations, such as no voting rights or political participation, whereas it will grant the right to conduct business and own property in Nepal, among other privileges.

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