

CHAPTER – II

THEORETICAL UNDERSTANDING OF THE CONCEPTS

2.0 INTRODUCTION

The present chapter tries to discuss the theoretical aspects of ethnicity, how ethnicity takes form, how it is expressed, what role it plays and affects the nation and the groups remaining within a particular society and region; ethnic conflict, what it affects to the nation, society around global, national , regional and local context; security, what is exactly security meant , how it changed its form from tradition to modern concept and human security, how it originated, what is exactly human security that varies from traditional conception of security for better understanding in achieving the real objective of the research work.

The world is comprised of multi race, multi lingual, and multi religion. Among these groups there is always a competition to become stronger and dominant over the other group. Since time immemorial in different places of the earth this has taken place and has become a natural phenomenon gradually.

There is close relationship between ethnic conflict and human security. Due to occurrence of ethnic conflict, human security is affected and the resultant ethnic conflict affects human security very badly.

There are numerous theoretical aspects in the understanding of Human Security and Ethnic -Conflict. These are thoroughly discussed in this chapter.