

Dear bylaws committee adviser members:

I would like to thank all of you for agreeing to help us draft and/or amend current bylaws to operate NRN NCC of USA. It is a historical event by itself.

**Special Request:**

I would like to make few things clear here in this email to a very distinguish group of you all. We have trusted you and you have always help us deliver the best. Still I would like to make few points:

***a. There are lots of gossips and rumors in the air about NAC and adopting new name of NRN NCC of USA etc. All I would like to request all of you is kindly not to engage in any such "rumor mill". It will not be very fair.***

***b. This whole process is to take a core value of NAC, UNITY, COOPERATION and COLLABORATION to a very next level of implementation through our new name NRN NCC of USA***

***c. We must consider a larger scope of the organization and a little different role to play. This name brings use closer to over 50 organizations worldwide, Government of Nepal and almost every NRN and People of Nepali origin. Therefore, transparency and open communication is extremely necessary.***

***d. Kindly communicate to BOD or our House of Delegates or general mass through us. I have requested Dr. Binod Shah- NY ([binodshah@yahoo.com](mailto:binodshah@yahoo.com)) and Dr. Rajendra Shrestha- TX ([rshrestha1234@yahoo.com](mailto:rshrestha1234@yahoo.com)) to assist you with it.***

***e. Please do not send any press release or engage in any unnecessary dialogue without consulting BOD.***

We must refrain ourselves from these temptations and focus on a great task. We have a challenging task to change the shape of all Nepali organizations in USA. It is a new beginning. Let's move forward. "Time for Change" has come. You will have opportunity to consult with Prahladi in KY as most of you will be physically present.

**Bylaws Committee:**

Currently our bylaws committee structure appears as below:

**Dr. Prahlad Pant, GA (Chairperson)**

**Dr. Ambika P. Adhikari, AZ**

**Dr. Tara Niraula, NY**

**Dr. Bidya Ranjeet, CT**

**Mr. Mukesh Singh, OH**

**Mr. Girija Gautam, TN and**

**Ms. Bishnu Thapa, VA**

I have requested following to help us as advisors for consultation to this committee:

1. Dr. Shyam D. Karki, MD
2. Mr. Sharda J. Thapa, IL
3. Mr. Khagendra GC, NY
4. Mr. Ratan Jha, TX
5. Mr. Amrit Sunwar, NY
6. Dr. Tulsi Maharjan, NJ

7. Mr. Rohini Sharma, AZ
8. Dr. Ramesh Amatya, OH
9. Dr. Gaury Adhikari, MI
10. Dr. Jeetendra Joshi, CA
11. Mr. Raja Ghale, GA
12. Ms. Sushma Barakoti, PA
13. Mr. Roger Adhikari, CA
14. Mr. Karma Sherpa, WA
15. Mr. Bhuwan Gurung, MA

We may add one more name. Not sure yet. This list may appear long. You are representing over 15 organizations from 13 states. It is a collection of people with their expertise in community reach out, interest and knowledge of NRN and/or NAC. All of your contribution will be extremely valuable.

**Schedule:**

Dr. Prahlad Pantji is working to publish a very aggressive schedule to accomplish this task in 60 days.

**Next Steps:**

1. Draft an announcement with Prahladji and send out for soliciting ideas by 2/3/2010.
2. ....
3. ....

**My Research:**

You can imagine how many calls and emails I received lately. Few with good wishes, few with questions and anxiety. I reached out to NRN NCC in few other countries. Waiting to get a bylaws from NRN UK. They had a similar situation to put together a NRNNCC UK.

NRNA constitution is in [http://nrn.org.np/downloads/nrna\\_constitution2066.pdf](http://nrn.org.np/downloads/nrna_constitution2066.pdf)

I would like to propose that we maintain primary structure of NAC with House of Delegates and Board of Directors. Here are my thoughts and consider my suggestions:

- a. Any organization of individual can be NRN member
- b. Membership for an individual is \$10 for 2 years . We will submit \$3 to NRN International Coordination Council every other year. Remaining \$2 will go to NRNNCC administration and \$5 for Emergency Fund.
- c. Organization membership will be \$200 for 2 years and paid (fully paid) organization will secure 10 memberships to NRN and they will send name and details.
- d. Any organization that brings membership will get seat in house of delegates as below:
  - a. 1-250 members: 1 seat
  - b. 251-500: 2 seats
  - c. 501-1000: 3 seats and so on
- e. There will be few people not at all affiliated with any organization and will never be denied any membership
- f. House of Delegates will elect BOD.

- g. President will have rights or BOD will have rights to nominate 1 BOD per 250 non-organization affiliated (independent members). This provision will allow independents also to be in BOD
- h. Finally, please allow provision of 2 SVP and rest you all can recommend.

Thank you all and I will communicate my expectations from the very first part of this email to all those who agreed to be advisers. Thanks for all your hard work and help.