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# Non-Resident Nepali Association National Coordination Council - USA



EIN# 62-1850599

Date: Nov 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020

## 13<sup>th</sup> Executive Board Meeting (Special Meeting)

Chaired By: President - Suneel Sah  
Moderated by: General Secretary - Pashupati Pandey  
Location: Zoom Online Conference  
Date: Nov 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020  
Time: 9:00 pm EST

Attendance and constituting a quorum were:

| S.N. | Name                        | Designation                  | Attend. |
|------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------|
| 1    | Mr. Suneel Sah              | President                    | Yes     |
| 2    | Dr. Arjun Banjade           | Senior Vice President        | Yes     |
| 3    | Mr. Babu R. (BR) Lama       | North East R. Vice President | Yes     |
| 4    | Mr. Krishna J. Panth        | South R. Vice President      | Yes     |
| 5    | Mr. Buddi Subedi            | MID-WEST R. Vice President   | Yes     |
| 6    | Mr. Sarbajana Wagle         | West R. Vice President       | Yes     |
| 7    | Mr. Pashupati R. Pandey     | General Secretary            | Yes     |
| 8    | Mr. Amrit B. Kattel         | Secretary                    | No      |
| 9    | Mr. Netra (Bandhu) Pokharel | Treasurer                    | Yes     |
| 10   | Mr. Santosh Bista           | Joint Treasurer              | Yes     |
| 11   | Mr. Om Bhattra              | Spokesperson                 |         |
| 12   | Mr. Binod Ruwali            | Youth Coordinator            | Yes     |
| 13   | MS. Diksha Basnet           | Woman Coordinator            | Yes     |
| 14   | Mrs. Chhatra K. Gurung      | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 15   | Mr. Padam B. Thakurathi     | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 16   | Mr. Durga P. Shrestha       | BOD                          | No      |
| 17   | Mr. Basudev Adhikari        | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 18   | Mr. Satya N. Chaudhari      | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 19   | Mr. CP Poudel               | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 20   | Mrs. Chitra Karki           | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 21   | Mr. Jeewan Joshi            | BOD                          | No      |
| 22   | Mr. Khim B. Bhattarai       | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 23   | Mr. Tilak B. KC             | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 24   | Mr. Ammar B. Chhantyal      | BOD                          | Yes     |
| 25   | Mr. Dharam Bishwokarma      | BOD                          | Yes     |



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|------|------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| 1    | Jagganath Goutam       | Advisor                   | Yes     |
| 2    | Ishwor Sapkota         | Advisor                   | No      |
| 3    | Lal P Kafle            | Advisor                   | Yes     |
| 4    | Deenbandhu Bhatta      | Advisor                   | No      |
| 5    | Shyam Kaji Gurung      | Advisor                   | No      |
| 6    | Govinda Subedi         | Advisor                   | No      |
| 7    | Dr. Harihar Bhattra    | Advisor                   | No      |
| 8    | Harihar Paudel         | Advisor                   | No      |
| 9    | Satendra Sah           | Advisor                   | No      |
| 10   | Sanket Subedi          | Advisor                   | Yes     |
| 11   | Manoj Ghimire          | Advisor                   | No      |
| 12   | Bidhya Sagar Yonjon    | Advisor                   | No      |
| 13   | Radha Paudel           | Advisor                   | No      |
| 14   | Sanjaya Thapa          | Advisor                   | No      |
| 15   | Dr. Chirinjibi Bhattra | Advisor                   | No      |
| 16   | Badal Bhujel           | Advisor                   | No      |
| 17   | Shiva Malla            | Advisor                   |         |
|      |                        |                           |         |
| S.N. | Name                   | Designation               | Attend. |
| 1    | Rajan Tripathi         | Regional Coordinator      | No      |
| 2    | Ram C Pokhrel          | Dpt. Regional Coordinator | No      |
| 3    | Uma Karki Thapa        | Women Coordinator         | No      |
| 1    | Shankar Khadka         | ICC MEMBER                | No      |
| 2    | Trishna Sharma         | ICC MEMBER                | No      |
| 3    | Jedu Nath Pokharel     | ICC MEMBER                | No      |
| 4    | Shiva Raj Poudel       | ICC MEMBER                | No      |
| 5    | Hom Nath Gautam        | ICC MEMBER                | No      |
| 6    | Swaraj Khati           | ICC Member                | No      |
| 7    | Purushwotam Bohora     | ICC MEMBER                | No      |
| 8    | Pramod Sitoula         | ICC MEMBER                | Yes     |
| 9    | Yamuna Bhattra         | ICC MEMBER                | No      |
| 10   | Pasang Lama            | ICC MEMBER                | No      |
| 11   | Hari Dahal             | ICC Member                | No      |
| 12   | Bishnu Maya Pariyar    | ICC MEMBER                | No      |



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## Terms of Reference:

- Roll called by General Secretary
- Meeting opening remarks by President
- Discussion on Agendas

The 13th Executive Committee meeting of the Non-Resident Nepali Association National Coordinating Council USA (NRNA NCC USA) was held on November 1, 2020. The Executive Committee meeting, chaired by the organization's president Mr. Suneel Sah, discussed the following agendas:

## Agendas:

- 13.1. Discussion on the NRNA act
- 13.2. Discussion on a recent communication from ICC to the NCCs
- 13.3. Discussion on 2019-21 membership discrepancies

## Discussions and Decisions

### 13.1. Discussion on the NRNA Act

The Executive Committee of NRNA NCC USA extensively discussed the proposed NRNA Act drafted to amend and consolidate non-resident Nepalis laws. The EC meeting, realizing a need to amend, add, and change many provisions to the proposed Act, decided to submit necessary suggestions collected from its members to Nepal's Government through the International Coordinating Council.

### 13.2. Discussion on a recent communication from ICC to the NCCs

The Executive Committee discussed on a circular send by the International Coordinating Council (ICC) to the National Coordinating Councils (NCCs) dated on October 13, 2020. The executive committee agreed to move on with respecting the NRNA NCC USA bylaws, continuous the membership. The NRNA NCC USA will discuss if there are any changes in the future by the ICC.

### 13.3. Discussion on 2019-21 membership discrepancies

There have been inquiries from the NCC members about the identity of 2,093 registered members and the person verifying these members for NRNA NCC USA term 2019-2021. To address this concern, the Executive Committee has decided to publish the information of 2,093 members in official website.

## Other items discussed – The following additional items were also discussed at the meeting:

### 13.4. ICC's MIS System

The Executive Committee meeting discussed on the proposed MIS system developed by the ICC. The Executive Committee will coordinate with the ICC regarding the NCC's concern and legal related issues.



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## 13.5 Executive board physical meeting

The Executive Committee's meeting also discussed organizing an in-person meeting soon if the current health challenges due to the COVID-19 pandemic permits.

**Meeting adjourned by President.**

*Pashupati Pandey*

Pashupati Pandey  
General Secretary

*Suneel Sah*

Suneel Sah  
President



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