SPECIAL PROVISION FOR

IOWA NEPALESE ASSOCIATION ELECTION 2014

We INA election committee 2014 would like to request current INA executive board to temporarily approve following changes in Articles/Sections from INA's by-laws. (refer: <u>link</u>)

A special meeting of INA Election Board Members had decided to accept following one time change, which will be applied for this upcoming INA 2014/2015 election process only.

Article V: Section 1

We all agreed for the Executive Board Member of 1 President, 1 Vice President, 1 General Secretary, 1 Treasurer, 1 Public Relations Director and 6 Executive Members.

Article VII: Section 3

We all agreed that candidate does not need to be general member of association for a year, to be contesting/running for the post of executive board member.

Article VII: Section 4

We all agreed to have an Election committee consisting of 5 members (3 from Advisory board and 2 from current INA executive board) who will not be contesting for the Executive Board position as an officer or an Executive Board member. Due to time constraint and other limitations, this committee was officially formed 45 days prior to suggested election date.

Article VII: Section 7

We all agreed that all the timeline will be updated as per time limit and action plan of current INA Election committee. For detail timeline please refer to INA Election Nomination for 2014 Call up email. (refer: <u>link</u>)

Article VII: Section 8

We all agreed that in case we have multiple candidates contesting for a position, election will be held online as well as using secret ballot. Result of the election will be made public a day after the completion of online/ballot election or at earliest possible time.

Article VII: Section 9

We all agreed that election will be held (if required/applicable) before the Dashain/Tihar Celebration 2014.

Article VII: Special Provision

We all agreed to adapt the election guideline including nomination procedure, timetable and eligible voters' criteria submitted by Election committee on August, 24 2014. (refer: <u>link</u>)

Article XIV: Vote

We all agreed that voting if required and applicable can be done by members, above the age of 18 and must have paid his/her membership by the election date.

Signed and Dated

For Election Committee

Anil Jha	09/07/2014
Bipin Tamrakar	09/07/2014
Buddhi Lamsal	9/9/14
Sanjay Shrestha	09/08/2014
Sanjita Shrestha Pradhan	09/08/2014

For Current INA Executive Board Members

Sanjay Ghimire	9/8/2014
Surendra Bajracharya	9/9/2014
Sanjay Shrestha	09/08/2014
namrata pradhan	9/9/2014
Buddhi Lamsal	9/9/14
Nabin Kandel	09/10/2014