

ASSOCIATION NEWS IN BRIEF

1. The Executive Committee felt grave concern about Dr. Sagar Man Amatya, Branch Member of NMA Narayani Zonal Branch, who had cerebro vascular accident with left sided hemiplegia. As the condition was deteriorating, the family of the patient decided to take him to AIIMS, New Delhi. The President of NMA in consultation with other Executive and basic members of NMA, and as advised by the physician concerned, decided at the spot to send a doctor member, resident in Anesthesiology Dept for resuscitation if needed during the travel by air.
2. Dr. Ambika Shrestha informed the house about her transfer outside the Kathmandu Valley recently. The house decided to protest against the transfer. NMA has always been requesting HMG Health Services Dept. to cooperate with NMA by posting all Executive members within the valley, for smooth conduction of the Association.
3. AOCA Japan has sent all the necessary documents and despatched the Mitsubishi Jeep. A Rural Health Services Research Subcommittee have been formed under the chairmanship of Dr. Y. M. Pradhan as the condition laid down by the donor organization. The executive meeting has passed a resolution of vote of thanks to the HMG Dept. of Health Services for recommending the exemption of the taxation for the coming vehicle donated to the NMA by the AOCA-Japan.
4. The President has proposed to organise a blood donation day by the members of the NMA in near future. The donation site will be the NMA HQ and the date and time will be announced later.
5. The house regretted on the loss of life and erosion in health in Lebanon.

6. The list of new members enrolled from 3rd Jestha 2039 B. S. till 8th Shawan 039 is as follows:

1. Dr. Bishnu Prasad Shrestha
2. Dr. Sharad Kumar Sharma
3. Dr. Mariam Smith
4. Dr. Satya Bratha Ghose
5. Dr. Lobang T. Ehungay
6. Dr. David Charles Hapling
7. Dr. Bruce James Wagstaff
8. Dr. Arun Sayami
9. Dr. Indira Upadhyay
10. Dr. Dulal Dutta
11. Dr. Labanya Charan Chaudhari
12. Dr. H. N. Das
13. Dr. Ram Kumar Shrestha

NMA welcomes all the new members of NMA and wishes them all the best for the fulfillment of the role of a basic member of NMA.

7. The Selection Board of the NMA for the scholarship in Singapore University selected the following candidates;

1. Dr. Ashok Ratna Bajracharya
2. Dr. Shiv Prasad Adhikari
3. Dr. Hari Gopal Vaidya
4. Dr. Madhav Pd. Dahal

The forms have been duly filled up by the above selected candidates and despatched to Singapore. An intimation of receiving the forms has been received from Singapore University.

8. On the date of the meeting the Executive Body formed an election committee for the forthcoming elections of the new executive (2039-41) under the chairmanship of Dr. Thir Man Sakya (Executive member 2037-39) with the following members.

1. Dr. S. R. B. S. Pradhan
2. Dr. D. B. Shah

9. Dr. T. M. Sakya, the Chairman of Election Committee has produced the final programme of the forthcoming election which is as follows :

- (a) The last date and time of submitting the nomination paper for contesting for the post of the President, Senior Vice President and Vice President for the term 1983-85 is Friday, the 15th Aswin 2039 till 8.30 P. M.
- (b) The last date and time of withdrawing the nomination; Saturday, the 30th Aswin 2039 till 5.00 PM sharp.
- (c) The last date and time of clearance of membership dues; by Wednesday, the 17th Kartik 2037 till 8.30 PM.
- (d) Enrolment of new membership who will be eligible for casting the votes; upto 7.30 PM Monday, the 7th Marga 2039.
- (e) Issuing of Ballot Paper; from 15th Marga to 25th Marga 2039.
- (f) Last date and time of receiving the ballot paper; till 4.30 PM 15th Magha 2039 at NMA HQ.
- (g) Counting of ballot paper; at 5.00 PM 15th Magha 2039 at NMA HQ.
- (h) Those members who have their dues cleared upto Chaitra 2037 will be eligible for casting the votes.
- (i) The above programme and time schedule for the election will be advertised in JNMA and Tapain Ra Tapain Ko. Doktor.

A notice will be published in Gorakhapatra reminding members who have not yet cleared their dues uptodate and to send their latest address of correspondence.

A reminder card will also be sent to all the defaulting members at their latest available address at the Association.