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To: All Filipino Blessed Families and Members
Re: 10-Day Special Prayer Condition for Nepal's Providence
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Dear Brothers and Sisters:

Warm greetings from Philippine HQ!

This is to announce a **10-Day Special Prayer Condition** that the Philippine nation would offer for Nepal's Providence from **February 13- 22, 2013**. Our brother, Ek Nath Dhakal, is now one of the candidates for the next Prime Minister of Nepal. For this purpose, we would like to enjoin all brothers and sisters to offer a 12-minute prayer anytime of the day during these dates.

Let us join in hearts and prayer for Hon. Ek Nath being appointed as Prime Minister of Nepal for the glory and comfort of our True Parents.

Thank you very much and let us continue to unite together as citizens of Cheon Il Guk with one heart and one vision and culture of the heavenly nation. Eog Mansei!

Sincerely yours,

REV. JULIUS B. MALICDEM
National Leader

Backgrounder

Since visiting New Delhi, India for the 12th South Asian Peace Initiative (SAPI) at the end of January, Hon. Ek Nath's name as a possible consensus Prime Minister candidate has surfaced in a news agency report, on the Reporters Nepal website and in The Universal Times (a weekly newspaper with nationwide circulation). The Hon. Minister has also fielded questions at news conferences in Nepal about the possibility of being Nepal's consensus Prime Minister.

Here are some news summaries:

News Agency report (no image)

Caption:

Four Proposals for Leading the Conciliation Government: Bhattarai, Regmi, Thakur or Dhakal

Article Excerpts:

... The four possibilities for following the national leadership conciliation government are: from the big parties, Dr. Baburam Bhattarai [current Prime Minister]; from an independent candidates, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Khil Raj Regmi; from Madeshi Force party, Mahanta Thakur; and from the small parties, President of the Nepal Family Party, Ek Nath Dhakal.

The screenshot shows the Reporters Nepal website. The main headline is "सहमतीय सरकारको प्रधान मन्त्रीमा भट्टराई, रेग्मी, ठाकुर र ढकालको नाम अगाडि" (Consensus Government's Prime Minister Candidates: Bhattarai, Regmi, Thakur, and Dhakal). The article is dated "By - Posted On, 3 hours ago". The text discusses the formation of a consensus government and lists four potential candidates: Dr. Baburam Bhattarai, Chief Justice Khil Raj Regmi, Mahanta Thakur, and Ek Nath Dhakal. The website also features a navigation bar with categories like "प्रमुख समाचार", "राष्ट्रिय", "विश्व", "खेलकुद", "अर्थ", "बिबिध", "मनोरञ्जन", "स्वास्थ्य", "यात्रा", "विज्ञान-प्रविधि", and "भिडियो".

Reporters Nepal (above)

Caption:

Prime Minister for the Conciliation Government: Bhattarai, Regmi, Thakur or Dhakal

Article Excerpts:

The parties are in discussion regarding the current critical situation. To find a solution for the coalition government they need a new idea... Prachanda (the leader of the Maoist) said if they want a candidate from the big parties, then it is Dr. Baburam Bhattarai; if they want an independent candidate then it is Khil Raj Regmi, [the current Chief Justice]; if they want a Madhesi Force candidate, then it is Mahanta Thakur; and if they want a candidate from the smaller parties, then it is the President of the Nepal Family Party, Ek Nath Dhakal...



The Universal Times (above)

Caption: National Agreement in the Pocket of the Opposition

Article Excerpts:

Pictured are the four candidates: Bhattarai, Regmi, Thakur and Dhakal

Paraphrased: These four candidates were proposed by the Maoist leader. It is now up to the opposition parties – mainly the Nepali Congress (NC), United Marxist-Leninists (UML) – to decide the next Prime Minister.

Let's pray,
Robert