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# Glossary

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ADB	Asian Development Bank
AusAID	Australian Aid
BS	Bikram Sambat (Nepali Calendar)
CCWB	Central Child Welfare Board
CEOS	Child Exploitation Obscenity Section
CIAA	Commission of Investigation of Abuse of Authority
CFG	Corporate Finance Governance
CoA	Court of Appeal
DFO	District Forest Officer
ED	Executive Director
FNCCI	Federation of Nepalese Chamber of Commerce and Industry
FY	Fiscal Year
FDI	Foreign Direct Investment
GoN	Government of Nepal
Hon.	Honorable
ITP	In-Australia Training Program
IP	Intellectual Property
JSTC	Judicial Service Training Center
KSL	Kathmandu School of Law
MoLJPA	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
NJA	National Judicial Academy
NRB	Nepal Rastra Bank (Central Bank of Nepal)
NGO	Non-governmental Organization
OHCHR	Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights
PPP/UE	Public Private Partnership for Urban Environment
PSLP	Public Sector Linkage Program
SLRC	Saugat Legal Research and Consultancy
SARI/Q	South Asian Regional Initiative Equity Support Program
SC	Supreme Court
ToT	Training of Trainers
TU	Tribhuvan University
UNIFEM	United Nations Development Fund for Women
UNDP	United Nations Development Program
US	United States
WCN	Wildlife Conservation Nepal
WTO	World Trade Organization



# From Executive Director's Desk

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The National Judicial Academy (henceforth NJA) has completed three years of its valuable services in the capacity building and reform of the judiciary and the justice system in Nepal. FY 2063/64 (15 June 2006- 14 June 2007) has been equally rewarding and instructive for us. This year the NJA Act was passed by the Parliament which has given the NJA a permanent status. We also remained busy throughout the year executing programs approved by the Governing Council last year and strengthening collaboration with other partners.

Human resource development is a very important component of the overall development of the Nepali judiciary. The establishment of an independent and competent system of justice is one of the perambulatory promise made in the Interim Constitution. Without competent, capable and dedicated human resource it is simply not possible to think of the creation of an independent and competent system of justice. The Nepali Judiciary, therefore, emphasized the need to work endlessly enhance the capacity of judicial institutions in order to provide quality service to the people in a dedicated and professional manner. We are mindful of the objective behind the creation of the NJA and do try to realize the aspiration of the leadership envisaged during its creation as reflected in the NJA Act. The NJA has made serious endeavors to shoulder the responsibility of enhancing efficiency of justice delivery system in Nepal.

Through its engagement in enhancing the capacity of the human resources and research the NJA has established itself as a trusted friend and reform vehicle of the Judiciary. A major highlight of the year has been our partnership with the University of Queensland through the AusAID PSLP program under which a team led by Prof Suri Ratnapala of the TC Beirne School of Law collaborated with the NJA Faculty in running the content based TOT and training in Ethics, Integrity and Accountability, Evidence and Constitutional Law. Besides, the Supreme Court has entrusted us with the responsibility of undertaking the Mid-term Review of the Strategic Plan which we will complete by Dec 2007. The interest of the international community to our activities is growing and we are getting assurance of assistance from different quarters.

While the NJA is now moving from general to more focused program for specific target groups it has now also expanded its research activity. We completed the research on "Current status of the Directives Issued by the Supreme Court (2006)" and published the report we have also

commenced research in a number of other areas. The development of official website of NJA is also one of its achievements for world wide coverage and international recognition. The report summarizes our activities in detail.

I have immense pleasure in offering this issue of Annual Report of NJA which is being published to introduce the Academy to both domestic and international readers and well wishers. I wish to record here my deep sense of appreciation to all well wishers for their contribution and continuous support to us. I also wish to thank Supreme Court of Nepal, the Judicial Council, Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs, Office of the Attorney General of Nepal, Nepal Bar Association and development agencies for the continued assistance, guidance and support that we have received in our operation. I also express my deep appreciation for the NJA team led by Dr Ananda M Bhattarai for preparing this report.



**Tope Bahadur Singh**  
Executive Director

Date: December 2007

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# INTRODUCTION

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The National Judicial Academy (henceforth NJA) completed very rewarding three years of its establishment. While writing the annual report, it is worthwhile to recapitulate the context, struggle, achievements and also write a few words about future direction that the NJA should take in order to usher judicial reform and deliver competent, efficient and effective justice to the people as set out in the vision statement of the NJA.

The need for an autonomous judicial institution was raised by judges at various fora. A series of conference of the Justices of the Supreme Court emphasized the need of the Academy partly because the existing Judicial Service Training Center (henceforth JSTC), a department of the government, was considered unsuitable to impart training to judges perhaps rightly as training by a department of the executive would be repugnant to the idea of independent judiciary. For this reason the judges stopped going to the JSTC after the promulgation of the 1990 Constitution. After all, the fear of indoctrination is very strong for any independent judiciary world wide.

Another question associated with the establishment of the NJA is the institutional framework it needed to have. Who should lead the Academy, what model should it adopt, who should be its target community; should the academy be limited to Judges or include other pillars of the justice systems as well; these were the mind boggling questions that the framers of the NJA Act had to grapple with. In common law countries, judicial academies are generally judge led. Even where they are led by professors or other academicians they are only as stop over arrangements. The basic rationale behind requiring the judge to lead the institution is that the focus of judicial education which is not "what" but rather "how." In other words, the focus is skill and attitude rather than knowledge. This might not be wholly true in a country where formal legal education is deficient in many respects, but again the supposition is that judges by training and practical experience already reach certain height where they do not keep the same interest to knowledge inputs. Secondly, given the precious little time they can afford for judicial education, judicial academies should best use the time for enhancing their capacities for competent, efficient and effective justice. Practical issues can openly discussed among the peers. Judges by nature do not open up with other groups. The policy makers for that reason also choose what is called as "peer group" model and decided to make the NJA a judge led institution. The Executive Director and the faculties were drawn from judges and other officers played a supportive role from the inception.

As to the question who should be included in the target community the NJA Act took a rational approach and included not only judges but also the government attorneys, the officials of the

Nepal judicial service as well as private law practitioners in its prioritized target community. It, thereby, implicitly rejected the idea of multiplicity of training institutions for the justice sector. Not only this, even the officers working in quasi-judicial bodies are now brought within the scope of activities of the NJA. This is necessary because appeal against their decision is generally heard by court of appeals.

The NJA had to face the natal pain of the withdrawal of the Asian Development Bank which was supposed to support the construction of the NJA complex and support it in training during the formative years. However, the support of the judicial leadership helped us to move forward. We continued to operate from the Supreme Court premises, where we had commenced our activities in partnership with the UniQuest Pty Ltd. Training of the frontline faculty on adult learning methods, facilitation skills and training management and evaluation were the useful skills that got transferred by expatriate consultants at the UniQuest during the ADB project period. Since then, the NJA has moved forward running training programs for its target communities, building partnership, conducting research in the areas of law and justice and helping the Supreme Court, its parent organization in its mission of judicial reform.

A review of our activities during these three years sufficiently tells us that the NJA has adequately focused on areas required by systemic specificities without crossing its institutional mandate. We have been moving from general orientations to specifically designed programs for specific groups and reached out to all the judges at all levels. Our focus is on competence, efficiency, and effectiveness where we have tried to make adequate balance as will be seen from the following table.

<b>Impartiality, integrity and accountability</b> (leadership and attitude focused) <b>related</b>	<b>Competence Related</b> (knowledge focused)	<b>Efficiency Related</b> (both knowledge and skill focused)	<b>Effectiveness Related</b> (more skill focused)
Judicial ethics, integrity, accountability Access to justice, legal aid Preventing and combating corruption, good governance Team building, appreciative inquiry Protocol and Etiquette, Self awareness Understanding Leadership Roles, Team Work/Team Building, Interpersonal Relationship, Learned Optimism	Courses on substantive, procedural and constitutional law, law of writs evidence law, Human rights law Forensic science/DNA typing and profiling Law and development Transitional justice Legal research and web based research New Public Management in the Judiciary, Women, Children, Dalits, Indigenous and Minorities Issues, WTO, Victims and their rights	Court management Case flow management, Bench and court room management Record management, Mediation Information and communication technology, Fair trial Calendar system and delay mitigation	Judicial skills, Judgement and order writing, human rights, gender justice, execution of judgment writing charge sheets, appeals, written memorials, Correct Nepali Writing Legal Profession & Administration of Justice, Art of Advocacy, Art of Drafting, writing legal opinion

Source: Based on NJA Annual Reports (2004-07)

The NJA has been fortunate in the sense that it has received the full support of the Supreme Court and other courts, the government in securing the required budget for its programs. The justices of the Supreme Court have been kind to give their precious and facilitating many sessions. But again there are a host of things such as faculty development, library development, introduction of information and communication technology, training material development, evaluation of the impact of the programs conducted by it etc. We will come back to these issues when we discuss the challenges the NJA is facing. Here, we request our esteemed readers to see by themselves our activities this year and kindly tell where we stand and what direction we should take.

The Second Chapter of the report gives general information about the institutional structure of the NJA while the Third Chapter deals with programs where the in house programs as well as partnership programs and other activities are covered. The next chapter covers miscellaneous activities, and in the last chapter we have raised a couple of challenges the NJA is facing.

## **Quotes**

*"Training of the judges coupled with . . . judicial temperament will help in some degree to emancipate him from suggestive power of individual dislikes and pre-possession. It will help to broaden the group to which his subconscious loyalties are due."*

- Benjamin N. Cordozo

*"Often the judges of superior courts are learned and experienced. You see judges are mostly surrounded by people who would say to them that they are the greatest judges on earth and once they start believing, rather than simply enjoying the praise, they are finished and they would no longer be amenable for any training or continuing legal education."*

- K.G. Balakrishnan, Former Chief Justice of India

# GENERAL INFORMATION

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## 2.1 Establishment

The NJA, a member of the International Organization for Judicial Training was established in 2004 to serve training and research needs of the judges, government attorneys, government legal officers, judicial officers, private law practitioners and others who are directly involved in the administration of justice in Nepal. The initiatives to establish the NJA began in 2002 under the Asian Development Bank (ADB) financed project. Its formal establishment took place in 2004 under the NJA Ordinance which is now substituted by NJA Act, 2006. The NJA is an autonomous body that works under the broad policy guidelines of the sixteen members Governing Council headed by the Rt. Honorable Chief Justice of Nepal.

## 2.2 Our Vision

The vision of NJA is to become a capable institution for providing required knowledge for the fair and efficient performance of legal and judicial responsibilities commensurate with the efficient and quality needs of the national judicial system which strives for an impartial competent, inexpensive, speedy and accessible justice.

## 2.3 Our Mission

The mission of the NJA is to bring about an established professional system of conducting judicial education through training, professional development, research and publication programs which address the respective needs of judges, attorneys, judicial officers and others who are involved in the administration of justice to foster desirable traits, values and attitudes for promoting fair, just and efficient system of justice in Nepal.

## 2.4 Objectives

The specific objectives of the Academy as per the NJA Act are to enhance the competence and professional development of judges, officials, and lawyers working in judicial institutions and to conduct studies and research in the field of law and justice.

## 2.5 Duties and Functions

The NJA undertakes a number of activities which can be broadly categorized into a) training, development and learning; b) promotion and coordination, research and dissemination of information and d) advancement of the judicial systems. The detailed functions and duties as set out in its statutes are as follows:

- To organize and conduct conferences, workshops, seminars, symposia, interaction program and any other such types of activities for the purpose of enhancement of the work efficiency and professional skill of judges, government attorneys, personnel and law practitioners engaged in the judicial bodies.
- To carry on the study and research in the field of law and justice and make the publication of the same.
- To render or cause to render the service of consultancy and information on various subject regarding law and justice.
- To coordinate with the Supreme Court, Judicial Council, Judicial Service Commission and Nepal Bar Council to enhance the work efficiency and professional skill of Judges, Government Attorneys, Judicial Personnel, and private law practitioners.
- To organize or conduct conference, workshop, seminars and symposia for the purpose of enhancement of work efficiency and professional skill of personnel performing task in quasi judicial bodies.
- To provide relevant agencies about the reform required for correcting the drawbacks, weaknesses and mistakes identified in the field of law and justice.
- To make the judicial bodies acquainted with the novel technology and uses thereof developed in the field of law and justice.
- To tie up the judicial training program with the judicial administration as its integral part.
- To integrate judicial training program for prompt, easy and accessible justice.
- To tie up the training with career development by enhancing the knowledge and skills in relation to the procedure of law-drafting, judicial administration, justice dispensation and execution of the judgments.
- To run program in order to develop the law practice as competitive, competent, service oriented and effective legal profession.
- To organize seminar, symposia, conference and workshops ensuring the participation of the experts of the concerned fields for the purpose of resolving the problems seen in the field of law and justice.
- To make the training program standard and effective by making contact with the judicial training institutions of other countries.
- To work as the liaison agency with the government and international agencies on matters relating to the training program to be conducted in the field of law and justice for enhancement of ability and competence.
- To organize study tours, foreign training program, seminar and workshop for the purpose of enhancing professional skill of judicial professional staff.

In order to provide support to run and develop the program of the Academy, the Academy is mandated to work towards drawing and securing fund from the government, foreign government, international agencies and institutions and individuals. The NJA has begun to earn some money which we plan to spend for faculty development activities.

## 2.6 Organizational Framework

The Act has provided for a 16 member Governing Council under the chair of Rt. Hon. Chief Justice of Nepal. The Executive Committee is led by the Executive Director of the NJA.

### 2.6.1 Governing Council of the NJA

The composition of the NJA Council is as follows:

Chief Justice	– Chairperson
Minister for Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs	– Member
Vice - Chairperson, National Planning Commission	– Member
Two Justices from among the sitting justices of the Supreme Court	– Members
Attorney General	– Member
One person from among the retired Justices of the Supreme Court	– Member
Dean, Faculty of Law, Tribhuvan University	– Member
One judge from among the sitting judges of the Court of Appeal	– Member
One person from among the professors of Law having at least five years of teaching experience	– Member
President, Nepal Bar Association	– Member
One judge from among the sitting judges of District Courts	– Member
Three law graduates representing Women, ethnic Communities and Dalits having fifteen years of involvement in the field of law and justice	– Members
Executive Director, NJA	– Member Secretary

### 2.6.2 Duties, Powers and Function of the Council

The Council which is the apex body provides broad guidance to the NJA. The duties, powers and functions of the Council as provided in the Act are as follows:

- to formulate policies as regards to training and research programmes to be conducted by the Academy
- to approve the long term plan of the Academy
- to approve the annual programme and budget of the Academy
- to frame the Rule of the Academy and to approve by-laws and
- to carry out the other functions as prescribed.

### 2.6.3 Executive Committee

The Act has also provided for a Seven-member Executive Committee headed by the Executive Director. This committee is the execution body of overall plan, policies and programmes endorsed by the Governing Council. The Committee consists of seven members as follows:

Executive Director	– Chairperson
Secretary, Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs	– Member
Secretary, Judicial Council	– Member

Registrar, Supreme Court	– Member
Senior-most Deputy Attorney General, Office of Attorney General	– Member
Secretary, Nepal Bar Association	– Member
One senior employee of the Academy nominated by the Council	– Member Secretary

#### **2.6.4 Powers, Functions and Duties of the Committee**

The duties, powers and functions of the Council as provided in the Act are as follows:

- To prepare the plan of the Academy,
- To prepare the policy as regards to judicial training and research to be conducted by the Academy,
- To prepare annual program and budget of the Academy and submit it to Council,
- To undertake and cause to research and training program of the Academy and to provide and cause to consultancy service,
- to evaluate or to cause to evaluate the training programmes conducted by the Academy,
- to make arrangements for exchange of service of experienced personalities of various faculties in order to make the training program more functional and practical,
- to carry out other functions as prescribed.

### **2.7 Infrastructure**

The NJA currently operates from the Supreme Court premises- from the second and third floor of the Annex building where it has a training hall a modest library, a meeting room, and office space for its faculty and staff. Besides, the Supreme Court has been kind to allow the NJA use its two conference rooms on the fifth floor as and when necessary. It has three vehicles, 16 computers, two photocopy machines and three printers linked by LAN. All the computers have internet access. The NJA has also developed its website, which is currently being improved. Additionally, on March 14, 2007, the USAID/ARD Rule of Law Project has given the following equipments to the NJA:

Laptop Computer (Dell)	1 no ( now total no of laptops 2)
LCD Projector (Dell)	1 no ( now total no of LCDs 2)
Digital Camera	1 no ( now total no of camera 2)
DVD Player (Phillips)	1 no
Air conditioners ( two ton)	2 no ( now total no 3)

# PROGRAMS

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## Introduction

The NJA has completed three successful years in designing and delivering training, seminar, orientation, colloquium and talks to judges, judicial officers, government attorneys and private law practitioners. As far as overall strategy is concerned, NJA has adopted a systematic approach beginning with the identification of genuine Training Needs Analysis (TNA), which is then followed by the design of a suitable curriculum for the specific group and design and execution of appropriate training programmes. This is followed by the participants' evaluation of the training.

In the year 2006-2007 (FY 2063/2064 BS) the NJA conducted overall 31 trainings, interactions, workshops and colliqua in which 20 were government funded categorized as In-house programmes and another 11 as partnership programmes, conducted with the support from different government agencies such as the Central Child Welfare Board, Nepal Rastra Bank, and UN Agencies such as the UNIFEM and other organizations. Besides there were several other activities such as curriculum development, talks, visits and experience sharing programs. The program for Registrars and the Chief Judges of Court of Appeal on leadership was clubbed. Similarly, the program for Government Legal Officers (class II) was cancelled due to low participation of the participants. Similarly, two one-day interaction programs for lawyers were postponed for the next year due to little time for preparation. In view of this, the NJA designed two programs: a Training program for section officers in appellate and district courts and a TOT program for internal capacity building. Thus, the total number of in-house training programs remained 20. Budgetary expenditure for government funded programmes has been shown in Annex - I

As will be seen, the NJA has now moved decisively from general orientation types to specifically focused programs for the specific target groups. While doing so, it has also kept in mind the TNA report prepared last year and taken up prioritized topics as far as possible. The programs have focused on knowledge, skills and development of right attitude among its clientele groups. While a major focus of the program has been on "how" rather than "what", given the poor standard of academic institutions providing formal university level legal education, the NJA has also attached due attention to brushing up, upgrading and updating knowledge.

## 3.1 In-house Training

### 3.1.1 Induction Training for District Court Judges

A three-week-long induction program for newly appointed district judges was held from August 23 to September 8, 2006 at the NJA Training Hall. The training focused on providing necessary

skills to the judges with a view to preparing them for their new assignment. The major aim of the program was to enhance their professional competence in their field of work where the judges were involved in case studies and asked to write orders such as bail and remand order, order for the presentation of evidence, and judgment writing. The draft orders and judgments were reviewed by their peers and an expert judge (appellate court judge) and feedbacks were given to them. There were forty-eight judges participating in the program. After the program, the participants noted that they had benefited greatly from the program and this type of activity definitely assisted in the development of capacity to competently undertake their activities on a day-to-day basis. The following sessions were covered in the training program.

Jurisdiction of the district court	Access to justice
Remand/bailment	Practical issues in the law of evidence
Examination of witness, Hostile witness and punishment for false deposition	Handwriting and finger print identification
Protocol and etiquette	Bench and court room management
Court process	Case flow management
Record management	Personnel management
Interlocutory orders	Land measurement Mapping/map reading
Presentation of expert evidence in court	Autopsy and other physical Injuries
DNA profiling/typing	Protection of human rights in judicial process/gender justice and juvenile justice
Mediation	Fair trial
Decision making	Execution of judgment
Understanding leadership within the court system: Opportunities and Challenges	Maintaining coordination and cooperation
Arrears and financial irregularities	Judicial good governance
Practicum on conducting bail hearing, trial and writing of orders and judgments.	Arrears and financial irregularities

For the list of participants, see Annex - 2

### **3.1.2 Joint Colloquium for Chief Judges and Registrars of Appellate Courts**

A weeklong joint colloquium of Chief Judges and Registrars of Appellate Courts on "Leadership and Management" was held from December 14 to 17, 2007 at Hotel De la Annapurna. The objective of the program was to encourage better coordination and communication and develop collective strategies to address challenges in the court. The adult learning method was adopted to enhance the knowledge and ability of the participants. The resource persons for the program comprised judges, senior judicial officer and independent experts from various fields. All the participants took active part in all sessions. There were 16 Chief Judges of the appellate court and 17 nominees for registrars of various appellate courts. The following are the sessions covered in the program.

- Knowing yourself/ Self Awareness
- Transitional Justice and the Judiciary
- Understanding Leadership Roles
- Team Work/Team Building
- Interpersonal Relationship
- Appreciative Inquiry
- Learned Optimism
- Ten Years of Prospective Plan for the Civil Service Employees

The list of participants is given in Annex - 3.

### **3.1.3 Orientation Program for Bench Officers (Class III)**

A week-long orientation program for Bench officers (Class III) was held from December 24 to 29, 2006 at the NJA. The main objective of the program was to endorse and reinforce for uniform legal approach and attitudes necessary for effective judicial process. The adult learning method was adopted to develop the capability and knowledge of the participants. The program was very interactive and participatory in nature. Fourteen participants took part in the training program. The following are the sessions covered in the program.

- Functions and Responsibilities of Bench Officer and Code of Conduct
- Gender Justice and Judicial Fairness
- Court Room Management
- Bench Officers & Legal Research
- Human Rights Fair Trial and Adjudication Process
- Map Reading
- Protocol and Etiquettes
- Judgment Drafting
- Correct Nepali Writing
- Fundamentals of Judgment Drafting & Art of Judgment Writing

The list of participants is given in Annex - 4.

### **3.1.4 Training for Tahasildars**

The Tahasildars are the officers of the courts responsible for the execution of judgment. They are attached to the district court. A week long training for Tahasildar of various district court was held from December 31 to Jan 5, 2007 at the NJA Training Hall. The main aim of the program was to provide participants an opportunity to enhance their professional competence and practical skills in the execution of judgments. There were altogether 19 participants. The following are the sessions covered in the training.

- Power, Function & Role of Tahasildars in Judicial Administration
- Fair Trial and Court Officers
- Gender Justice and Court Procedure
- New Public Management and the Judiciary

- Scope, Nature and Kinds of Execution of Judgment
- Procedure in Partition
- Execution of Criminal Cases
- Execution in other Civil Cases
- Reform Initiatives on Improving Execution of Judgment
- Protocol and Etiquettes

For the list of the participants, See Annex - 5

### **3.1.5 Training for Shrestedar**

The Shrestedars are the administrative officers of the district courts. A one week long training program for them was organized from Jan 17 to 22, 2007 at the NJA Training Hall. Sharing of knowledge, skills and experiences of participants to achieve organizational goal was the objective of the training. Many job related subjects were discussed in various sessions. There were altogether fourteen participants. The following are the sessions covered in the training program:

- Examining Jurisdiction, Locus Standi, Limitation and Other Requirements
- Fair Trial
- New Public Management in the Judiciary
- Procedure and Practice Regarding Bail
- Calendar System and Delay Mitigation
- Juvenile Justice and Court Proceedings
- Legal Aid Administration and Public Defenders Program
- Issues of Corruption
- Public Interest Litigation
- Gender Justice and Court Procedure
- Fundamentals of Court Management
- Appreciative Inquiry
- Transitional Justice and the Judiciary

The list of participants is given in Annex - 6.



A participant giving the concluding observation at the closing session of the program

### **3.1.6 Training for Section Officers (Class III)**

A week long Training for Section Officers (Class III) serving at the Supreme Court, different Appellate courts, District Courts, Revenue Tribunal and Judicial Council was held from Feb 4 to 9, 2007 at NJA, Training Hall. The objective of the training was to orient the officers on management related issues. The program was very interactive and lively discussions took place in each session. There were altogether eighteen participants. The following are the sessions covered in the training program.

- Judicial Independence and Accountability
- Judicial Ethics and Conduct
- Gender Justice and Judicial Fairness

- Appreciative Inquiry
- Team Work in Judicial Administration
- Human Rights and Judiciary
- New Public Management
- Legal Aid Administration and Public Defenders
- Juvenile Justice System Current Situation
- Court Referred Mediation
- Case Flow Management
- Transitional Justice and the Judiciary
- Access to Justice
- Examining Jurisdiction, Locus standi, Limitations and Other Requirement

The list of participants is given in Annex - 7.

### 3.1.7 Interaction Program on Tax Law for Revenue Tribunals

Slightly digressing from the beaten track, the NJA this year ventured to reach out to tribunals with specifically focused program. Accordingly, a five-day interaction program for the Chair and Members of the Revenue Tribunal, Government Attorneys appearing in various Revenue Tribunals along with four other appellate court judges was held from Feb 25 to Mar 1, 2007 at the NJA. The aim of the program was to meet the knowledge and skill needs of the participants on tax law. The participants discussed various contemporary issues and legal and institutional problems among themselves and officers of the Ministry of Finance and Tax Department. On the concluding day an open discussion was held on the current challenges facing the Revenue Tribunals and possible way forward. On behalf of the participants Hon. Keshari Raj Pandit gave a presentation on problems and challenges. This session was attended by the officials from the Ministry of Finance, Department of Tax, Large Tax Division and the Supreme Court. The session was chaired by Hon'ble Kalyan Shrestha, Justice, Supreme Court. The sessions covered in the following subjects.



Hon. Justice Kalyan Shrestha distributing certificate to Justice K R Pandit a participant of Tax Law Program

- Jurisdiction and Procedures of Revenue Tribunals
- Public Finance, Revenue Policy and Tax
- Calculation of Business Income
- Tax administrative Review
- International aspect of Income Tax
- Custom Duties
- Value Added Taxation
- Value Added Taxation (Policy and Law)
- Income Taxation Law (Then and Now)
- Income from Investment with Emphasis of Capital Gain

The list of participants is given in Annex - 8.

### 3.1.8 Interaction Program for District Judges

A week-long interaction program for District Judges was held from Mar 4 to 9, 2007 at NJA. The resource persons were drawn from among the judges, senior attorneys, senior advocates and other expert professionals. The sessions like DNA Profiling and Typing, Women, Children, Dalit, Indigenous and Minorities Issues WTO and Judiciary, Judiciary and Media and Law and Development were included to change the structure which includes organizational controls, policies and procedures in their work site and Changing the technology which includes types of equipment or processes that assist organization members in the performance of their job. There were altogether eighteen participants from various district courts. The following are the sessions covered in the program.

- Appreciative Inquiry
- Reading Autopsy Report
- DNA Profiling and Typing
- Law and Development
- Transitional Justice and the Judiciary
- WTO and Judiciary
- Settlement of Issues, Fact finding and Decision Making
- Women, Children, Dalit, Indigenous and Minorities Issues
- Preventing and Combating Corruption
- Organized Crime in Nepalese Context
- Web Based Research and Website Surfing
- Judiciary and Media
- Case flow Management

The list of participants is given in Annex - 9.



Participating Judges with Executive Director, Faculties and staff of the NJA

### 3.1.9 Seminar on Advocacy & Drafting

A one-day Seminar on "Art of Advocacy and Drafting" and "Legal Profession and Administration of Justice" was held on Chitra 25, 2063 at the NJA. The program was designed for the advocates working in the legal field for the last five years. The sessions updated the participants with the knowledge of art of advocacy, court practices and art of drafting. The program was very interactive and lively discussion took place at the end of each session. There were altogether 21 participants from various Bar Units. The list of participants is given in Annex - 10. The following are the sessions covered in the seminar.



Participants at the Seminar Hall

- Legal Profession & Administration of Justice
- Art of Advocacy
- Art of Drafting

### **3.1.10 Training for Shrestedar-II**

The NJA conducted a week-long training from Apr 9-16, 2007 for Shrestedars. This was the second program for this specific group. The target group of the program were section officers (class II) serving in various district courts as Shrestedars. The objective of the program was to assist participants in gaining required knowledge and skills related to their work. There were altogether fourteen participants. The list of participants is given in Annex - 11. The following are the sessions covered in the training program.

- Fundamentals of Court Management
- Fair Trial
- Issues of Corruption
- Access to Justice
- Record Management
- Managerial Role and Skills
- Court Referred Mediation Process
- Judiciary and Media
- Judicial Function & Accountability
- Right of Indigent People
- Legal Aid Administration and Public Defenders
- Juvenile Justice and Court Proceedings
- Rule of Law & Independence of Judiciary

### **3.1.11 Seminar for Court of Appeal Judges**

A three-day seminar for various appellate court judges was organized by the NJA from April 18 to 20, 2007. The seminar was designed with an objective to provide knowledge and skills. The participants benefited from sessions like Leadership Building, Appreciative Inquiry: Power of Positive Thinking. These topics were introduced with a view to help judges gain right kind of attitude in their work. It is also believed that the program encouraged the participants to support and develop uniform legal approach and outlook which is necessary for effective delivery of justice. There were altogether fifteen participants. The following are the sessions covered in the training program.

- Judiciary in Transition: Role of the Judges
- Access to Justice and Role of CoA Judges
- Leadership Building
- Writ of Injunction
- Writ of Habeas Corpus
- Interim Order, Interlocutory Order, Stay Order, Directive Order, Stricture and Final Order
- Writ of Habeas Corpus

- WTO & Judiciary
- DNA Profiling & Typing
- Appreciative Inquiry : Power of Positive Thinking
- Access to Justice and Role of the Appeal Court Judges

The list of participants is given in Annex - 12.

### **3.1.12 Training for Private Lawyers**

A week-long private practitioners' training program was organized at the NJA from Apr 22 to 29, 2007. Since the knowledge and skills needs of lawyers are different from other groups, this program was specially designed for young lawyers after making prior informal consultation with leaders of the Bar. The program consisted three sessions each day. Each session was one and a half hour's duration. Each day, time was given for recapping of previous day's activities by one participant. There were altogether eighteen participants who were nominated by the Nepal Bar at the request of the NJA. The following are the sessions covered in the program.

- Road Traffic Offences: Problems and Reforms
- Human Rights and PIL
- Insurance Law: Problems and Prospects
- Law Relating to Combating Money Laundering
- Bail and Remand
- Theoretical Aspect of Environmental Law and Present Position in Nepal: Problems and Proposals
- Theory of Interpretation and Precedents
- Banking Law : Problems and Reforms
- Organized Crime and Extradition with reference to National & Int'l Law
- Victimology and Victim Justice System
- Major Issues in Private International Law
- Legal Research
- Actus Reus
- Sexual Offences: Present Positions and Reforms

The list of participants is given in Annex -13.



Participants, NJA ED and Staff Posing for a Group Photo

### **3.1.13 Training for Assistant District Attorneys**

A week-long training program for Assistant District Attorneys (class III) was organized from May 3 to 9, 2007 at the NJA. The aim of the program was to provide knowledge and skills inputs to the attorneys working in the field. The program began with an inquiry on the Role and Function of Government Attorneys in Justice System. This was followed by practical topics such as Fundamentals of Charge Sheet Writing Providing Effective Legal Opinion Law and Procedure on

Bail and Remand which helped the participants rearticulate the issues, raise questions and develop a common approach in their work. Besides sessions like appreciative inquiry are introduced with a view to help the attorneys to develop positive attitudes in their work. There were altogether seventeen participants. The following are the sessions covered in the training program.

- Role and Function of Government Attorneys in Justice System
- Fundamentals of Charge Sheet Writing
- Providing Effective Legal Opinion
- Law and Procedure on Bail and Remand
- Appreciative Inquiry
- Scope and Strategy in Decision Making for Effective Prosecution
- Drafting of Appeal and Written Reply
- Legal Research, Role of Citation & its use
- Protocol and Etiquettes
- Human Rights and Fair Trial

The list of participants is given in Annex - 14.

#### **3.1.14 Seminar on Legal Opinion and Legislative Drafting**

A one-day seminar on Legal Opinion and Legislative Drafting was held from May 11, 2007 at the NJA. The target group of the seminar was First Class Officers from the Ministry of Law Justice Parliamentary Affairs. The seminar was divided into two sessions. Hon. Balaram K.C, Justice Supreme Court and Former Law Secretary Mr. Tirthaman Shakya presented papers on the selected topics. The sessions were chaired by Hon. Anup Raj Sharma and Hon. Min Bahadur Rayamajhee respectively. Since the Participants were high ranking officers they actively commented all the papers and various aspects covered by them. The participants took part actively in all sessions. There were altogether twelve participants. The following are the sessions covered in the Seminar:

- Legal Opinion Formation in Relation with Good Governance
- Legislative Drafting: Theories and Practices

The list of participants is given in Annex - 15.

#### **3.1.15 Orientation Program for District Attorneys (Class II)**

A week long orientation program for District Attorneys (Class II) was held from May 15 to 21, 2007 at NJA. The major aim of the program was to encourage the participants to strengthen the legal knowledge and develop skills to handle various issues pertaining to their field. While sessions such as Interrogation and Interviewing technique and representation in the Court emphasized on the skills, other sessions addressed the knowledge and skill needs of the participants.

- Legal Research and its Use
- Medico-legal Issues in Criminal Cases

- Protocol and Etiquettes
- Studying and Using Expert's Report
- DNA Profiling and Typing
- Interrogation/Interviewing Techniques and Their Uses
- Challenges to Address the Rights of the Victims of Crime
- Nature and Dimensions of Organized Crime
- Law and Procedures on Bail and Remand
- Mens rea
- Fundamentals of Charge Sheet
- Planning Effective Representation in the Courtroom

The list of participants is given in Annex - 16.

### **3.1.16 Orientation Program for Government Legal Officers (Class II)**

A five-day orientation program was organized by NJA targeting the Government Legal Officers (Class II). The program was held from May 24 to 28, 2007. The main aim of the program was to provide knowledge and skill input on various issues to the legal officers associated with various ministries. While sessions like negotiation skills and presentation of written submission pertained to skill needs other sessions focused on knowledge aspect. The resource persons for the program were drawn from among the judges, senior judicial officers, senior attorneys, senior advocates and professional experts. There were altogether seventeen participants. The following are the sessions covered in the induction training program.

- Transparency and Dispute Settlement Mechanism in WTO
- Legal Advice
- Protocol and Etiquettes
- Writ and Presentation of Written Statement Before the Court
- Judicial Response on Environmental Protection
- Negotiation Skills
- Judiciary and the Development
- International Human Rights Law
- Procurement Law
- FDI in Nepal
- Aspect of Criminal Law and Parties to Crime

The list of participants is given in Annex - 17.

### **3.1.17 Training for Joint Attorneys (Class I)**

A five-day training program was held from May 27 to 31, 2007 by the NJA for Joint Attorneys (Class I). The major aim of the program was to enhance professional competence of senior government attorneys in their field of work and make them able to render speedy and consistent service to the people. The training focused on leadership building and experience sharing. Besides, a fairly good amount of time was spent for knowledge input on new and emerging areas. The participants also showed profound concentration and active participation in all sessions.

There were altogether seventeen participants. The following sessions were covered in the training program.

- Writ of Habeas Corpus
- Mandamus
- Basic Understanding about WTO and Nepal's Membership
- Writ of Certiorari
- Fundamentals of Interim Order, Interlocutory Order, Stay Order, Directive Order
- Transparency and Dispute Settlement Mechanism in WTO
- Transitional Justice and the Judiciary
- Understanding Leadership and Leadership Development Approaches

The list of participants is given in Annex - 18.

### **3.1.18 Training for Trainers (ToT) for Judicial Officers**

The NJA works with a small core faculty and wider collegiums of extended faculty. It is, therefore, necessary to organize periodic training for prospective trainers. Keeping this in view, a five-day Training of Trainers (ToT) for the officials of Judicial Service was held from June 3 to 7, 2007 at the NJA. This was an additional (though unscheduled) program launched for capacity building of the NJA. The major aim of the program was to introduce various learning methods and tools such as the adult learning principles, facilitation and presentation skills, participatory training etc to the participants. A self-motivated participation was observed in all the sessions. During the TOT each participant made a mock presentation of their choice. The resource persons to conduct the sessions were drawn from among the professional experts from Academic Staff College. There were altogether nineteen participants comprising government and Judicial and Legal officers. The following sessions were covered in the ToT program.



- Systematic Training Processes and Role of Trainers
- Training Method - I
- Adult Learning Principles
- Training Method - II
- Preparation of Lesson Plan
- Facilitation Skills
- Experiential Learning
- Demonstration Method
- Interactive Lecture Method
- Use of Training Methods and Selection
- Critical Incident Method

The list of participants is given in Annex - 19.

Participants and Evaluating Experts at the Practicum Session

### **3. 1.19 Retreat Program for Supreme Court Justices**

"Retreat" means an intensive learning in a rather secluded place, away from the hurly burly of the town. The NJA organized a two-day Retreat Program for Supreme Court Justices from June 29 and 30, 2007 at the Park Village Resort, Budhanilkanta. This year the NJA used the precious time of the Hon. SC Justices for a discourse on principles of adult learning and presentation skills by way of response to the interest shown by many Justices of the SC. It also matched the interest of the NJA as many Justices were invited as resource persons at the NJA right from its inception. Hon. Justices showed keen interest, concentration and took part actively in all sessions. There were altogether fourteen participants. The following sessions were covered in the program.

- Adult Learning Principles and Process
- Participatory Training/Learning Methods
- How Adults Learn ?
- Concept of Training Process
- Presentation and Facilitation Skills
- Presentation of Lesson Plan
- Participatory Training/Lesson Plan

The list of participants is given in Annex - 20.



Supreme Court Justices at the Retreat Session

## **3.2 Partnership Programs**

The NJA is fortunate to have growing partnership with a number of international agencies in capacity building of the judiciary. This year the NJA collaborated with SARI/Q, Central Child Welfare Board, Wildlife Conservation Nepal, Nepal Rastra Bank, and the University of Queensland in conducting various programs.

### **3.2.1 Partnership with Nepal Rastra Bank**

#### **3.2.1.1 Half-Day Interaction**

On 15th Dec 2006 the NJA and the NRB organized a half-day seminar on "Commercial Legal Problems: Issues and Trends." The objective of the program were: to review the laws and streamline the legal system in the area of financial and banking sectors; to examine the current trends of adjudication of commercial cases and bring the issues to the fore; and to identify the areas for immediate interventions. The interaction was inaugurated by Rt. Hon Dilip Kumar Paudel, the Chief Justice of Nepal. Before him Mr. Bir Bikram Rayamajhi welcomed the guests and participants. Hon. Attorney General Yagnya Murti Banjade, Mr Bijayanath Bhattarai, Governor NRB and Mr Radhesh Pant, Chairman of the Bankers Association also spoke on the occasion. Perspectives on the commercial legal problem from following three sectors were brought to the seminar:



Hon. Attorney General Yagnya Murti Banjade at the Program

- Perspective of the Judiciary: by Justice Anup Raj Sharma, Supreme Court
- Perspective of the Private Attorney: by Mr Sailendra Dahal, Advocate
- Perspective of the Central Bank as a regulatory Authority: by Mr Surendra Man Pradhan and Bhaskar Mani Gyanwali

Following the presentations the floor was opened for discussion where the issues, and disputes were raised and different perspectives were shared. A consensus developed in the interaction that commercial, banking and the judicial sector should come further closer to understand

each other. Further programs should be developed for capacity building of the justice sector in commercial and banking related cases. The interaction program was chaired by Hon. Kedar Prasad Giri, Justice Supreme Court. Justice (retired) Tope Bahadur Singh, Executive Director of the NJA thanked the delegates, guests and participants.

### **3.2.1.2 Curriculum Development in Commercial and Banking Law**

Following the half-day interaction the the NJA designed a curriculum for appellate court judges with the support of Rastra Bank. Three persons, Hon. Keshari Raj Pandit, Mr Sailendra Dahal and Mr Bhaskar Gyanwali were involved in designing curriculum. They designed the following curriculums:

- Curriculum on Insolvency and Secured Transaction Law
- Curriculum on Banking Law
- Curriculum on Company and Contract Law

The curriculum was reviewed by experts representing court, the Bar and the banking sector whereupon the experts incorporated many suggestions that came from the review meeting and finalized the curriculum. The review program was held on March 21, 2007 at Hotel Yak and Yeti.

### **3.2.1.3 Interaction Programs on Commercial and Banking Law**

The NJA in collaboration with the Nepal Rastra Bank designed and organized two interaction programs on the commercial and banking laws for judges of the Court of Appeal from May 20 to 25 and 27 May to June 1, 2007. Both programs were held at Hotel Shangri-La, Kathmandu.

Both the programs were inaugurated by Rt. Hon Dilip Kumar Paudel , the Chief Justice of Nepal. In his inaugural speech, Rt. Hon. Chief Justice emphasized on the pivotal role of courts with respect to commercial and banking disputes. He suggested that the program should focus on

contemporary issues for enhancing knowledge and build practical skills. He also expressed confidence that the program would help the participants to apply their knowledge and skills to the resolution of commercial and banking law related disputes. The inaugural session was chaired by the Executive Director of the NJA Mr. Tope Bahadur Singh. Governor of the NRB, Mr. Bijaya Nath Bhattarai, Secretary at the Ministry of Law Justice and Parliamentary Affairs Dr. Kul Ratna Bhurtel, Registrar of the Supreme Court Dr. Ram Krishna Timalseña, Hon. Judge and Faculty of the NJA Dr. Aananda Mohan Bhattarai also spoke at the inaugural.

The objective of the program was to make participating judges more familiar with the main legal issues relating to commercial and banking laws and regulations. All together 40 judges from the Court of Appeal (17 in the first and 23 in the second) participated in the program. The two interaction programs were coordinated by Dr Ananda M. Bhattarai and assisted by Mr Gyanendra Kafle and Mr Paras Paudel. The last session in both the interactions was designed as an open session where multi-sectoral discussion was held following the presentation by participants on the issues and challenges facing the judiciary in company and banking law. While in the first program Hon. Raghav Lal Baidhya gave presentation on behalf of the participants the same was done by Hon. Ishwar Khatiwada in the second program. The following subjects were covered in the interaction.



Participating Court of Appeal Judges, the then Chief Justice and NJA ED Posing for a Group Photo

- **Secured Transaction Law**
- **Electronic Transaction Law**  
Electronic Transaction Act 2063
- **Contract Law**  
Formation, Performance & Discharges of Contract Letter of Credit  
International Trade and Commercial Transaction  
Contract of Guarantee  
Breaches & Remedies  
Damages and Specific Performance
- **Insurance Law**  
General Concept of Insurance Contract and Disputes in courts
- **Arbitration Law I**  
Courts & Arbitration: Arbitration Act and (Court Procedure) Rules International Commercial Disputes and Arbitration
- **Insolvency Law -I**  
Fundamentals of Insolvency Law  
General Provisions of Insolvency Act 2063-I  
General Provisions of Insolvency Act II

- **Company Law-I**  
Formation with Special Ref. to New Companies Act 2063  
Operation & Management of Companies  
Issues in Corporate Governance
  - **Banking Law I**  
Financial System and Role of Central Bank  
Commercial Banks/Financial Institutions and their Operation  
N.P.L. Management  
Financial System and Micro-Finance  
Judicial Response to Banking Related Cases
  - **Open Session**  
Commercial and bank related cases, Judicial Trends and Possible Way Forward
- The list of the participants of the two programs is given in the Annex - 21 and 22.

### **3.2.2 Training on Gender Justice**

A Three-day training on Gender Justice was held from August 17-20, 2006 at NJA in partnership with South Asia Regional Initiative/Equity Support Program (SARIQ). The Regional Action Forum, supported by the SARI/Equity is a platform for dedicated individuals from civil society, government, academics and regional/international institutions to address and act upon issues of common concern in the South Asia region. The resource persons were drawn from among the judges, judicial officers, legal experts and professional experts who had participated in the TOT on Gender Justice last year. There were altogether nineteen participants. The list of participants is given in Annex - 23. The following sessions were covered in the training program.

- Women's Access to Justice
- Principle of Equality and Gender Justice
- Judicial Response Towards Gender Justice
- Combating Trafficking of Women and Children
- Formal and Substantive Equality in Relation to Gender Justice
- International Legal Framework on Gender Justice
- Violence on Woman - Domestic Violence
- Gender Equality in the Judicial Process and the Response of the Court in Gender Justice
- Conceptual Understanding of Gender Justice, Gender Discrimination and its Impact on Women

### **3.2.3 Trainings on Juvenile Justice**

The NJA in partnership with the Central Child Welfare Board organized five training programs for different target groups. The objective of these programs was to provide knowledge and skill inputs and also help participants to develop right attitude in handling cases on Juvenile Justice. The sessions were facilitated by judges, lawyers, judicial officers and experts within the country. Meanwhile, juvenile justice expert Prof. Ved Kumari from Delhi University also led sessions in some of the program. The following are the highlight of the training program.

- National Laws, Policies and Practice
- Situation Analysis Adolescent Development and Delinquency
- Communication with Children
- Gender Sensitivity
- Convention on the Rights of the Child
- UN Standards on Juvenile Justice
- Role of stakeholders in Juvenile justice

### **3.2.3.1 Training for Junior Court Staffs**

The first training program on Juvenile Justice was held from November 11 to 13, 2006 for Junior Court Staffs. There were altogether twenty-four participants.



Prof. Ved Kumari Leading a Session

### **3.2.3.2 Training for Lawyers**

A three-day training program on Juvenile Justice was held from November 26 to 28, 2006 for Lawyers. There were altogether thirty participants.

### **3.2.3.3 Training for Government Attorneys**

A three-day training program on Juvenile Justice was held from December 11-13, 2006 for Government Attorneys. There were altogether twenty four participants.

### **3.2.3.4 Training for Judicial Officers**

A three day's training program on Juvenile Justice was held on Dec 17-19, 2006 for Judicial Officers. There were altogether twenty four participants.



Participants at the Session

### **3.2.3.5 Training for District Judges**

A three day's training program on Juvenile Justice was held from Dec 27 to 29, 2006 for District Judges. There were altogether twenty two participants. The following sessions were covered in the training program. The lists of the participants of all five programs are given in the Annex - 24.

### **3.2.4 Workshop on Environment Crime for Judiciary and Law Enforcement Agencies**

A two-day workshop on Environmental Crime was held from November 3-4, 2006 in partnership with Wildlife Conservation Nepal (WCN) and Saugat Legal Research and Consultancy (SLRC). The participants at the workshop were mainly judges, lawyers, advocates, forest official,

journalists, Nepal Army, Police and members of other concerned groups. Rt. Hon'ble Chief Justice Dilip Kumar Poudel inaugurated the program. The Inaugural Session was chaired by Justice Tope Bahadur Singh, Executive Director of NJA where he threw light on the challenges created by vague laws regarding the wildlife conservation in today's context. The welcome speech was given by Shyam Bajiamaya, Ministry of Forest and Soil Conservation, GoN. Hon'ble Chief Judge Rana Bahadur Bam, CoA Patan and Mr. Chetnath Ghimire, Deputy Attorney General, AG Office presented the papers. The papers examined the challenges pertaining to the implementation of wildlife related laws and in preventing serious disturbances in the habitat of rare wildlife species and protection from poaching and to prevent control and punish wildlife crimes. Following the presentation of papers, the floor was opened for discussion where the participants shared experience on several knotty issues relating to environmental crimes. A consensus was developed with regard to the need of multi-sectoral collaboration. Towards the end, a vote of thanks was given by Dr Chuda Bahadur Shrestha, Director, SLRC. The list of participants is given in Annex - 25.

### **3.2.5 Interaction Program on Initial Report for the Establishment of Commercial Bench**

A one-day interaction Program on Initial Report of the Task Force for the Establishment of Commercial Bench" was organized on January 19, 2007 at the World Bank Public Information Center, Heritage Plaza. The task force was constituted by the Supreme Court in Jan 5, 2007 to study and suggest appropriate strategy for the establishment of commercial bench. The Task force was constituted at the convenorship of Hon. Tarka Raj Bhatta, Chief Judge, Court of Appeal, Jumla<sup>1</sup> The Task force had requested the NJA to facilitate the organization of interaction programs through which it wanted to reach out to different groups for feedback. The first program was supported by the World Bank.

At the first interaction, Justice Tope Bahadur Singh, Executive Director of NJA, gave welcome speech. The presentation of the initial report for the establishment of commercial bench was made by Hon'ble Tarka Raj Bhatta, Chief Judge, CoA. The interaction was facilitated by Hon'ble Dr Ananda Mohan Bhattarai, Judge, CoA. A vote of thanks was given by Dr Ram Krishna Timsena who also highlighted the importance of establishing the commercial bench and identifying areas where immediate intervention was required.

Following this interaction, the NJA also informally assisted the task force in holding interaction on Feb 5. 2007 with stakeholders from the industrial and business sectors led by the Nepal Chambers of Commerce. The NJA takes this as a special privilege to assist the Supreme Court in policy and strategy formulation on the establishment of commercial bench in the country.

### **3.2.6 Orientation of Judges in Insolvency Process**

A one-day Interaction program on the role of Judges in Insolvency Process was organized by the NJA on Dec 30, 2006 at Hotel Himalaya, Pulchowk. Advocate Bharat Raj Upreti, Consultant for CFG Project

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<sup>1</sup> The other members of the task force were Hon. Ananta Raj Dumre, Hon. Tek Narayan Kunwar, Hon. Muraribabu Shrestha and Hon. Nariswar Bhandari.

and Hon. Keshari Raj Pandit, Judge, Appellate Court, presented the papers. The main aim of the program was to discuss the problems, latest issues in the insolvency process and inform the Judges about the possible role they would have to play in future under the Act. Diverse group including appellate court judges, special court judges, district judges, joint attorneys, bench officers and deputy attorneys from Attorney General Office participated in the program. The program was sponsored by FNCCI/CFG Project. The program was chaired by Hon. Kedar Prasad Giri, Justice, Supreme Court.

### **3.2.7 Partnership with University of Queensland**

A major highlight of the activities of the year was the establishment of formal relationship with University of Queensland (T.C. Beirne School of Law) under the Public Sector Linkage Program of the AusAid. The broad objective of the partnership was to develop the capacity of the NJA to undertake effective training and training management. Under this, three major activities more envisaged:

- Training need survey
- TOT and training management for NJA faculty in Australia
- Content based TOT and training for the target community in Nepal

Among them, the following two activities were completed in 2063/64.

#### **3.2.7.1 Training Need Survey**

The NJA conducted one-day Training Need Survey Program on January 25, 2007 in partnership with University of Queensland, Australia, AusAID Public Sector Linkages Program, at Hotel Shangrila, Kathmandu. Rt. Hon'ble Chief Justice Dilip Kumar Poudel inaugurated the program. His Excellency Mr Graeme Lade, Australian Ambassador to Nepal was the special guest to address the participants. The participants for the TNA programs were appellate court judges, district judges, judicial officers, legal officers, joint attorneys, and private practitioners. They gave inputs and prioritized areas which could be taken for curriculum development and training under the project.



From left to right Prof. Suri Ratnapala, NJA ED Justice TB Singh, the then Chief Justice DK Paudel and Australian Ambassador Mr. Graeme Lade at the Inaugural Session

#### **3.2.7.2 TOT and Training Management for NJA faculty in Australia**

Following the TN Survey the UQ team selected three areas for curriculum and reading material development to be followed by training in Nepal. In this context, a Content Based Training for Trainers and discussion/observation on training management was organized for the NJA team in Australia. While Justice Tope Bahadur Singh, Registrar Agni P. Thapalia took part in the training management discussion, two core faculties, Hon. Dr Ananda M Bhattarai and Hon. Rajendra

Kharel participated in the TOT. These two program took place between March 25 to April 14, 2007 at T.C. Bierne School of Law Brisbane, Australia. During the TOT the judges also discussed with the UQ professors on curriculum development the following selected topics and their effective implementation in Nepal.

- Ethics, Integrity and Accountability
- Evidence Law
- Constitutional Law.

# MISCELLANEOUS

## 4.1 Governing Council Meeting

The Third Governing Council Meeting of the NJA took place on March 9th 2007 at the NJA Hall. The meeting approved the annual program to be implemented for the year 2006/2007 and annual budget and also gave necessary directives for strengthening the NJA.

## 4.2 Talks

NJA has developed a practice of inviting eminent scholars and practitioners to deliver talks on various contemporary issues of legal and justice sector and also informing the international audience about the developments taking place in Nepal. During FY 2063/64 four talks were organized by the NJA in Nepal and one more talk was given by NJA Faculty abroad.



From left to right ED Justice (retd.) TB Singh and the then Chief Justice DK Paudel at the Council's Meeting

### 4.2.1 Talk by Judge Radar Randall

On Jan 12, 2007 Judge Randall R. Radar, a Circuit Judge on the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, gave a talk on "US Legal System and IP Issues". During the program other visiting guests Judge Ronald Whyte, Federal District Judge, Northern District of California from US, Mr. Majnoj Pillai, an IP Law expert from India and Dr. Raj Dave, Manager of the India Project of the George Washington University Law School also spoke. While Hon Rajendra Kharel welcomed the guests, the vote of thanks was given by Justice Tope Bahadur Singh, Executive Director of the NJA. Mr Shree Krishna Mulmi moderated the program. Altogether, there were 33 people attending the program among whom were Hon. Justices of the Supreme Court, appellate court judges, district judges, deputy attorneys, first class officers from MoLJPA and senior advocates from Nepal Bar Association. The program was held at Hotel Annapura, Durbar Marg.

### 4.2.2 Talk by Prof Suri Ratnapala

The second talk of the year was given by Professor Suri Ratnapala, Director, Centre for Public, International and Comparative Law, University of Queensland, Australia delivered titled "Securing

Constitutional Government: The Perpetual Challenge" at Hotel Sangrila on Jan 25, 2007. During the talk, Professor Ratnapala threw light on comparative experience of many countries in turning a paper constitution to a living constitution, which according to him was a perpetual challenge. Following the presentation the floor was opened for discussion where Prof Suri answered many questions and queries. The program was attended among others by justices of the Supreme Court, Appellate Courts, Senior Judicial Officers, Legal Officers, Senior Government Attorneys and representatives of the Nepal Bar Association. The program was moderated by Dr Ananda M Bhattarai and the vote of thanks was given by Justice Tope Bahadur Singh, Executive Director of the NJA.

#### **4.2.3 Talk Programme by Dr. Gunther Bachler**

The third visitor to the NJA was Dr. Gunther Bachler. On 14 th March 2007, Dr Bachler spoke on "Conflict Transformation Through Constitutionalism: Issues and Challenges" during which the

learned speaker brought international and comparative experience and informed how development of federal constitution could address many burning issues by encouraging shared and self-rule. He discussed in detail the Swiss experience on shared rule and self-rule and her efforts on peaceful resolution of disputes through a bottom up approach to democracy.

Mr. Gunther is a renowned name in the area of international peace building and peace transformation. In May 2005 he was appointed as special peace advisor for peace building in Nepal by the Swiss Foreign Ministry.



Delivering a talk by Dr. Gunther Bachler

#### **4.2.4 Talk by Dr Ananda M Bhattarai**

Dr Bhattarai while on the tour to University of Queensland gave a talk on "Current Situation and Emerging Constitutional Values in Nepal" where he presented the highlights of constitutional development, the values enshrined in the 1990 and the Interim Constitution 2007 and the challenges ahead. The talk was also attended by a huge number of professors of the T.C. Beirne School of Law and students and researchers on Nepal issues. Dr Bhattarai was welcomed by Dr Ann Black while the vote of thanks was given by Prof Suri Ratnapala.

### **4.3 Experience Sharing and Interaction**

#### **4.3.1 Experience Sharing by Mr Hemant Rawal**

The NJA has begun a practice of experience sharing by the judges and officers of the Judiciary when they participate in any conference or seminar abroad. The aim of these program is to serve two purposes. It transfers knowledge to the larger domestic audience. It also identifies the

prospective resource persons for the NJA. The first invitee to the experience sharing program was Mr. Hemanta Rawal, Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court who had participated to the Workshop on International Cooperation in Anti-Money laundering and combating the Financing of Terrorism held in Singapore. He threw light an international and regional effort on money laundering. He also shared his experience on comparative efforts in this regard and also spoke on the highlights of the Workshop he attended. The program was attended by NJA Faculties, Officers of the Supreme Court, Attorney General's Office and lawyers. Mr. Mohan Sagar Bashyal, Section Officer, NJA moderated the program.

#### **4.3.2 Interaction with International students attending Summer School**

A experience sharing program was organized by the NJA on Dec 29, 2006 for the students of Kathmandu School of Law (KSL) and international students attending summer school in Nepal. The theme set for this year's interaction was "Economic Social, Cultural and Development Rights". Justice Tope Bahadur Singh, Executive Director, NJA, Prof. Geeta Pathak Sangraula, KSL threw light on the objectives of the program. Hon. Kalyan Shrestha, Justice, Supreme Court, was special guest to the program who threw light on several aspects of the economic, social and development rights the implementation of which was a big challenge before all of us. In the same program Dr Ananda M Bhattarai spoke on "Developing Countries' Problems in Promoting Good Governance" Prof. Zakir Hussain, Dean, Faculty of Law, Chittagong, University also spoke on the occasion. The program was chaired by Justice Tope Bahadur Singh Executive Director of the NJA and moderated by Mr Shree Krishna Mulmi. The program was held at the Office of Attorney General, Conference Hall.

#### **4.4 Mid-term Review of the Strategic Plan of Nepali Judiciary 2004/08**

The Supreme Court of Nepal developed the First Strategic Plan (2004-2008) with technical and financial support from Danida/HUGOU and the Danish Institute for Human Rights (DIHR) with the involvement of both national and international experts. The NJA was entrusted to undertake the mid-term review of the Plan. Under the project a couple of assignments such as the preparation of stock taking, hiring of consultant were completed and regional consultations commenced within FY 2063/064. The review is expected to be completed by Dec. 2007.



Judge Dr. Ananda M. Bhattarai giving highlights on the Mid-term Review of the Strategic Plan of the Judiciary at the Program

#### **4.5 Research**

Research is one among the twin objectives of the NJA. Research is vital not only for maintaining and improving the quality of trainings, but also helping the judiciary in policy formulation and reform.

The following are the research activities undertaken by the NJA.

- "Current status of the Directives issued by the Supreme Court"- research completed and report published.
- Study of the " Case flow at the Supreme Court"- study completed, report under further review.
- Study of the "Implementation of judgments Challenges and Possible Reforms" - study completed report under further review.

## **4.6 Proposals**

In February 2007, NJA submitted a proposal titled Promotion of Human Rights Education and Research at the NJA to DANIDA/HUGOU- proposal under consideration.

## **4.7 Curriculum Development**

### **4.7.1 Curriculum Development in IP Law**

This year the NJA developed a curriculum on IP Law for judges, government attorneys and private law practitioners. It employed the service of a local expert Mr Navin Kumar Verma, currently faculty at the Kathmandu School of Law for this purpose. The curriculum was vetted by domestic and foreign experts including judge Randall R. Radar, a Circuit Judge in the United States Court of Appeal for the Federal Circuit, Judge Ronald Whyte, Federal District Judge, Northern District of California from US, Mr. Majnoj Pillai, an IP Law expert from India and Dr. Raj Dave, Manager of the India Project of the George Washington University Law School.

### **4.7.2 Curriculum Development in Public Private Partnership**

NJA, in partnership with Public-Private Partnership Urban Environment- PPPUE/ UNDP, prepared a Curriculum on Public-Private Partnership for NJA Stakeholders. The target groups are judges, Public Prosecutors and Private Law Practitioners. The curriculum was prepared by the team led by Hon'ble Dr Ananda Mohan Bhattarai. Other members were Mr Agni Prasad Thapaliya, Hon'ble Rajendra Kharel, Mr Shreekrishana Mulmi. The aims of the curriculum are:

- To apprise judges and other target groups of the NJA about the concept, values, rationale and practices of PPP in Nepal and comparative context.
- To promote understanding on the operation of private law especially the contract law, rights of various actors in partnership transaction and the role that judiciary play in furthering healthy operation of the partnership.
- To examine the areas where public participation is existing in the mainstream activities of the judiciary.
- To explore areas where PPP partnership can be promoted in meeting the objective of the judiciary envisaged in the constitution and laws.

The curriculum was reviewed by a group of judges and high-ranking government officers associated with the justice Sector at a consultation meeting held on Oct. 18, 2007. Present in the review meeting were Hon'ble Justice Meen Bahadur Rayamajhee, Hon'ble Kalyan Shrestha, Mr Narendra

Pathak, Mr. Purusattam Man Shrestha, Deputy Attorney General, Hon'ble Kumar Pokharel and Hon'ble Binod Sharma, District Judge and other high-ranking officials of the judiciary who gave their valuable inputs and feedback. The curriculum has opened up possibilities for further consideration.

## **4.8 Visits**

1. Hon'ble Tope Bahadur Singh, Executive Director, NJA, Hon'ble Dr Ananda Mohan Bhattarai, Judge and faculty, NJA, Mr Agni Prasad Thapaliya, Registrar, NJA and Hon'ble Rajendra Kharel, District Judge and Faculty, NJA participated In-Australia Training Program (ITP) being conducted by University of Queensland Centre for Public, Comparative and International Law under the AusAID funded Public Sector Linkages Program, "Programme to Develop the NJA of Nepal to undertake effective Training and Training-Management". The four officials from the NJA were proposed to undertake the In-Australia Training Programme. The objectives of the ITP was to focus on Content based learning with targeted ToT, Curriculum development in identified substantive law topics and Management and planning being undertaken. They were welcomed by Prof Ann Black, Prof Suri Ratnapala and others from TC Berine School. The important component of ITP was the observation tour to Queensland State Supreme Court, Appeal Court, District Court and Magistrate's Court which was organized on 28th and 29th March. The tour was accompanied and assisted by Dr. Suppiah Murugessan. The ToT and Curriculum development covered both the process and content aspects of ToT. Discussion on various issues such as criminal law, evidence law, judicial ethics and constitutional law. A wrap up meeting was held at the office of Uniquet where Prof Ann Black, Prof Suri Ratnapala, Dr Reid Mortensen, Dr Jennifer Corrin and Mr Lorenz Metzner from the Australian side held discussion on the modality of the In-Nepal Training to be held in Nepal. The program was very productive, well-designed and very co-operative and their best to make the program a success in terms of both design and its execution.
3. Mr Gyanendra Raj Kaphle, Mr Mohan Sagar Bashyal and Mr Shreekrishna Mulmi participated in a three-day seminar held from February 14th - 16th, 2007 entitled "Investigation and Prosecution of Human Trafficking Case" organized by the American Embassy and US Department of Justice in Kathmandu. The participants included judges, prosecutors and investigators. The workshop was led by the US federal judge, a trial attorney from US Child Exploitation and Obscenity Section (CEOS) of the Department of Justice's Criminal Division, and a US Supervisory Special Agent from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, all of whom were experienced in investigation and prosecution of human trafficking cases.
4. Mr Mohan Sagar Bashyal took part in a day-long workshop on Human Rights Litigations held on June 24, 2006. He also participated in Training of Trainers Workshop conducted by Nepal Administrative Staff College held from June 13, to 26 2007. He also participated in a three-day orientation workshop on Prosecutor's Manual 2063 which was held from Feb. 22nd to 24th 2007 at Nepal Administrative Staff College, Jawalakhel. He also participated in a Three-day workshop on "Gender Justice" which was conducted from July 22 to 27 2006 at the Godavari Village Resort.

5. Mr. Shreekrishna Mulmi and Ms. Sanika Pradhan participated in a special human rights community interaction with Louise Arbour, United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights held on January 20, 2007 on the invitation of Kieran Dwyer, Spokeperson and Head, Public Information and Outreach Unit, OHCHR, Nepal.

#### **4.9 Recruitment**

The Executive Committee of the NJA formed a Recruitment Committee on Dec. 6 2006 to recruit first permanent batch of staffs in the various vacant posts. The committee completed all the recruitment procedure to recruit the following staffs in the following posts on May 08, 2007.

- Mr Shreekrishna Mulmi - Research Officer
- Mr Kedar Ghimire - Library Officer
- Mr Paras Poudel - Research Assistant
- Ms Sanika Pradhan - Office Secretary

The NJA appointed them on May 8, 2007 (2064/1/7) by the official decision and they took oath of office according to NJA Rules & Regulation.

#### **4.10 Visits to the NJA**

During FY 2063/64 the following distinguished persons made a visit to the NJA. The NJA team led by the Executive Director apprised the visitors about the activities that it is undertaking for capacity enhancement and overall reform of the judiciary.

1. Mr Kishor Uprety, Senior Counsel, Legal Vice Presidency, The World Bank
2. Mr Mark Shaw, In ter-Regional Advisor, Human Security Branch, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
3. Mr Ajit Joy, Project Co-ordinator, Victim Support and Human Trafficking, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
4. Ms Mary Noel Pepys, Attorney at Law, San Francisco, CA
5. Mr Mark K. Dietrich, Senior Legal Advisor, East West Management Institute
6. Mr Henryk Montygierd Loyba, Court Management and Access to Justice Expert, EU
7. Dr Stig Marker Hansen, Team Leader, Conflict Mitigation Package II Programme
8. Mr Scott Parsons, J.D., Executive Director, Daywalka Foundation
9. Mr Deepak Maskey, Country Director, Daywalka Foundation
10. Mr Peter Larmour, PhD, Reader, The Australian National University
11. Mr Surya Dhungel, Senior Project Manager, UNDP
12. Mr Ivan M. Nielsen, Programme Co-ordinator, DANIDA/HUGO
13. Dr Ann Black, Lecturer in Law, TC Beirne School of Law, University of Queensland
14. Dr Suri Ratnapala, Professor of Public Law, University of Queensland
15. Mr Lorenz Metzner, Deputy Manager Governance, UniQuest, Australia

# CHALLENGES

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As identified in the strategy plan of the NJA, the following challenges require immediate intervention and resolutions:

## 5.1 Faculty Development Plan

As a focal center for scholarly dialogues, the NJA has to develop scholars who are committed to demonstrate excellence and expertise in training and research. This seems strategic issue for the new institute like NJA. There is a need of establishing an outstanding and diverse faculty that helps to identify and address contemporary issues from multidisciplinary perspectives. The Academy could have three options for dealing with it namely (i) Full-fledged Faculty members, (ii) Complete Outsourcing and (iii) Combination of both. Depending upon the availability of resources these options have to be used cautiously.

## 5.2 Institutional Development

Proper infrastructure for operating the activities is fundamental of any institution. It assists the management to manage the functions and duties smoothly, efficiently and in timely manner. NJA has to consider it significantly. Outsourcing could have also been used for it, but it sometimes becomes constraint for carrying out the activities. There should be own proper infrastructure that helps to establish its identity, visibility and existence. Outsourcing has also to be used when the own infrastructure and facilities become inadequate against the demand and when it is economically affordable, socially conducive and technically feasible.

At the same time, only having infrastructure does not help to institutionalize the institution, it must have proper policies in place for all the activities that govern its behaviors. It should have to develop its own policies concerning personnel, finance, procurement and operations. It also should have policies regarding training and research. At present there is a lack of such policies in NJA. At the same time, NJA should establish systems and mechanisms in commensurate with policies to implement and get results.

## 5.3 Training Management

Providing training is one of major objectives of NJA and it is also noticed that its initial activities have been mostly centered on it. Training has not to be treated a snapshot activity rather it is a continuous pro-active activity. As a new institute having diverse target groups, NJA should have a clear Training Need Assessment (TNA) and a training planning that is capable to address the

areas identified in TNA. It should develop appropriate training curricula to meet the needs. Similarly, training modalities and methodologies have to be developed in suitable with the curricula, participants and content. It has to ensure the availability of appropriate and sound training facilitators or resource person. It should have a plan for the development of training materials. At the same time, concern must be made with respect to the training environment to participants. On top of this, the NJA should have a self-insulated mechanism for pre-training, ongoing and end-program evaluation so that its feedback could be incorporated in the training on time. Furthermore, there should be a mechanism of monitoring and evaluation of the post-training performance of the participants.

#### **5.4 Networking with Stakeholders**

In recent year cooperative strategy has been becoming indispensable and undisputed tool adopted by management for enhancing the overall performance of the organization. The forms of strategy include networking, coordination, partnership, joint venture, collaboration and others. Cooperative strategy is the attempt by organizations to realize their objectives through cooperation with other organizations, rather than in competition with them. In the case of training research institute like the NJA, the specific drivers behind cooperative strategy are learning and skills substitution. Continuing judicial education is new phenomena in Nepal and the NJA has to learn from inside and outside the country to perform its activities proficiently and to accomplish its goals. Hence, it has to follow various cooperative strategies including networking with various institutions working in this field or related to its field.

#### **5.5 Evaluation of the Impact of the programs**

Up to now the NJA has developed a system of evaluation of the resource persons. Its new initiative of documenting and publishing the work of judges can also be taken as its effort to evaluate the impact of its program on the target community. But it needs to move further than that and develop a system of evaluation of the impact of its activities.

#### **5.6 Establishment of Legal Information Management System**

Being an institute dealing exclusively with training and research, NJA should have well-equipped information system that can furnish required information sought by training facilitators or experts as well as by the legal researchers. Besides these, many other scholars, business people, politicians and others may be interested to have information regarding laws. For these people also it is necessary to have public access on the information system. The information system needs to improve the efficiency and responsiveness of the legal system by making existing and future laws more available to the researchers, experts, training facilitators and others. The system rests with the creation of a centralized electronic database to store all binding laws, regulations and judicial decisions. The legal information management system includes increased access to legal information, prompt distribution of legal information storage of legal information, usability of database and so on.

## **5.7 Sustainability**

As an autonomous body, the NJA should strive for continuity of its activities by generating required sources for it. The NJA has been supported by state finance since it is believed that continuing judicial education for judicial and legal personnel is the responsibility of the state. As of now the NJA has begun to earn some money by way of institutional support fee. But most of its programs are designed and executed free of cost. Training and consultancy services can have income-generating capacities, as it is essential to every sector. Irrespective of the nature, ownership and size of the organizations, every organization has to pay considerable attention to develop its human resources to cope with the demand and need of time. In this situation, these organizations have to allocate an appropriate amount for developing human resources. Judicial and legal institutions have also to allocate their budget for it. The NJA should be competitive to provide quality professional training and consultancy to cater the needs of these institutions. In order to carry out such activities, it has to conduct social marketing.

## **5.8 Prioritize the Core Functions and Roles**

The NJA Act has assigned a number of functions and duties that it can hardly operate to fulfill for at least at present. In this context, it has to be selective and choosy. The training activities that it has to undertake for various target groups, the research activities to be undertaken, the information system to be established and the consultancy services to be extended are diverse and complex. Against the background of limited resources and varied clientele groups and functions, it has to prioritize the clientele groups and its core functions.

## **5.9 Campaign, lobby or influence for increasing the financial contribution**

In order to achieve the objectives of the assigned functions and duties of the NJA, it requires an adequate budget to be symphonized to its assigned activities. The budget allocated for it seems not even enough to undertake bare minimum functions. Judicial equity, a minimum desideratum of the society, is also being adjoined with it. In this perspective, it has to campaign, lobby or influence to the concerned agencies or authorities to increase the share of budget to the NJA that assist to undertake its activities and achieving its objectives.

## **5.10 Develop congenial and conducive environment**

At present, the NJA has been managing its activities in the premises of Supreme Court. The physical environment for conducting training, workshop, seminar and others demand special focus. The present arrangements for training need adjustment to make it training-friendly. Its efforts to get an office building for itself are yet to bear fruits. Recently an initiative has been taken to acquire an old building in Lalitpur. But a lot needs to be done to make the building suitable for running the activities of the NJA. It therefore requires the cooperation of all the stakeholders and the government to develop a congenial and conducive environment.

**Annex - 1**  
**National Judicial Academy**

Budget Statement  
Fiscal Year 2063/64

Budget Head No. 14/3/210

Head No.	Particular	Annual Budget	Release	Expenditure	Remarks
1.01	Salary	1,700,000	1,558,908/40	1,558,908/40	
1.02	Allowance	300,000	199,120/20	199,120/20	
1.08	Training Program	4,300,000	4,299,507/55	4,299,507/55	
2.01	Electricity	100,000	99,990/00	99,990/00	
2.02	Communication	150,000	118,826/42	118,826/42	
2.03	Office Expense	1,200,000	1,193,621/22	1,193,621/22	
2.05	Maintenance	250,000	249,828/89	249,828/89	
2.06	Fuel	700,000	699,992/00	699,992/00	
2.07	Consultancy	600,000	596,957/00	596,957/00	
2.08	Miscellanies	200,000	197,357/44	197,357/44	
4.03	Book	300,000	299,714/10	299,714/10	
4.05	Program Travel	200,000	199,867/00	199,867/00	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10,000,000</b>	<b>9,713,690/22</b>	<b>9,713,690/22</b>	

**National Judicial Academy**

Budget Statement  
Fiscal Year 2063/64

Budget Head No. 14/3/210

Head No.	Particular	Total Budget	Release	Expenditure	Remarks
6.01	Furniture	175,000 /-	174693/93	174693/93	
6.02	Vehicle	125,000 /-	124985/12	124985/12	
6.03	Machinery Instrument	200000 /-	199528/11	199528/11	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>500000 /-</b>	<b>499207/16</b>	<b>499207/16</b>	

**Annex - 2**  
**Induction Training for District Court Judges**

Aug. 23rd - Sept. 8th, 2006  
(Bhadra 7 to 23, 2063)

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Hon. Lekhnath Dhakal, Additional District Judge	Rupandehi District Court
2.	Hon. Narayan Prasad Shrestha, Additional District Judge	Sunsari District Court
3.	Hon. Kul Prasad Sharma, District Judge	Dailekh District Court
4.	Hon. Narayan Prasad Pokhrel, Additional District Judge	Kapilwastu District Court
5.	Hon. Bhojraj Sharma, Additional District Judge	Sarlahi District Court
6.	Hon. Bhojraj Adhikari, Additional District Judge	Rautahat District Court
7.	Hon. Pashupati Acharya, Additional District Judge	Dhanusha District Court
8.	Hon. Ramesh Kumar Khatri, Additional District Judge	Siraha District Court
9.	Hon. Mohammad Juned Ajaad, District Judge	Salyan District Court
10.	Hon. Daya Nath Kharel, Additional District Judge	Mahottari District Court
11.	Hon. Kosh Kumar Nembwang, District Judge	Terhathum District Court
12.	Hon. Shekhar Chandra Aryal, District Judge	Baitadi District Court
13.	Hon. Baidhya Nath Gupta, District Judge	Ramechhap District Court
14.	Hon. Saligram Koirala, District Judge	Solukhumbu District Court
15.	Hon. Lipta Bahadur Thapa, District Judge	Sindhuli District Court
16.	Hon. Bishnu Prasad Koirala, District Judge	Okhaldhunga District Court
17.	Hon. Laxmi Krishna Shrestha, District Judge	Khotang District Court
18.	Hon. Krishna Kamal Adhikari, Additional District Judge	Rupandehi District Court
19.	Hon. Shyam Prasad Lawati, District Judge	Bhojpur District Court
20.	Hon. Chintamani Baral, District Judge	Sankhuwasabha District Court
21.	Hon. Aananta Raj Dumre, District Judge	Jumla District Court
22.	Hon. Jagat Narayan Pradhan, District Judge	Magdi District Court
23.	Hon. Rajendra Kharel, District Judge	Jajarkot District Court
24.	Hon. Thakur Prasad Sharma, Additional District Judge	Banke District Court
25.	Hon. Sita Prasad Pokharel, Additional District Judge	Sarlahi District Court
26.	Hon. Nagendra Lal Karna, Additional District Judge	Sunsari District Court
27.	Hon. Hari Pratap K.C., Additional District Judge	Rupandehi District Court
28.	Hon. Radha Krishna Upreti, Additional District Judge	Jhapa District Court
29.	Hon. Khil Nath Regmi, District Judge	Rolpa District Court
30.	Hon. Krishna Bahadur Thapa, Additional District Judge	Banke District Court
31.	Hon. Mahendra Bahadur Karki, Additional District Judge	Syanja District Court
32.	Hon. Madhbenra Raj Regmi, District Judge	Dadeldhura District Court
33.	Hon. Vishwo Mangal Aatreya, District Judge	Panchthar District Court
34.	Hon. Achyut Prasad Bhandari, District Judge	Achham District Court

35.	Hon. Balabhadra Bastola, District Judge	Rukum District Court
36.	Hon. Purusottam Prasad Dhakal, District Judge	Argakhanchi District Court
37.	Hon. Kailash K.C., District Judge	Mustang District Court
38.	Hon. Tek Narayan Kunwar, District Judge	Mugu District Court
39.	Hon. Kiran Kumar Pokharel, District Judge	Doti District Court
40.	Hon. Murari Babu Shrestha, District Judge	Dolpa District Court
41.	Hon. Omkar Upadhyay, District Judge	Bajura District Court
42.	Hon. Bishnu Subedi, Additional District Judge	Rautahat District Court
43.	Hon. Chandra Bahadur Saru, District Judge	Taplejung District Court
44.	Hon. Sudarshan Raj Pandey, District Judge	Manang District Court
45.	Hon. Dipendra Adhikari, District Judge	Surkhet District Court
46.	Hon. Ramesh Raj Pokharel, District Judge	Bajhang District Court
47.	Hon. Narishwor Bhandari, District Judge	Humla District Court
48.	Hon. Arjun Prasad Koirala, District Judge	Dhankuta District Court

**Annex - 3**  
**Joint Colloquium for Chief Judges and Registrars**  
**of Appellate Courts**

(December 14th to 17th 2006)

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Hon. Parmanand Jha, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Biratnagar
2.	Hon. Krishna Prasad Upadhyay, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Nepalgunj
3.	Hon. Dipendra Prasad Upadhyay, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Baglung
4.	Hon. Prem Sharma, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Janakpur
5.	Hon. Rana Bahadur Bam, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Patan
6.	Hon. Ramji Prasad Tripathi, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Surkhet
7.	Hon. Tark Raj Bhatta, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Jumla
8.	Hon. Awadhesh Kumar Yadav, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Tulsipur
9.	Hon. Govinda Prasad Parajuli, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Hetauda
10.	Hon. Baidya Nath Upadhyay, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Rajbiraj
11.	Hon. Mohan Prakash Sitaula, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Butwal
12.	Hon. Girish Chandra Lal, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Dipayal
13.	Hon. Kamanand Prasad Dev, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Dhankutta
14.	Hon. Gopal Parajuli, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Mahendranagar
15.	Hon. Rishi Raj Joshi, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Pokhara
16.	Hon. Rishi Ram Mishra, Chief Judge	Court of Appeal, Ilam
17.	Mr. Jiwan Hari Adhikari, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Patan
18.	Mr. Dilli Raj Acharya, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Surkhet
19.	Mr. Lohit Chandra Shah, Registrar	Special Court, Kathmandu
20.	Mr. Lila Raj Adhikari, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Jumla
21.	Mr. Janardan Nepal, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Dipayal
22.	Mr. Yadav Ghimire, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Dhankutta
23.	Mr. Gopal Prasad Bastola, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Rajbiraj
24.	Mr. Krishna Giri, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Janakpur
25.	Mr. Shree Kanta Paudel, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Baglung
25.	Mr. Lekh Nath Paudel, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Nepalgunj
27.	Mr. Bishnu Prasad Dahal, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Tulsipur
28.	Mr. Dhir Bahadur Chand, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Mahendranagar
29.	Mr. Dhruv Kumar Shah, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Butwal
30.	Mr. Dilli Raman Tiwari, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Hetauda
31.	Mr. Khadananda Tiwari, Registrar	Court of Appeal, Biratnagar
32.	Mr. Basanta Raj Paudel Registrar	Court of Appeal, Pokhara

**Annex - 4**  
**Orientation Program for Bench Officers (Class III)**

December 24th to 29th, 2006

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Court</b>
1.	Mr. Phanindra Prasad Parajuli, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Ilam
2.	Mr. Bharat Kumar Shakya, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Biratnagar
3.	Mr. Nabaraj Dulal, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Biratnagar
4.	Mr. Nirmala Paudel, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Dhankutta
5.	Mr. Kishwor Ghimire, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Rajbiraj
6.	Mr. Ran Bahadur Katuwal, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Rajbiraj
7.	Mr. Sudip Kumar Dangal, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Janakpur
8.	Mr. Bishnu Prasad Gautam, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Janakpur
9.	Mr. Ishwori Prasad Bhandari, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Hetauda
10.	Mr. Udaya Raj Paudel, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Patan
11.	Mr. Basantjung Thapa, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Patan
12.	Mr. Ram Prasad Basyal, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Patan
13.	Mr. Mahendraraj Kafle, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Pokhra
14.	Mr. Narayan Prasad Gyawali, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Butwol
15.	Mr. Bishnu Prasad Aosti, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Nepalgunj
16.	Mr. Lalit Bahadur Ranabhat, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Dipayal

**Annex - 5**  
**Training for Tahasildars**

December 31st to January 5th, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Mr. Narayan Prasad Regmi, Tahasildar	Sunsari District Court
2.	Mr. Khadak Raj Adhikari, Tahasildar	Jhapa District Court
3.	Mr. Indra Kamal Pradhan, Tahasildar	Siraha District Court
4.	Mr. Dhurb Kumar Dhakal, Tahasildar	Saptari District Court
5.	Mr. Radhakanta Jha, Tahasildar	Dhanusha District Court
6.	Mr. Roshan Kumar Bhattarai, Tahasildar	Mahotari District Court
7.	Mr. Bhisma Raj Prasai, Tahasildar	Sarlahi District Court
8.	Mr. Dhruv Kumar Uprety, Tahasildar	Bhaktapur District Court
9.	Mr. Thakur Silwal, Tahasildar	Lalitpur District Court
10.	Mr. Bhim Kumar Shrestha, Tahasildar	Kaski District Court
11.	Mr. Basudev Neupane, Tahasildar	Nabalparashi District Court
12.	Mr. Kapil Mani Gautam, Tahasildar	Rupendehi District Court
13.	Mr. Danda Pani Lanichhane, Tahasildar	Kapilbastu District Court
14.	Mr. Pot Prasad Aryal, Tahasildar	Banke District Court
15.	Mr. Dil Prasad Sapkota, Tahasildar	Kailali District Court
16.	Mr. Ghanshyam Kumar Shrestha, Tahasildar	Kanchanpur District Court
17.	Mr. Chandra Bahadur K.C., Tahasildar	Bara District Court
18.	Mr. Kedar Nath Pandey, Tahasildar	Parsa District Court
19.	Mr. Khimananda Pandey, Tahasildar	Rautahat District Court

**Annex - 6**  
**Training for Shrestedar**

January 17th to 22nd, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Mr. Basudev Paudel, Shrestedar	Parsha District Court
2.	Mr. Upendra Prasad Gautam, Shrestedar	Kapilvastu District Court
3.	Mr. Khadak Bahadur Shrestha, Shrestedar	District Court
4.	Mr. Narayan Prasad Dhahal, Shrestedar	Udayapur District Court
5.	Mr. Shanti Prasad Acharya, Shrestedar	Terhathum District Court
6.	Mr. Krishna Prasad Paudel, Shrestedar	Parwat District Court
7.	Mr. Dhana Raj Sharma, Shrestedar	Darchula District Court
8.	Mr. Narayan Prasad Paudel, Shrestedar	Mustang District Court
9.	Mr. Prakash Prasad Pandit, Shrestedar	Pyuthan District Court
10.	Mr. Narayan Prasad Pandit, Shrestedar	Manang District Court
11.	Mr. Din Bandhu Baral, Shrestedar	Gulmi District Court
12.	Mr. Jagannath Paudel, Shrestedar	Magdi District Court
13.	Mr. Manoj Shrestha, Shrestedar	Baitadi District Court
14.	Mr. Rudra Subedi, Shrestedar	Solukhumbu District Court
15.	Mr. Jagadish Prasad Bhatta	... District Court
16.	Mr. Uddhav Prasad Pudasaini, Shrestedar	Dolakha District Court

**Annex - 7**  
**Training for Section Officers (Class III)**

February 4th to 9th, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Mr. Gopal Bahadur Khadka, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Patan
2.	Mr. Narayan Prasad Sharma, Section Officer	Supreme Court
3.	Mr. Ashok Kumar Basnet, Shrestedar	Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal
4.	Mr. Kul Prasad Bhandari	Court of Appeal, Pokhara
5.	Mr. Uma Nath Gautam, Section Officer	Supreme Court
6.	Mr. Bed Prasad Timilsena, Section Officer	Supreme Court
7.	Mr. Bishwo Raj Paudel, Section Officer	Supreme Court
8.	Mr. Khem Raj Gyawali, Section Officer	Kathmandu District Court
9.	Mr. Madhav Prasad Mainali, Section Officer	Special Court
10.	Mr. Dharma Raj Paudel, Section Officer	Court of Appeal, Baglung
11.	Mr. Mohammad Ibrahim Rijwi, Bench Officer	Court of Appeal, Hetauda
12.	Mr. Chank Mani Aryal, Section Officer	Special Court
13.	Mr. Shyam Lal Ghimire	Court of Appeal, Butwol
14.	Mr. Hem Bahadur Shen, Bench Officer	Court of Appeal, Janakpur
15.	Mrs. Lalita Dhungel, Section Officer	Supreme Court
16.	Mrs. Mamata Khanal, Section Officer	Supreme Court
17.	Mr. Monoj KC	Judicial Council Secretariat

**Annex - 8**  
**Interaction Program on Tax Law for Revenue Tribunals**

February 25th to March 1st, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Court/Office</b>
1.	Hon. Keshari Raj Pandit, Judge and Chairperson	Revenue Tribunal, Kathmandu
2.	Hon. Mohan Prasad Ghimire, Judge and Chairperson	Revenue Tribunal, Pokhara
3.	Hon. Binod Prasad Dhungel Judge and Chairperson	Revenue Tribunal, Biratnagar
4.	Hon. Jageshwar Subedi, Judge and Chairperson	Revenue Tribunal, Nepalgunj
5.	Hon. Purrusottam Bhandari, Judge	Court of Appeal, Illam
6.	Hon. Gauri Bahadur Karki, Judge	Court of Appeal, Hetaunda
7.	Hon. Laxman Mani Rishal, Judge	Court of Appeal, Patan
8.	Mr. Mahananda Dahal, District Attorney	Department of Revenue, Kathmandu
9.	Mr. Pushkar Sapkota, Deputy Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorneys, Patan
10.	Mr. Krishna Prasad Paudel, Deputy Attorney	Officer of the Attorney General
11.	Mr. Suryanath Prakash Adhikari, Deputy Attorney	CIAA
12.	Mr. Om Prasad Aryal, Deputy Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorneys, Butwal
13.	Mr. Manidev Bhattarai, Member Revenue	Revenue Tribunal, Pokhara
14.	Mr. Pitamber Baral, Member Account	Revenue Tribunal, Pokhara
15.	Mr. Badri Prasad Oli, Deputy Attorney	Department of Revenue, Kathmandu
16.	Mr. Lokraj Parajuli, Deputy Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorneys, Biratnagar
17.	Mr. Balram Tripathi, Deputy Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorneys, Pokhara
18.	Mr. Gopal Prasad Rijal, Deputy Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorneys, Nepalgunj
19.	Mr. Bishnu Prasad Nepal, Member Revenue	Revenue Tribunal, Kathmandu
20.	Mr. Ganesh Kumar Karki, Member Account	Revenue Tribunal, Biratnagar
21.	Mr. Mukundaraj Panthi, Member Account	Revenue Tribunal, Nepalgunj

**Annex - 9**  
**Interaction Program for District Judges**

March 4th to 9th, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Court</b>
1.	Hon. Shambhu Ram Karki, Additional District Judge	Saptari District Court
2.	Hon. Tek Raj Nepal, Additional District Judge	Saptari District Court
3.	Hon. Hemraj Panta, Additional District Judge	Dhanusa District Court
4.	Hon. Mahendra Raj Gautam, Additional District Judge	Parsa District Court
5.	Hon. Ram Krishna Bhatta, Additional District Judge	Parsa District Court
6.	Hon. Ram Krishna Khanal, Additional District Judge	Kathmandu District Court
7.	Hon. Megh Nath Bhattarai, Additional District Judge	Kathmandu District Court
8.	Hon. Ramesh Pokharel, Additional District Judge	Lalitpur District Court
9.	Hon. Shiva Prasad Bhele, District Judge	Lamjung District Court
10.	Hon. Bholu Nath Chaulagai, District Judge	Baglung District Court
11.	Hon. Bal Chandra Sharma, Additional District Judge	Nawalparashi District Court
12.	Hon. Ram Prasad Adhikari, District Judge	Kanchanpur District Court
13.	Hon. Bal Mukunda Dawadi, Additional District Judge	Mahottari District Court
14.	Hon. Achyut Bhandari, District Judge	Achham District Court
15.	Hon. Rishi Prasad Adhikari, District Judge	Rasuwa District Court
16.	Hon. Ramesh Kumar Khatri	Siraha District Court

**Annex - 10**  
**Seminar on Advocacy & Drafting**

April 8th, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Representing Associations</b>
1.	Mr. Sujan Bhandari, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
2.	Mr. Birendra Shah, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
3.	Mr. Sunil Kumar Singh, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
4.	Mr. Gopi Bhandari, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
5.	Mr. Rajendra Shreastha, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
6.	Mr. Gomati Sunar, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
7.	Mr. Shyam Bishwokarma, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
8.	Mr. Khasman Limbu, Advocate	Lalitpur Bar Association
9.	Mr. Devendra Kumar Aangdembe, Advocate	Lalitpur Bar Association
10.	Mr. Madhav Prasad Adhikari, Advocate	Lalitpur Bar Association
11.	Mr. Daya Bhakta Dangol, Advocate	Lalitpur Bar Association
12.	Mr. Dilendra Bahadur Shreastha, Advocate	Lalitpur Bar Association
13.	Mrs. Sulochana Bajracharya, Advocate	Lalitpur Bar Association
14.	Mr. Him Prakash Prajapati, Advocate	Bhaktapur Bar Association
15.	Mrs. Sarita Rijal, Pleader	Appellate Court Bar Association, Patan
16.	Mr. Dundiraj Devkota, Pleader	Appellate Court Bar Association, Patan
17.	Mr. Khimananda Banjade, Advocate	Appellate Court Bar Association, Patan
18.	Mr. Rajib Bastola, Advocate	Kathmandu District Court Bar Association
19.	Mr. Toyanath Loudari, Advocate	Kathmandu District Court Bar Association
20.	Mr. Badri Raj Bhatta, Advocate	Kathmandu District Court Bar Association
21.	Mr. Deepak Dhital, Advocate	Kavre District Court Bar Association

**Annex - 11**  
**Training for Shrestedar-II**

April 9th - 16th, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Court</b>
1.	Mr. Riddinath Niraula, Shrestedar	Pachthar District Court
2.	Mr. Shyam Krishna Shrama, Shrestedar	Kabhrepalanchok District Court
3.	Mr. Bishnu Kumar Giri, Shrestedar	Dhading District Court
4.	Mr. Narayan Prasad Regmi, Shrestedar	Chitwan District Court
5.	Mr. Binod Rakhali, Shrestedar	Baglung District Court
6.	Mr. Durga Prasad Bhusal, Shrestedar	Dang District Court
7.	Mr. Khim Bahadur Karki, Shrestedar	Rolpa District Court
8.	Mr. Sanat Chandra Lawat, Shrestedar	Surkhet District Court
9.	Mr. Bhuwan Giri, Shrestedar	Humla District Court
10.	Mr. Khim Bahadur Thapa, Shrestedar	Syngta District court
11.	Mr. Kedar Paudel, Shrestedar	Debt Recovery Tribunal, Kathmandu
12.	Mr. Krishna Prasad Paudel, Shrestedar	Nuwakot District Court
13.	Mr. Krishna Prasad Nepal, Section Officer	Supreme Court
14.	Mr. Puna Ram Khanal, Section Officer	Supreme Court
15.	Mr. Chitra Bahadur Gurung Section Officer	Supreme Court

**Annex - 12**  
**Seminar for Court of Appeal Judges**

April 18th to 20th, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Court</b>
1.	Hon. Khem Raj Sharma, Judge	Court of Appeal, Dhankutta
2.	Hon. Bholu Prasad Kharel, Judge	Court of Appeal, Janakpur
3.	Hon. Ali Akbar Mikrani, Judge	Court of Appeal, Patan
4.	Hon. Hariram Koirala, Judge	Court of Appeal, Patan
5.	Hon. Tej Bahadur K.C. , Judge	Court of Appeal, Tulsipur
6.	Hon. Binod Prasad Dhugel, Judge	Court of Appeal, Birathnagar
7.	Hon. Govinda Kumar Shrestha, Judge	Court of Appeal, Rajbiraj
8.	Hon. Gyanendra Bahadur Karki, Judge	Court of Appeal, Hetauda
9.	Hon. Mira Khadka, Judge	Court of Appeal, Hetauda
10.	Hon. Thakur Prasad Sharma, Judge	Court of Appeal, Pokhara
11.	Hon. Rajendra Prasad Rajbhandari, Judge	Court of Appeal, Butwal
12.	Hon. Komal Nath Sharma, Judge	Court of Appeal, Surkhet
13.	Hon. Bishnu Prasad Dhakal, Judge	Court of Appeal, Nepalgunj
14.	Hon. Ek Raj Acharya, Judge	Court of Appeal, Ilam

**Annex - 13**  
**Training for Private Lawyers**

April 22nd to 29th, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Representing Associations</b>
1.	Mr. Rajesh Krishna Sipai, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
2.	Mr. Gajendra Kumar Shrestha, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
3.	Mr. Surendra Nemkul, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
4.	Mr. Prabhakar Shrestha, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
5.	Mrs. Bimala Yadav, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
6.	Mr. Bimal Bishwokarma, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
7.	Mr. Tilak Bahadur Pandey, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
8.	Mr. Shiva Bahadur Bhujel, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
9.	Mr. Janak Ram Parajuli, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
10.	Mr. Sharawan Chaudhary, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
11.	Mr. Nilkantha Bhattarai, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
12.	Mr. Dip Narayan Shah, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
13.	Mr. Gangeshwor Prasad, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
14.	Mr. Kumar Bhattarai, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
15.	Mr. Iswori Maharjan, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
16.	Mr. Jhalak Prasad Sharma, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
17.	Mr. Devi Prasad Koirala, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association
18.	Mr. Sarshwoti Paudel, Advocate	Nepal Bar Association

**Annex - 14**  
**Training for Assistant District Attorneys**

May 3rd to 9th, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Office
1.	Mr. Ghanshyam Ojha, Section Officer	CIAA
2.	Mr. Parmeshwor Parajuli, Section Officer	CIAA
3.	Mr. Krishna Mohan Koirala, Section Officer	Office of the Attorney General
4.	Mr. Rajendra Kumar Acharya, Section Officer	Office of Appellate Government Attorneys, Janakpur
5.	Mr. Ganga Prasad Paudel, Assistant District Attorney	Office of the District Government Attorneys, Janakpur
6.	Mr. Rajan Raj Ghimire, Section Officer	District Administration Office, Kaski
7.	Mr. Rama Devi Parajuli, Assistant District Attorney	Office of the District Government Attorneys, Lalitpur
8.	Mr. Govinda Prasad Baral, District Attorney	Office of the District Government Attorneys, Syanja
9.	Mr. Shankar Khatri, Section Officer	Office of the Attorney General
10.	Mr. Shambhu Gautam, Assistant District Attorney	Office of the District Government Attorneys, Morang
11.	Mr. Toya Nath Paudel, District Attorney	Office of the District Government Attorneys, Lamjung
12.	Mr. Shiva Shankar Prasad Chaudhary, District Attorney	Office of the District Government Attorneys, Darchula
13.	Mr. Ek Narayan Lamsal, Section Officer	Office of the Appellate Government Attorneys, Patan
14.	Mr. Kosh Hari Niraula, Section Officer	District Administration Office, Kathmandu
15.	Mr. Yadu Nath Sharma, Assistant District Attorney	Office of the District Government Attorneys, Rupandehi
16.	Mr. Madan Bahadur Dhimi, Section Officer	Office of the Attorney General
17.	Mr. Rudra Prasad Panthi, District Attorney	Office of the District Government Attorneys, Myagdi

**Annex - 15**  
**Seminar on Legal Opinion and Legislative Drafting**

May 11th, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Office
1.	Mr. Trilochan Upreti, Joint Secretary	Office of the Prime Minister and Cabinet Secretariat
2.	Mr. Bhesh Raj Sharma, Joint Secretary	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
3.	Mr. Babu Ram Regmi, Joint Secretary	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
4.	Mr. Rajendra Kishwor Chetri, Joint Secretary	Water and Power Commission
5.	Mr. Raju Man Singh Malla, Joint Secretary	Nepal Law Commission
6.	Mr. Ranjan Krishna Aryal, Joint Secretary	CIAA
7.	Mr. Kedar Paudel, Joint Secretary	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
8.	Mr. Narendra Man Shrestha, Joint Secretary	Election Commission
9.	Mr. Ram Kumar Acharya, Joint Secretary	Nepal Law Commission
10.	Mr. Kamalshali Ghimire, Joint Secretary	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
11.	Mr. Tek Prasad Dhungana, Joint Secretary	Parliament-Legislature Secretariat
12.	Mr. Ambar Raj Paudel, Joint Secretary	Judicial Service Training Center

**Annex - 16**  
**Orientation Program for District Attorneys (Class II)**

May 15th to 21st, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Office
1.	Mr. Rajendra Kumar Shrestha, Deputy Attorney	CIAA
2.	Mr. Dhan Singh Mahara, District Attorney	Office of the District Attorney, Kaski
3.	Mr. Kumud Prasad Sharma, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Patan
4.	Mr. Dhruva Kumar Bhattarai, Deputy Attorney	CIAA
5.	Mr. Sharad Kumar Khadka, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Attorney General
6.	Mr. Amrit Bahadur Basnet, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Attorney General,
7.	Mr. Rajan Prasad Bhattarai, Deputy Attorney	CIAA
8.	Mr. Khadananda Gautam, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Hedaunda
9.	Mr. Shankar Raj Baral, District Attorney	Office of the District Attorney, Sarlahi
10.	Mr. Man Bahadur Karki, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Dhanakuta
11.	Mr. Dharmaraj Paudel, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Jumla
12.	Mr. Bishwo Raj Koirala, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Attorney General
13.	Mr. Khadak Bahadur K.C., District Attorney	Office of the District Attorney, Rupendehi
14.	Mr. Gopal Prasad Rijal, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Nepalgunj
15.	Mr. Dhurba Mani Risal, District Attorney	Office of the District Attorney, Rautahat
16.	Mr. Surendra Bahadur Thapa, District Attorney	Office of the District Attorney, Kathmandu
17.	Mr. Sanjib Raj Regmi, District Attorney	Office of the District Attorney, Bara

**Annex - 17**  
**Orientation program for Government Legal Officers (Class III)**

May 24th to 28th, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Office
1.	Mr. Hari Ram Thapa, Legal Officer	Department of Animal Service
2.	Mr. Balsagar Giri, Legal Officer	Ministry of Home
3.	Mr. Lal Bahadur Kunwar, Legal Officer	Department of Forest
4.	Mr. Bishnu Kaji Thapa, Investigation Officer	Office of Regional Administration, Hetaunda
5.	Mr. Binod Prakash Shrestha, Section Officer	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
6.	Mr. Arjun Prasad Khanal, Section Officer	Office of the Prime Minister and Cabinet Secretariat
7.	Mr. Shankar Bahadur K.C.	Department of Hydro Power Development
8.	Mr. Pushkar Raj Nepal, Section Officer	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
9.	Mr. Kishwor Kumar Chaudhary, Section Officer	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
10.	Mr. Chandrakanta Paudel, Legal Officer	Department of Health Service
11.	Mr. Ramji Danai, Legal Officer	Office of the Cottage and Small Industry Development
12.	Mr. Shiva Prasad Khanal, Legal Officer	Office of the Registrar of the Copy Rights
13.	Mr. Tanka Bahadur Mahat, Legal Officer	Ministry of the Culture, Tourism and Civil Aviation
14.	Mr. Jhaindra Prasad Guragai, Investigation Officer	Office of Regional Administration, Dhanakuta
15.	Mr. Resham Raj Sigdel, Investigation Officer	Office of Regional Administration, Pokhara
16.	Mr. Dashrath Gautam, Investigation Officer	Office of Regional Administration, Surkhet
17.	Mr. Jhanga Bahadur Dang, Investigation Officer	Office of Regional Administration, Dipayal

**Annex - 18**  
**Training for Joint Attorneys (Class I)**

May 27th to 31st, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Office</b>
1.	Mr. Saroj Prasad Gautam, Joint Attorney	Office of the Attorney General
2.	Mr. Durga Bandhu Pokharel, Joint Attorney	CIAA
3.	Mr. Ramesh Kumar Pokharel, Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Biratnagar
4.	Mr. Prem Raj Karki, Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Dhanakuta
5.	Mr. Rishi Ram Nepal, Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Rabiraj
6.	Mr. Rishi Ram Dawadi, Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Janakpur
7.	Mr. Badri Prasad Gautam, Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Butwal
8.	Mr. Thok Prasad Siwakoti, Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Baglung
9.	Mr. Khaga Raj Paudel, Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Hetaunda
10.	Mr. Binod Kumar Pokharel, Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Surkhet
11.	Mr. Dharmananda Nath, for Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Mahendra Nagar
12.	Mr. Bala Ram Tripathi, for Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Pokhara
13.	Mr. Dharma Raj Paudel, for Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Jumla
14.	Mr. Gopal Prasad Rijal, for Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Banke
15.	Mr. Ram Kumar Thapa, for Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Doti
16.	Mr. Tikendra Prasad Subedi, for Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Ilam
17.	Mr. Chakra Dev Acharya, for Joint Attorney	Office of the Appellate Government Attorney, Tulsipur

**Annex - 19**  
**Training for Trainers (ToT) for Judicial Officers**

June 3rd to 7th, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Office/Court</b>
1.	Mr. Mahesh Kumar Thapa, Joint Attorney	Office of the Attorney General
2.	Mr. Mohan Bahadur Karki, Joint Attorney	CIAA
3.	Mr. Shreedhar Sapkota, Joint Attorney	CIAA
4.	Mr. Medini Prasad Paudel, Deputy Attorney	Office of the Attorney General
5.	Mr. Kedar Paudel, Joint Secretary	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
6.	Mr. Arjun Kumar Khadka, Under Secretary	Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs
7.	Mr. Giri Raj Gautam, Deputy Registrar	Supreme Court
8.	Mr. Arjun Adhikari, Under Secretary	Supreme Court
9.	Mr. Ritendra Thapa, Under Secretary	Supreme Court
10.	Mr. Mohan Raj Bhattarai, Under Secretary	Supreme Court
11.	Mr. Hemant Rawal, Under Secretary	Supreme Court
12.	Mr. Yubraj Gautam, Under Secretary	Supreme Court
13.	Mr. Nripa Dhoj Niraula, Bench Officer	Supreme Court
14.	Mr. Surya Prasad Parajuli, Under Secretary	Supreme Court
15.	Mr. Rishiram Acharya, Deputy Registrar	Supreme Court
16.	Mr. Tejendra Prasad Sharma, Editor	Supreme Court
17.	Mr. Ram Prasad Sharma, Deputy Registrar	Supreme Court
18.	Mr. Tikaram Acharya, Deputy Registrar	Supreme Court
19.	Mr. Mohan Sagar Bashyal, Section Officer	NJA

**Annex - 20**  
**Retreat Program for Supreme Court Justices**

June 29th to 30th, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Hon. Kedar Prasad Giri, Justice	Supreme Court
2.	Hon. Min Bahadur Rayamajhee, Justice	Supreme Court
3.	Hon. Anup Raj Sharma, Justice	Supreme Court
4.	Hon. Ram Prasad Shrestha, Justice	Supreme Court
5.	Hon. Khil Raj Regmi, Justice	Supreme Court
6.	Hon. Sharada Prasad Pandit, Justice	Supreme Court
7.	Hon. Sharada Shrestha, Justice	Supreme Court
8.	Hon. Bala Ram K.C., Justice	Supreme Court
9.	Hon. Rajendra Kumar Bhandari, Justice	Supreme Court
10.	Hon. Tapa Bahadur Magar, Justice	Supreme Court
11.	Hon. Damodar Prasad Sharma, Justice	Supreme Court
12.	Hon. Gauri Dhakal, Justice	Supreme Court
13.	Hon. Pawan Kumar Ojha, Justice	Supreme Court
14.	Hon. Rajendra Prasad Koirala, Justice	Supreme Court

**Annex - 21**  
**Interaction Programs on Commercial and Banking Law - I**

May 20th to 25th, 2007

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Hon. Gopal Prasad Parajuli, Judge	Court of Appeal Mahendranagar
2.	Hon. Nanda Raj Adhikari, Judge	Court of Appeal Hetauda
3.	Hon. Deepakraj Joshi, Judge	Court of Appeal Dhankuta
4.	Hon. Krishna Prasad Shrestha, Judge	Court of Appeal Nepalgunj
5.	Hon. Jaganath Pathak, Judge	Court of Appeal Rajbiraj
6.	Hon. Lokendra Mallik, Judge	Court of Appeal Rajbiraj
7.	Hon. Meera Khadka, Judge	Court of Appeal Hetauda
8.	Hon. Raghav Lal Vaidhya, Judge	Court of Appeal Janakpur
9.	Hon. Ram Prasad Khanal, Judge	Court of Appeal Rajbiraj
10.	Hon. Om Prakash Mishra, Judge	Court of Appeal Biratnagar
11.	Hon. Bala Ram Bista, Judge	Court of Appeal Surkhet
12.	Hon. Surendra Bir Singh Basnet, Judge	Court of Appeal Biratnagar
13.	Hon. Om Prasad Subedi, Judge	Court of Appeal Dang
14.	Hon. Govinda Kumar Upadhyay, Judge	Court of Appeal Dipayal
15.	Hon. Udhav Prasad Baskota, Judge	Court of Appeal Hetauda
16.	Hon. Giri Raj Paudel, Judge	Court of Appeal Janakpur
17.	Hon. Devendra Gopal Shrestha, Judge	Court of Appeal Nepalgunj

**Annex - 22****Interaction programs on Commercial and Banking Law - II**

May 27th to June 1st, 2007

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Court</b>
1.	Hon. Bishwo Nath Joshi, Judge	Court of Appeal Butwal
2.	Hon. Hari Babu Bhattarai, Judge	Court of Appeal Butwal
3.	Hon. Jagdish Sharma Paudel, Judge	Court of Appeal Patan
4.	Hon. Debendra Raj Sharma, Judge	Court of Appeal Pokhara
5.	Hon. Madhav Prasad Chalise, Judge	Court of Appeal Patan
6.	Hon. Janardan Bahadur Khadka, Judge	Court of Appeal Patan
7.	Hon. Phanindra Dhatta Sharma, Judge	Court of Appeal Dhankuta
8.	Hon. Dipak Kumar Karki, Judge	Court of Appeal Biratnagar
9.	Hon. Kedar Prasad Chalise, Judge	Court of Appeal Biratnagar
10.	Hon. Dinesh Kumar Karki, Judge	Court of Appeal Janakpur
11.	Hon. Shambhu Bahadur Khadka, Judge	Court of Appeal Dipayal
12.	Hon. Keshav Prasad Mainali, Judge	Court of Appeal Butwal
13.	Hon. Shambhu Bahadur Karki, Judge	Court of Appeal Rajbiraj
14.	Hon. Posh Nath Sharma, Judge	Court of Appeal Hetauda
15.	Hon. Sharda Prasad Ghimire, Judge	Court of Appeal Janakpur
16.	Hon. Bam Kumar Shrestha, Judge	Court of Appeal Butwal
17.	Hon. Bishombhar Shrestha, Judge	Court of Appeal Baglung
18.	Hon. Ishwor Prasad Khatiwada, Judge	Court of Appeal Baglung
19.	Hon. Tanka Bahadur Moktan, Judge	Court of Appeal Hetauda
20.	Hon. Damber Bahadur Shahi, Judge	Court of Appeal Mahendranagar
21.	Hon. Nirmal Kumar Dhungana, Judge	Court of Appeal Rajbiraj
22.	Hon. Gobinda Kumar Shrestha, Judge	Court of Appeal Rajbiraj
23.	Hon. Purusottam Parajuli, Judge	Court of Appeal Butwal

**Annex - 23**  
**Training on Gender Justice**

August 17th-20th, 2006

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name and Designation</b>	<b>Office</b>
1.	Hon. Lekhnath Dhakal, Additional District Judge	Rupendehi District Court
2.	Hon. Kul Prasad Sharma, District Judge	Dailekh District Court
3.	Hon. Bhoj Raj Sharma, Additional District Judge	Sarlahi District Court
4.	Hon. Pashupati Acharya, Additional District Judge	Dhanusha District Court
5.	Hon. Mahananda Junad Ajad, District Judge	Salyan District Court
6.	Hon. Kosh Kumar Nemwang, District Judge	Terhathum District Court
7.	Hon. Shekhar Chandra Aryal, District Judge	Baitadi District Court
8.	Hon. Sita Prasad Pokharel, Additional District Judge	Sarlahi District Court
9.	Hon. Radha Krishna Upreti, Additional District Judge	Jhapa District Court
10.	Hon. Mahendra Bahadur Karki, Additional District Judge	Sangja District Court
11.	Hon. Murari Babu Shrestha, District Judge	Dolpa District Court
12.	Hon. Omkar Upadhyay, District Judge	Bajura District Court
13.	Hon. Tek Narayan Kunwar, District Judge	Mugu District Court
14.	Hon. Dipendra Adhikari, District Judge	Surkhet District Court
15.	Hon. Arjun Prasad Koirala, District Judge	Dhankuta District Court
16.	Hon. Narayan Prasad Shrestha, Additional District Judge	Sunsari District Court
17.	Hon. Krishna Bahadur Thapa, Additional District Judge	Banke District Court
18.	Hon. Bhoj Raj Adhikari, Additional District Judge	Rautahat District Court
19.	Hon. Krishna Kamal Adhikari, Additional District Judge	Rupendehi District Court

**Annex - 24**  
**Trainings on Juvenile Justice**  
**Training for Junior Court Staffs**

November 11st to 13rd, 2006

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Mr. Tek Bahadur Karki, Non-Gazetted Class I	Saptari District Court
2.	Mr. Sushila Bhattarai, Non-Gazetted Class II	Saptari District Court
3.	Mr. Yammati Subedi, Non- Gazetted Class I	Rupandehi District Court
4.	Mr. Gobinda Prasad Koirala, Non -Gazetted Class II	Rupandehi District Court
5.	Mr. Ram Bahadur Thapa, Non-Gazetted Class I	Lalitpur District Court
6.	Mr. Niraj Kumar Dhungana, Non-Gazetted Class II	Lalitpur District Court
7.	Mr. Bishwo Nath Aryal, Non-Gazetted Class I	Kaski District Court
8.	Mr. Lok Nath Koirala, Non-Gazetted Class II	Kaski District Court
9.	Mr. Thirtha Raj Bhattarai, Non-Gazetted Class I	Ilam District Court
10.	Mr. Rudra Prasad Sapkota, Non- Gazetted Class II	Ilam District Court
11.	Mr. Bedraj Pokharel, Non- Gazetted Class I	Morang District Court
12.	Mr. Narendra Prasad Koirala, Non -Gazetted Class II	Morang District Court
13.	Mr. Bidur Nepal, Non-Gazetted Class I	Bhaktapur District Court
14.	Mr. Sher Bahadur Dhungel, Non-Gazetted Class II	Bhaktapur District Court
15.	Mr. Khemraj Bhatta, Non- Gazetted Class I	Kanchanpur District Court
16.	Mr. Rajendra Bahadur Chanda, Non - Gazetted Class II	Kanchanpur District Court
17.	Mr. Yam Prasad Baskota, Non - Gazetted Class I	Surkhet District Court
18.	Mr. Dammar Prasad Kaphle, Non - Gazetted Class II	Surkhet District Court
19.	Mr. Krishna Sharan Lamichhane, Non - Gazetted Class II	Kathmandu District Court
20.	Mr. Kishwor Lamsal, Non - Gazetted Class I	Kathmandu District Court
21.	Mr. Dhurba Prasad Subedi, Non - Gazetted Class II	Makawanpur District Court
22.	Mr. Rajan Aryal, Non - Gazetted Class I	Makawanpur District Court
23.	Mr. Aimaduddin Salmani, Non - Gazetted Class II	Banke District Court
24.	Mr. Gokarna Sharma, Non - Gazetted Class I	Banke District Court

## Training for Lawyers

November 26th to 28th, 2006

S.N.	Name and Designation	Representing Bar Units
1.	Mr. Kalyan K.C., Advocate	Morang District Bar
2.	Mr. Balkrishna Acharya, Advocate	Morang District Bar
3.	Mr. Purusottam Dhungana, Advocate	Lalitpur District Bar
4.	Mr. Ganesh Prasad Baral, Advocate	Lalitpur District Bar
5.	Mr. Premdhoj Shahi, Advocate	Surkhet District Bar
6.	Mr. Shova K.C. , Advocate	Surkhet District Bar
7.	Mr. Shiva Kumar Shrestha, Advocate	Banke District Bar
8.	Mr. Rakesh Kumar Sharma, Advocate	Banke District Bar
9.	Mr. Ananta Kumar Chaudhary, Advocate	Saptari District Bar
10.	Mr. Doman Shah, Advocate	Saptari District Bar
11.	Mr. Sudhir Bohara, Advocate	Ilam District Bar
12.	Mr. Ganesh Prasad Baral, Advocate	Ilam District Bar
13.	Mr. Phanindra Raj Pokharel, Advocate	Rupandehi District Bar
14.	Mr. Shyam Aryal, Advocate	Rupandehi District Bar
15.	Mr. Pushparaj Pandey, Advocate	Kathmandu District Bar
16.	Mr. Raju Mahat, Advocate	Kathmandu District Bar
17.	Mr. Rajesh Krishna Sipai, Advocate	Bhaktapur District Bar
18.	Mr. Devendra Shrestha, Advocate	Bhaktapur District Bar
19.	Mr. Tara Bahadur Sitaula, Advocate	Supreme Court Bar Association
20.	Mr. Shobha Budhathoki, Advocate	Cap CORN
21.	Mr. Ram Chandra Giri, Advocate	Advocacy Forum
22.	Mr. Santosh Sharma, Advocate	Child NGOs Federation Nepal
23.	Mr. Rajeshwor Niraula, Advocate	Child NGOs Federation Nepal
24.	Mr. Kapil Mani Dahal, Advocate	Kaski District Court Bar
25.	Mr. Krishna Prasad Timilsina, Advocate	Kaski District Court Bar
26.	Mr. Ram Prasad Rimal, Advocate	Makawanpur District Court Bar
27.	Mr. Ishwor Raj Dhakal, Advocate	Makawanpur District Court Bar
28.	Mr. Bharat Adhikari, Advocate	CEIN-Nepal
29.	Mr. Dev Raj Panta, Advocate	Kanchanpur District Court Bar
30.	Mr. Krishna Dev Joshi, Advocate	Kanchanpur District Court Bar

## Training for Government Attorneys

December 11st -13rd, 2006

S.N.	Name and Designation	Office
1.	Mr. Hirendra Prasad Shrestha	
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3.	Mr. Hari Prasad Pokharel, Section Officer	Office of Appellate Government Attorney, Biratnagar
4.	Mr. Padam Prasad Acharya	
5.	Mr. Khada Nanda Gautam, Deputy Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorney, Hetauda
6.	Mr. Suman Kumar Neupane, Assistant Deputy Attorney	Office of District Government Attorney, Makawanpur
7.	Mr. Yam Bahadur Baniya, Assistant Deputy Attorney	Office of District Government Attorney, Kathmandu
8.	Mr. Krishna Jung Shah, Assistant Deputy Attorney	Office of District Government Attorney, Kathmandu
9.	Mr. Kosha Hari Niraula, Section Officer	District Administration Office
10.	Mr. Pushkar Sapkota, Deputy Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorney, Patan
11.	Mrs. Rama Devi Parajuli, Assistant Deputy Attorney	Office of District Government Attorney, Lalitpur
12.	Mr. Dhurba Kumar Chauhan, Assistant Deputy Attorney	Office Of District Government Attorney, Bhaktapur
13.	Mr. Ghanshyam Ojha, Section Officer	CIAA
14.	Mr. Dhan Singh Mahara, District Attorney	Office Of District Government Attorney, Kaski
15.	Mr. Bal Krishna Wagle, Section Officer	Office of Appellate Government Attorney, Hetauda
16.	Mr. Yadu Nath Sharma, Assistant Deputy Attorney	Office Of District Government Attorney, Rupandehi
17.	Mr. Hari Shankar Gyawali, Section Officer	District Administration Office, Rupandehi
18.	Mr. Gopal Prasad Rijal, For Joint Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorney, Nepalgunj
19.	Mr. Narendra Bahadur Thapa, District Attorney	Office Of District Government Attorney, Banke
20.	Mr. Resham Acharya, Section Officer	District Administration Office, Banke
21.	Mr. Parashwor Dhungana, Section Officer	Office of Appellate Government Attorney, Surkhet
22.	Mr. Dharmananda Nath, For Joint Attorney	Office of Appellate Government Attorney, Mahendranagar
23.	Mr. Chakradev Acharya, District Attorney	Office Of District Government Attorney, Dang
24.	Mr. Mohan Sagar Basyal	NJA

## Training for Judicial Officers

December 17th-19th, 2006

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Mr. Matrika Prasad Acharya, Shrestadar	Ilam District Court
2.	Mr. Basudev Paudel, Tahasildar	Morang District Court
3.	Mr. Krishna Prasad Subedi, Shrestadar	Saptari District Court
4.	Mr. Basudev Lal Shrestha, Shrestadar	Makawanpur District Court
5.	Mr. Krishna Ram Koirala, Shrestadar	Kathmandu District Court
6.	Mr. Shree Prasad Sanjel, Section Officer	Kathmandu District Court
7.	Mr. Mahendra Nath Upadhya, Shrestadar	Kaski District Court
8.	Mr. Bhim Kumar Shrestha, Tahasildar	Kaski District Court
9.	Mr. Kapilmani Gautam, Tahasildar	Rupandehi District Court
10.	Mr. Bharat Lamsal, Shrestadar	Banke District Court
11.	Mr. Pot Prasad Aryal, Tahasildar	Banke District Court
12.	Mr. Sanat Chandra Lawat, Shrestadar	Surkhet District Court
13.	Mr. Ghanshyam Kumar Shrestha, Tahasildar	Kanchanpur District Court
14.	Mr. Raju Kumar Khatiwada, Shrestadar	Lalitpur District Court
15.	Mr. Thakur Bahadur Silwal, Tahasildar	Lalitpur District Court
16.	Mr. Purneshwor Prasad Upadhya, Shrestadar	Dhanusha District Court
17.	Mr. Ishwor Prasad Upadhya, Shrestadar	Jhapa District Court
18.	Mr. Ramesh Prasad Risal, Section Officer	Supreme Court
19.	Mr. Basudev Neupane, Tahasildar	Nawalparashi District Court
20.	Mr. Yogendra Prasad Shah, Shrestadar	Siraha District Court
21.	Mr. Narayan Prasad Regmi, Tahasildar	Sunsari District Court
22.	Mr. Chandra Bahadur K.C., Tahasildar	Bara District Court
23.	Ms. Sweekriti Parajuli, Bench Officer	Supreme Court
24.	Mr. Baburam Dahal, Section Officer	Supreme Court

## Training for District Judges

December 27th to 29th, 2006

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court
1.	Hon. Narayan Prasad Dahal, District Judge	Kathmandu District Court
2.	Hon. Kashi Nath Pokhrel, District Judge	Kaski District Court
3.	Hon. Yagya Prasad Basyal, District Judge	Banke District Court
4.	Hon. Navaraj Upadhyaya, District Judge	Morang District Court
5.	Hon. Dipendra Adhikari, District Judge	Surkhet District Court
6.	Hon. Mohan Raman Bhattra, District Judge	Saptari District Court
7.	Hon. Lekhnath Ghimire, District Judge	Ilam District Court
8.	Hon. Udaya Prakash Chapagain, District Judge	Makawanpur District Court
9.	Hon. Narayan Prasad Dhital, District Judge	Rupandehi District Court
10.	Hon. Binod Prasad Sharma, District Judge	Bhaktapur District Court
11.	Hon. Kumar Prasad Pokhrel, District Judge	Lalitpur District Court
12.	Hon. Ram Prasad Adhikari, District Judge	Kanchanpur District Court
13.	Hon. Kailash K.C., District Judge	Mustang District Court
14.	Hon. Narishwor Bhandari, District Judge	Humla District Court
15.	Hon. Tek Narayan Kunwar, District Judge	Mugu District Court
16.	Hon. Achyut Prasad Bhandari, District Judge	Achham District Court
17.	Hon. Sudarshan Pandey, District Judge	Manang District Court
18.	Hon. Omkar Upadhyay, District Judge	Bajura District Court
19.	Hon. Saligram Koirala, District Judge	Solukhumbu District Court
20.	Hon. Purusottam Dhakal, District Judge	Argakhanchi District Court
21.	Hon. Aananta Raj Dumre, District Judge	Jumla District Court
22.	Hon. Murari Babu Shrestha, District Judge	Dolpa District Court

**Annex - 25**  
**Workshop on Environment Crime for Judiciary**  
**and Law Enforcement Agencies**

November 3rd - 4th, 2006

S.N.	Name and Designation	Court/Offices
1.	Hon. Kumar Pokharel, Judge	Lalitpur District court
2.	Hon. Bir Bahdur Dangi, Judge	Kathmandu District Court
3.	Hon. Binod Sharma, Judge	Bhaktapur District Court
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8.	Mr. Chandra Bahadur Sapkota, District Attorney	District Attorney Office, Bhaktapur
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14.	Mr. Kalanidhi Poudel, Deputy Training Chief	Judicial Service Training Centre
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37.	Ms. Gauri Malakar, Member	The Relief Trust
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39.	Mr. Ram Chandra Poudel, Field Officer	Wildlife Conservation in Nepal (WCN)
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41.	Mr. Bijay Raj Bagale, Masters Level Student in Env. Sci (TU)	Samakhusi, Ktm.
42.	Mr. Tika Ram Adhikari, Planning Officer	Department of National Parks & Wildlife Conservation
43.	Prof. Karan B. Shah	Natural Hist. Museum
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