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51ST AGM OF NATTA

The 51st AGM of NATTA was successfully accomplished on Friday, the 16th January 2015 at Radisson Hotel, Lazimpat. The Program was inaugurated by Indian Ambassador to Nepal, H.E Ranjit Rae.

During his speech, His Excellency said that there is a need of mutual cooperation as Nepal and India are jointly promoting tourism. His suggestion was to focus on religious and adventure tourism. One of the speakers, Mr. Prachanda Man Shrestha, former CEO of Nepal Tourism Board (NTB) said there is a need of the campaign to promote regional markets and needs to move forward giving priority to neighboring countries India and China.

After the inaugural ceremony, NATTA members' closed session was held in which the report presented by NATTA Secretary General Ms. Mihika Dhakhwa and Treasurer Narayan Pd. Gurung Koney were passed.

The circular of minutes of 51st AGM of NATTA will be circulated to NATTA Members soon.



GLIMPSES OF 51ST AGM



TRAVEL EVENTS CALENDAR FEBRUARY 2015



ENTER 2015

3rd February 2015 - 6th February 2015



San Francisco Travel & Adventure Show 2015

7th February 2015 - 8th February 2015



Go West Summit 2015

10th February 2015 - 13th February 2015



IBTM Arabia 2015

10th February 2015 - 12th February 2015



The Telegraph Outdoor Adventure Travel Show 2015

12th February 2015 - 15th February 2015



Middle East Luxury Travel Show (MELTS) 2015

15th February 2015 - 18th February 2015



AIME 2015

24th February 2015 - 25th February 2015



Business Travel Show 2015

25th February 2015 - 26th February 2015



Travel & Tourism Fair (TTF) & OTM - Mumbai 2015

4th February 2015 - 6th February 2015



Travel & Tourism Fair (TTF) & OTM - New Delhi 2015

10th February 2015 - 12th February 2015



Hamburg Aviation Conference 2015

10th February 2015 - 12th February 2015



Africa Hotel Expansion Summit 2015

12th February 2015 - 13th February 2015



BIT - International Tourism Exchange 2015

12th February 2015 - 14th February 2015



Los Angeles Travel & Adventure Show 2015

21st February 2015 - 22nd February 2015



Travel Technology Europe 2015

25th February 2015 - 26th February 2015



IATA Legal Symposium 2015

25th February 2015 - 27th February 2015

‘INDIA TO WORK WITH NEPAL ON TOURISM PROMOTION’

Kathmandu: Indian Ambassador to Nepal Ranjit Rae stressed on strengthening bilateral cooperation to promote travel and tourism between Nepal and India.

Addressing 51st Annual General Meeting of Nepal Association of Tour and Travel Agents (NATTA) here today, Ambassador Rae committed to work with Nepal on developing tourism and attracting more tourists in both the countries.

"Nepal has everything to offer to Indian tourists. India will work with Nepal to promote more Indian tourists .Nepal has great potentialities of attracting high value and quality tourists from India," he added.

Rae said that every Indian liked to visit Pashupatinath temple, Muktinath, Lumbini and other pilgrimage centers of Nepal. He underlined the need of advancing a plan of action in coordination of the governments of the two countries for the promotion of tourism and developing Buddhist circuits in both the countries.

On the occasion Officiating CEO of Nepal Tourism Board Ms. Nandini Lehe Thapa , NATTA Advisor Prachanda Man Shrestha ,NATTA President D.B. Limbu , 1st Vice President Shambhu Raj Pathak and CEO Dr. Hari Sarmah stressed on public-private partnership and strategy to attract more tourists from two neighbouring countries India and China.

A total of 1, 80,974 Indian tourists and 113,179 Chinese tourists visited Nepal in 2013.

India and Nepal signed an agreement on tourism promotion during Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to Nepal in November 2014. Both the countries have established sister-city relationships between Kathmandu - Benaras, Janakpur- Ayudhya and Lumbini- Sarnath.

On the occasion, ten travel agencies were awarded with ' 25 Years of Cooperation Award '.

The 51st AGM of NATTA passed the report presented by NATTA Secretary General Ms. Mihika Dhakhwa and Treasurer Narayan Pd. Gurung Koney.



CAPTURED PHOTOS



Havana in Cuba



Launch Program: Malindo Air to fly to Nepal from Feb 6

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ANSWER THE ASIAN QUIZ

In what Asian country can be found the world's coldest capital city in January?

- 1 Bermuda 2 France
3 USA 4 Mongolia

The Andaman Islands lie east of India in which great bay?

- 1 Carpentaria 2 Bay of Bengal
3 Arabian Gulf 4 Persian Gulf

Which territory in the Northern part of the Indian sub-continent is claimed by both India and Pakistan and has been partitioned since 1947?

- 1 Kashmir 2 Assam
3 Nepal 4 Bhutan

In 1939, Siam was renamed...?

- 1 Thailand 2 Sri Lanka
3 Bermuda 4 Vietnam

What Asian country is surrounded by China, Vietnam, Cambodia and Thailand?

- 1 Bhutan 2 South Korea
3 Laos 4 Bangladesh

What was the former name of Bangladesh?

- 1 North Pakistan 2 East Pakistan
3 West Pakistan 4 South Pakistan

What is the main religion in Bangladesh?

- 1 Buddhist 2 Hindu
3 Muslim 4 Christian

Which is the only Southeast Asian country never ruled by a European power?

- 1 Laos 2 Cambodia
3 Vietnam 4 Thailand

What heavy wood is Burma's main timber export?

- 1 Maple 2 Mahogany
3 Teak 4 Oak

What southern Asian nation has the Wand River joining the Ping River at Tak?

- 1 Laos 2 Vietnam
3 Thailand 4 Cambodia

Which country are you in if you've just reached the joining of the Wang and Ping rivers at Tak?

- 1 Sri Lanka 2 Thailand
3 China 4 Japan

What Asian city is the world's most densely populated?

- 1 Hong Kong 2 Tokyo
3 Calcutta 4 Singapore

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