

Neo-Brahmi Generation Panel (GP) Meeting Notes from meeting on 26 July 2018

Meeting Attendees (in alphabetical order)

GP members:

1. Ajay Data
2. Akshat Joshi
3. Dhanalakshmi KT
4. Jay Paudyal
5. Kuldeep Patnaik
6. Rajiv Kumar
7. Shanmugam Rajabhathar
8. U.B Pavanaja
9. Veena Solomon

Staff:

10. Pitinan Kooarmornpatana
11. Sarmad Hussain

The following communicated their inability to attend

1. Gurpreet Singh Lehal
2. Raiomond Doctor

Meeting Notes

The NBGP co-chair congratulated all GP members for reaching important mile stone. The first batch of Neo-Brahmi LGR will be published for public comment on 27 July 2018. The GP continued discussion for the following items:

1. Status of Telugu, Kannada, Oriya LGR proposals: Oriya LGR package for public comment was shared via the mailing list for NBGP finalization on 9 July 2018. Since then there is no further change. Telugu and Kannada LGR packages were circulated for any last call today.
2. The IP has no objection to the 'NBGP Cross-script Variant Inclusion Policy' document prepared by the GP. Therefore, the GP can go forward with the current LGR version. Pitinan will add the proposed text in the related LGRs (Oriya, Tamil, Kannada, Malayalam) and share to all NBGP members for finalization.
3. Status of Tamil LGR proposal: All IP feedback was incorporated, the GP is waiting for the updated XML for finalization.
4. Status of Malayalam LGR proposal: Veena is finalizing the proposal and will share the updated version by tomorrow (27 July 2018).
5. Status of Bangla LGR proposal: After the face to face meeting in Dhaka, there were five Bangladeshi experts gave their consent to join the NBGP. The proposal is being reviewed by experts from India and Bangladesh. Professor Udaya has reached out to three Bangla experts in Assam for additional feedback on the proposal.
6. The GP decided to resume the bi-weekly meetings on Thursday 6.30 PM IST, starting from 9 August 2018. The GP also decided to have two separated calls for Bangla and Malayalam next week.

7. The GP agreed to set a schedule for the next batch for public comment (Telugu, Kannada, and Oriya) on 6 August 2018.

Action Items

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1	<i>Add singleton cross-script variant text in Oriya, Tamil, Kannada, and Malayalam LGR proposals, then share via the mailing list by 29 July 2018</i>	PK
2	<i>Update the XML for Tamil LGR and share with NBGP members for finalization</i>	PK
3	<i>Finalize Malayalam LGR proposal and share via the mailing list by 27 July 2018</i>	VS
4	<i>Set up bi-weekly meetings starting from 9 August 2018 and two dedicated meetings for Bangla and Malayalam LGR proposals next week.</i>	PK