

Neo-Brahmi Generation Panel Meeting Notes from meeting on 17 November 2017

Meeting Attendees (in alphabetical order)

GP members:

1. Ajay Data
2. Akshat S. Joshi
3. Anivar A. Aravind
4. Gurpreet Singh Lehal
5. Jay Paudyal
6. Neha Gupta
7. Rajiv Kumar
8. Shanmugam R
9. U.B. Pavanaja
10. Udaya Narayana Singh

Staff:

11. Akanksha
12. Pitinan Kooarmornpatana
13. Sarmad Hussain

The following communicated their inability to attend

1. Harish Chowdhary
2. Raiomond Doctor

Meeting Notes

The GP discussed the following agenda items:

1. **Status of Devanagari proposal.** The proposal is ready to submit on 18 November. However, the Co-chairs will make decision offline whether the GP should wait to submit the proposal after the government meeting on 21 November 2017.

Neha requested ICANN staff to provide the instruction on bulk testing of the online LGR toolset. The testing label list will be submitted to the mailing list by 20 November 2017.

2. **Progress on Kannada proposal.** Dr. Pavanaja updated that only the code point repertoire section has been updated while the rest are pending. The GP requested Dr. Pavanaja to get as much as possible done before the meeting in Sri Lanka.
3. **Progress on Gurmukhi proposal.** Dr. Lehal informed the GP that he has uploaded the document with all sections, the proposal is almost completed. ICANN staff will capture the Google doc and circulate it to the NBGP.
4. **Progress on Gujarati proposal.** Akshat updated that the Gujarati proposal could be finalized within two weeks after the finalization of the Devanagari proposal.

The only pending issue is the Nukta case. Parallely, they have started working on the XML file. The GP agreed on the timeline as the Devanagari proposal should be done by 21 November 2017.

5. **Progress on Tamil proposal.** Shanmugam updated that as he has started collecting data and has been coordinating with Akshat and Neha to understand the procedure and expectation of the work. The GP will see more update in the meeting and it should have considerable progress before the Sri Lanka meeting.

- 6. Face to Face meeting in Sri Lanka.** In the meeting, there will be a slot for each script for detail discussions. Each script leader was requested to complete the draft proposal as much as possible and aim to finalize the proposal during the meeting. The agenda has been shared via the mailing list. The co-chair requested GP members to review and give comment or feedback.
- 7. Progress on Bangla proposal.** Dr. Udaya informed the GP that he has gone through the MSR-2 and has started working on the google doc. He requested some resource from CDAC in Akshat team to assist and fasten the work. Akshat committed to assist when he is no longer occupied by Devanagari proposal. The GP was agreed to have the first draft by 15 December 2017.
- Dr. Ajay confirmed to get Bangla resource from Bangladesh on board before the next face to face meeting.
- 8. Oriya proposal.** Dr. Ajay informed that the GP is still lacking the resource for Oriya.
- 9. Progress on Malayalam proposal.** Anivar informed that he has gone through the MSR-2 and there are some characters that has a lot of history issues. The other sections of the proposal could be done rather fast. The draft proposal will be submitted on 10 December 2017.
- 10. Next meeting.** The next meeting will be 30 November 2017.

Action Items

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1	Reach out to Neha for the bulk label testing in LGR toolset	PK
2	Complete the valid and invalid testing label and circulate to the mailing list on 20 November 2017	NG, AJ
3	Decide on the submission date of the Devanagari proposal to the IP	Co-Chairs
4	Update the Kannada proposal as much as possible	UBP
5	Capture the draft Gurmukhi proposal from the Google doc and circulate to the mailing list	PK
6	Update the Gujarati proposal within two weeks after Devanagari proposal finalization	AJ
7	Start working on Tamil script with Akshat and Neha	SR, AJ, NG
8	Review the Face to Face meeting agenda and provide feedback	All
9	Coordinate with Akshat and get the first draft of Bangla proposal ready by 15 December 2017	UNS
10	Draft the Malayalam proposal and circulate to the mailing list on 10 December 2017	AA