Board Meeting of the Hindu Temple of Arizona January 11th, 2004, 2:00pm

The meeting was called to Order at 3.00pm

Attendees:

Mohini Ahuja, Munnu Bajpai, Vidya Bakshi, Nirmala Chhibber, Hirisave Ramchandra, Mina Sangani, Balbir Sharma, Rohini Sharma, Surinder Sharma and Asha Thakur

Quorum Called by Mina Sangani.

1. Pujari Situation:

The meeting was called in order to make a decision about the Priest, Kailas Pati Prabhu, that attended an interview on Tuesday January 6th, 2004. The members of the Board that were presents at the interview all liked him and would be happy to offer him a position at the Temple. The Board unanimously agreed to pursue the matter and look into the logistics of hiring Kailasji. The following action list was put together:

- 1. Balbir Sharma to update Kailasji and ask question to help clarify his immigration situation.
- 2. Balbir Sharma to contact Jay Bansal about the immigration situation and steps to be taken, by Wednesday January 14th.
- 3. Balbir Sharma to ask Desh Ahuja to write an employment contract. Contact to be made by January 18th.
- 4. Munnu Bajpai to put together a written job description by January 18th.
- 5. Balbir Sharma to construct a Job Application for the position.

2. Varia:

1. **Motion 24:** The HTA will not carry out a Rath Yatra independently this year, but we will participate in the ISKON Rath Yatra to be held in February, as a joint, large community effort, with no financial obligation.

Proposed by: Mohini Ahuja Seconded by: Balbir Sharma Carried Unanimously

- 2. Mr. Semant Misra has requested a refund for some items that he has bought on behalf of the Temple. Mina Sangani to invite him to a meeting of the Board in order to clarify
- 3. The President announced meeting closed at 4.30pm.