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Comprehensive Training on Treaty Drafting and Negotiation

S.N.	Date	Time	Day	Session	Particulars	Resource	Remarks
1	2082/03/08	10:00-10:30	Day 1	Opening Session		Delegates and all participants	
		10:30-11:45	Day 1: Introduction to Treaties and International Law and Treaty Formation and Participants	Session 1: Introduction to Treaties and Sources of International Law	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Definition and types of treaties• Importance of treaties in international relations• Overview of the treaty-making process• Overview of customary international law• Treaties as primary sources• Relationship between treaties and other sources of law•	Dilli Raj Ghimire Expert	9851145343
		11:45-12:00		BREAK			

		12:00-01:15		Session 2: Treaty Formation and Participants in Treaty Making	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requirements for a valid treaty • Consent and object and purpose of treaties • States as primary parties • Other actors: international organizations, non-state entities 	Dilli Raj Ghimire Expert	9851145343
2	2082/03/09	10:00-11:30	Day 2: Drafting Skills - Part 1	Session 1: Advanced Drafting Techniques, International Contracts and other Commercial Agreements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major issues to be considered • Challenges • Consequences 	Anil Sinha Expert	9861601090
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			
		11:45-01:00		Session 2: Reservations, Declarations, and Amendments, Treaty Termination and Withdrawal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding and managing reservations and declarations • Procedures for treaty amendments • Legal implications and procedures for termination Withdrawal from treaties and its consequences 	Binod Kr. Bhattarai, Joint Secretary,, Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs	9851188539

3.	2082/03/10	10:00-11:30	Day 3: Drafting Skills - Part 2	Session 1: Advanced Drafting Techniques	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specific clauses: force majeure, termination, amendment • Balancing national interests and international obligations 	Dr. Shiva Kumar Giri Expert	9701002632/ 9868822820
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			
		11:45-01:00		Session 2: Simulation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treaty drafting exercise 	Dr. Shiva Kumar Giri Expert	9701002632/ 9868822820
4.	2082/03/11	10:00-11:30	Day 4: Treaty Negotiations	Session 1: Introduction to Treaty Negotiation Session	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Importance of negotiation in treaty-making • Key principles and considerations • Multilateral Negotiations • Challenges and strategies in multilateral settings 	Dr. Baikuntha Aryal Expert	9851131913
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			
		11:45-01:00		Session 2: Negotiation Skills and Strategies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural considerations in negotiation • Managing complex negotiations 	<u>Shankar Das</u> <u>Bairagi</u> Expert	9851188184

5.	2082/03/12	10:00-11:30	Day 5: Treaty Negotiation - Part 2	Session 1: Bilateral Negotiations: Negotiation skills and Strategies to Bilateral Scenario	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tailoring negotiation strategies to bilateral scenarios 	Madhab Paudel, Expert	9851155899
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			
		11:45-01:00		Session 2: Multilateral Treaty Negotiations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multilateral Treaty Negotiations and Negotiations with Multilateral Financial Institutions: Challenges and Strategies, Simulation and Exercise Practical negotiation scenarios and feedback 	Madhab Paudel,, Expert	9851155899
6.	2082/03/13	10:00-11:30	Day 6: Advanced Treaty Topics	Session 1: Technical Aspects while Dealing with Treaty related files	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Political Considerations in treaty negotiations 	Govinda Bandi Expert	9851061167
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			

		11:45-01:00		Session 2: Immunities & Privilege	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Immunities • Privilege • Some examples and good practices 	Gehendra Rajbhandari, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs	9841254788
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7.	2082/03/15	10:00-11:30	Day 7: Advanced Treaty Topics	Session 1: Dispute Settlement Mechanisms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of dispute resolution in treaties • Role of international courts and tribunals • Specific considerations for economic treaties • Investor-state dispute settlement (ISDS) • Nepal's Cases and Experiences 	Apurba Khatiwada, Advocate	9841745366
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			
		11:45-01:00		Session 2: Business and Investment Treaties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The concept of Capital Flow • Business and Investment Treaties, it's Challenges and Opportunities • Investment Protection from Investor's Perspective • Legal Protection of Investments • Overview of BITs' Substantive Provisions 	Semanta Dahal, Advocate	9841793802

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8.	2082/03/16	10:00-11:30	Day 8: Finalizing and Depository of Treaties	Session 1: Finalizing a Treaty, Treaty Depository and Registration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Formalities and steps in finalizing a treaty Minutes Role and functions of treaty depository Registration with international bodies 	Durga Prasad Bhattarai	9823641687
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			
		11:45-01:00		Session 2: Simulation Exercise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practical negotiation scenarios and feedback 	Shree Krishna Nepal, MOF	9857011444
9.	2082/03/17	10:00-11:30	Day 9: Advanced Drafting Techniques	Session 1: Other Treaty-Related Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Power to Conclude Treaty (Constitution of Nepal) Major Issues 	Dal Bahadur Adhikari, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs	9841554491
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			

		11:45-01:00		Session 2: : Other Treaty Related Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Treaty Obligation and Compliance: Monism Dualism 	Parashwor Dhungana, Secretary, Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs	9861601090
10.	2082/03/18	10:00-11:30	Day 10: Treaty Making Process	Session 1: Treaty Obligation and Compliances	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Issues to be considered in treaty making process Identifying key issues and objectives 	Udaya Raj Sapkota Expert	9851096604
		11:30-11:45		BREAK			
		11:45-01:00		Session 2: Overview of Standard Operating Procedure on Treaty Making-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basis of Treaty Making in Nepal Role of Government Agencies (Bilateral) Role of Government Agencies (Multilateral) Issues and Challenges Nepal Treaty Act and Treaty Making Directives, 2018 (2077) Role of Province Role of MOLJPA 	Aruna Joshi Joint Secretary Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs	9863031059
		01:00-01:30	Concluding Session: Certificate Distribution, Remarks and Closing.				