

# Memorandum of Understanding

Between The Rotary Club Birtamode and Mechi Eye Hospital, Birtamod Jhapa.

## Purpose:

Mechi Eye Hospital wanted the IOL MASTER 500, manufactured by Carl Zeiss; in order to improve its diagnostic abilities. As it is a very expensive instrument they approached Rotary Club Heemstede-Bennebrock of Netherlands for help in procuring the IOL 500. Rotary clubs Heemstede-Bennebrock (international) together with Rotary Club Birtamode (host) have agreed to apply for the Global Grant from Rotary International in order to finance the project. As per the requirement of the Global Grant a need to have an **Memorandum of Understanding** between the recipient **Mechi Eye Hospital** (hereafter referred to as the Second Party) and the Host Club, **Rotary club Birtamode** (hereafter referred to as the First Party) was required and thus have come into agreement as follows:

1. The first party together with its international partner (Rotary Club Heemstede-Bennebrock) on qualifying for the Global Grant shall provide the IOL MASTER 500 to the second Party as aid support.
2. The second party shall be the sole and absolute owner of the IOL MASTER 500 thereafter.
3. The second party shall use the equipment to enhance the eye-care capabilities of the Hospital and improve the qualitative health care of the local populace. The Hospital shall provide training to at least three personnel for the operation and maintenance of the equipment. The Management of the hospital shall take steps to ensure that the instrument shall not be used for the personal benefit of any individual/s.
4. The second Party shall make provision/s to keep the equipment in proper working conditions and make a contract with the local supplier /agent to insure that all necessary parts are readily available.
5. The Hospital (second party) shall be responsible for collection of data and monitoring and evaluation of the benefits / improvements after the use of the equipment.
6. The Second party shall allow the First party to inspect the IOL MASTER 500 if and when they make timely visits (once a month for three months and every two months thereafter for one year) to the hospital. They shall also provide data in respect to the IOL MASTER 500 if and when required by the club for evaluation purposes.

This MoU has been signed on this 24th of February 2014 between Rotary Club BIRTAMODE, duly signed by

Rtn. Jitendra Basnet President. (ROTARY CLUB BIRTAMODE) as First party

AND

Dr. Purushottam Joshi Medical Director, (Mechi Eye Hospital,) as second party

## Witness:

1. Dr. Prabha Subedi Basnet, (Mechi Eye Hospital,) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Rtn Amod Acharya Treasurer (ROTARY CLUB BIRTAMODE) \_\_\_\_\_

This MoU shall become effective after handing over of The IOL MASTER 500 by the FIRST PARTY to The SECOND PARTY.

