

U.S. DELEGATION FOR  
FRIENDSHIP  
AMONG WOMEN

VISIT TO  
NEPAL, BHUTAN,  
BANGLADESH,  
SOUTH KOREA

October 1, 1988 - October 23, 1988



## MISSION STATEMENT

The U.S. Delegation for Friendship Among Women is a non-profit corporation established to promote cultural exchange and understanding among women leaders of the world.

Founded in Minnesota in 1970, the Delegation is distinguished by the diversity of its members, who represent every region of the United States and whose professional backgrounds include academia, architecture, business, journalism, law, science and volunteerism.

The organization is an autonomous and financially self-supported group that receives briefings and assistance from the United States Department of State.

Delegates have met with Women Leaders in the Far East (India, The People's Republic of China, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, Indonesia, and Malaysia); the Middle East, (Egypt, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, United Arab Emirates, and South Africa); Central and South America (Guatemala, Argentina, Brazil, Chile, and Peru), and The Soviet Union. Delegates have participated in the International Women's Year Conference in Mexico City in 1975, The National Women's Conference in Houston in 1977, and the Mid-Decade Conference in Copenhagen in 1980.

The information and experience that the members obtained is communicated to professional and civic organizations in the United States. This furthers the general objective of the Delegation which is to promote cultural appreciation and peaceful co-existence among peoples of the world.

# ITINERARY

## OCTOBER 1, 1988 SATURDAY

Departure for Tokyo from Seattle on Northwest #7 at 12:40 p.m. Please meet Mary Pomeroy at the departure gate at 11:00 a.m. Yellow Delegation tags should be attached to luggage. Briefing meetings will be held on upper deck en route.

## OCTOBER 2, SUNDAY

Arrive Tokyo at 2:35 p.m. Departure on Northwest #27 at 6:00 p.m. Arrive Bangkok 10:05 p.m. Overnight at Airport Hotel.

## OCTOBER 3, MONDAY

Departure Thai #248 at 11:00 a.m. Arrive Kathmandu, Nepal at 12:45 p.m. YAK AND YETI HOTEL.

## OCTOBER 4, TUESDAY

Morning tour of the city. General meeting in afternoon with members of Nepal Women's Organization. Evening briefing, U.S. Embassy.

## OCTOBER 5, WEDNESDAY

Morning visit to Patan. Afternoon meeting with Nepal Women. Evening dinner with guests.

## OCTOBER 6, THURSDAY

Morning audience with Her Majesty Queen Aishwarya Rajya Lakshmi Devi Shah. Departure for Calcutta on Indian Air #248 at ~~2:25~~ 1:25 p.m. Arrive Calcutta 3:25 p.m. ASHOK AIRPORT HOTEL.

## OCTOBER 7, FRIDAY

Depart Calcutta via Druk Air 7:30 a.m. Arrive Paro, Bhutan 9:40 a.m. After lunch drive to Thimphu. HOTEL MOTITHANG.

**OCTOBER 8, SATURDAY**

Meeting with members of the National Women's Association of Bhutan and audience with Her Royal Highness Princess S.C. Wangchuck. Evening dinner with guests.

**OCTOBER 9, SUNDAY**

Morning drive to Paro. Afternoon visit Ta Dzong, the National Museum and Paro Dzong. OLATHANG HOTEL.

**OCTOBER 10, MONDAY**

Depart Paro, Druk Air 10:30 a.m. Arrive Calcutta at 11:40 a.m. Depart Calcutta via Indian Air #223 at 1:40 p.m. Arrive Dhaka 2:50 p.m. HOTEL SONARGAON.

**OCTOBER 11, TUESDAY**

Morning tour of Dhaka. Afternoon meetings with Dhaka women. Briefing by U.S. Embassy.

**OCTOBER 12, WEDNESDAY**

Visit to Bangladesh Protibondhi Foundation, Pratilondhi. Evening dinner with guests.

**OCTOBER 13, THURSDAY**

Morning for individual meetings. Departure at 2:00 p.m., Thai #322, arriving Bangkok 5:10 p.m. Depart Bangkok Thai #642 at 7:30 p.m. Arrive Hong Kong 11:00 p.m. PENINSULA HOTEL.

**OCTOBER 14, FRIDAY**

Free Day

**OCTOBER 15, SATURDAY**

Morning free. Late afternoon meeting and dinner.

**OCTOBER 16, SUNDAY**

Morning free. Afternoon meetings.

**OCTOBER 17, MONDAY**

Departure on Thai #628 at 3:10 p.m. Arrive Seoul, Korea at 7:20 p.m. HOTEL LOTTE

**October 18, TUESDAY**

Morning departure by train to Kyongju, heart of the thousand year Silla Kingdom. HOTEL KYONGJU CHOSUN

**OCTOBER 19, Wednesday**

Morning sightseeing. Afternoon return to Seoul arriving about 6:00 p.m.

**OCTOBER 20, THURSDAY**

Morning tour of Seoul. Afternoon meeting with women at the YWCA headquarters. Embassy briefing in evening.

**OCTOBER 21, FRIDAY**

Arranged meetings with individual women. Dinner with guests in evening.

**OCTOBER 22, SATURDAY**

Morning for individual meetings. Afternoon free.

**OCTOBER 23, SUNDAY**

Departure on Northwest #12 at 4:00 p.m. Arrive Seattle 10:05 a.m.

## DIRECTIONS FOR MAILING

**YAK AND YETI HOTEL**  
GPO BOX 1016, DURBAR MARG  
KATHMANDU, NEPAL  
PHONE 413999  
Oct. 3-6

**HOTEL SONARGAON**  
GPO BOX 3595  
KARWAN BAZAR  
DHAKA, BANGLADESH  
PHONE 315-001  
Oct. 10-13

**PENINSULA HOTEL**  
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HONG KONG  
PHONE 3666251  
Oct. 14-16

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