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Dear Friend,

At a time when Nepal is going through a difficult political transition, nature has struck out at hundreds of thousands of Nepali people, most living in the Tarai region. The Home Ministry of Nepal has reported that at least a quarter of a million people from some 32 out of 75 districts in Nepal have been badly affected by the recent devastating floods.

This is the worst natural disaster to strike Nepal in many years. Hundreds of lives have been lost, and property worth billions of rupees has been destroyed. Hundreds of thousands of people have been displaced, losing their homes and businesses. Their lives have been totally shattered.

Many local, national and international agencies are involved in coordinating and mobilizing resources to provide support to the flood victims. The Government of Nepal has also asked for international support in its relief effort.

The America-Nepal Friendship Society (ANFS), a not-for-profit tax-exempt organization, is undertaking a campaign to collect donations to support relief and rehabilitation work. Our contributions will make a difference in the lives of those who have been left with nothing. We urge you to help us with this urgent humanitarian relief effort.

Please make out a check payable to **America-Nepal Friendship Society**, **Inc.** and mail it to the following address (please write "**Nepal Flood Victims Relief Work**" on the memo section of the check):

The Treasurer
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This is a collective effort on behalf of the Nepali community and friends of Nepal. Your contributions will be properly recorded and handed over to a reliable, reputable relief agency in Nepal. **Your contributions are tax deductible**.

Humanity has no boundaries--let us join together to help out the victims of this terrible disaster. Please be generous when you make a contribution!

On behalf of the Nepal's flood victims, we thank you in advance for your generous support.

Sincerely,

Dr. Tara Niraula President Dr. Rajendra Pradhan Chair of the Board