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Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS)

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Attached please find a comment from Nepal on the WG2 n2339 (Limbu) which is also applicable for Limbu part of the ISO/IEC 10646-1 PDAM-2.

The ballot comment on the PDAM form NB of Japan is requesting to reflect the comments on the PDAM-2.

Summary of the comments.

The paper requests three things;

1. Character name change on 13 characters

2. Addition of 5 characters

3. Reservation of 6 code points for heritage characters.

Japan requests to WG2 to respond to the character name change request from PDAM-2.

For Addition of characters, Japan believes that it is ideal if the request is accepted as a part of ballot comments disposition, if it is not possible, those may be handled as a separated new addition request.   As of now, nothing to do with the code points reservation request for heritage characters. WG2 must just wait for future request from Nepal.

1. Character name change:

There are three kinds of changes requested.

Code point (U-19XX)	Requested character name	
25	LIMBU DIPTHONG AI	wording change
27	LIMBU DIPTHONG AU	wording change
28	LIMBU LOW MID BACK ROUNDED VOWEL SIGN A	real change
29	LIMBU LOW MID FRONT VOWEL SIGN E	real change
3F	LIMBU PUNCTUATION QUESTION MARK	local name change
48	LIMBU DIGIT TWO	local name change
49	LIMBU DIGIT THREE	local name change
4A (48 in the paper)	LIMBU DIGIT FOUR	local name change
4B (49 in the paper)	LIMBU DIGIT FIVE	local name change
4C(48 in the paper)	LIMBU DIGIT SIX	local name change
4D(49 in the paper)	LIMBU DIGIT SEVEN	local name change
4E(48 in the paper)	LIMBU DIGIT EIGHT	local name change
4F(49 in the paper)	LIMBU DIGIT NINE	local name change

Since the change request only on "local name" is nothing to do with the resultant standard,

Only 4 of real change are requested (25, 27, 28 and 29).

Note: For U-1926, character name LIMBU VOWEL SIGN O is accepted by Nepal.

2. Addition

Requested character	suggested code point
LIMBU SIGN LO	U-193D
LIMBU PUNCTUATION FULL STOP	U-193E
LIMBU PUNCTUATION EXCLAMATION MARK	U-1940
LIMBU PUNCTUATION COMMA	U-1941
LIMBU PUNCTUATION HYPHEN	U-1944

3. Code point reservation

U-1909, U-190A, U-191A, U-1921, U-1932 and U-193C

Note: none of code relocation is requested.

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