

## **Constitution of Indian Sahaja Marriage Committee**

It was decided in the meeting of the Sahaja Yoga Central Committee of India on September 15, 2013, that an Indian Sahaja Marriage Committee would be constituted to look after various aspects of the Sahaja Marriages. It was also decided that Sahaja marriages should only be held at Ganapatipule during International Christmas Puja/seminar in December every year as used to be done by H H Shri Mataji for several years.

With the blessings of H.H. Shri Mataji Nirmala Devi, an Indian Sahaja Marriage Committee has been constituted for the sahaja marriages to be solemnized every year at the International Christmas Puja / seminar, at Ganapatipule and at the International venues.

The Committee shall work according to principles and teachings of H H Shri Mataji Nirmala Devi, rely on sound judgment, wisdom and on a collective vibratory decision process. It shall strive to provide transparent information on protocols and practices to the collective, while keeping full confidentiality on personal information of the applicants. No information and confidential data, provided either by the applicants or by the coordinators, will be disclosed to anyone outside the committee, except for the respective contact details of the matched couples.

The members of the Indian Sahaja Marriage Committee will perform their duties with no personal involvement on the matters. In case any member or close relation of any member of the committee has submitted a marriage application, the member can provide support & guidance but will abstain from performing duties in relation to such a matching process.

Some of the activities performed by the Indian Sahaja Marriage Committee shall be as follows:

- Proposing shared protocols and guidelines for the activities of the Committee to be adopted by the collective
- Providing information about marriage ceremonies to be held
- Providing updated marriage application forms and instructions in advance of the ceremony
- Providing proper guidance and counselling to the applicants, regarding the importance and purpose of sahaja marriages and managing their queries
- Collecting and filing application forms from all over the world

- Scrutinising marriage application forms, verifying credentials of applicants (they should be atleast 2 years in Sahaja Yoga) and completeness and correctness of information provided by the applicants
- Performing the matching process as described above
- Informing applicants, coordinators/ organizers of the marriage ceremony, and matched couples about the outcomes of the process
- Coordinating the logistics and managing the Marriage ceremony
- Keeping information and progress of children from sahaja marriages (Number of children per marriage)

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The **Indian Sahaja Marriage Committee** members as as under :

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The above list of members shall be periodically reviewed. Advocate Milind Shedsale, Kolhapur (+91 8237207994, advmilindshedsalekop@yahoo.com), will look after the legal aspects of the sahaja marriages.

All are requested to extend full support and cooperation to the Committee.