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CALL FOR ACTION : LC 3033 - 2023 Regular Session DRAFT Concurrent Resolution

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To: Ramesh Krishnamurthy <mashimama@gmail.com>

Ramesh,
Here is my letter. Thanks,..Sriram

Hello,

My name is Gidu Sriram and I have been a resident of Beaverton, Oregon since 1984. Work brought me here and I fell in love with Oregon the moment I set foot here. People made me feel welcome and I have made literally over 1000 friends over the last 39 years. I am an IT Director at Hyster-Yale Group, where I have worked since coming to the US.

Oregon has provided numerous opportunities for my family. I did my MBA at Portland State University, my wife got her Masters in Teaching from George Fox, one daughter went to OSU and the other went to University of Oregon. We consider ourselves as true Oregonians. My wife works as an Elementary School teacher in the Beaverton School District.

In addition to offering professional opportunities, Oregon has also encouraged the enrichment of Indian culture. I have been serving on the Board of many Indian Cultural Organizations and the Indian American community has benefited a lot with State provided Grants and the use of many facilities such as the School auditoriums and Churches for organizing many music, dance and cultural events. In the heart of the city, we have been celebrating India Festival every year in August at the Portland Pioneer Square.

I am very happy to note that the Oregon Legislature is planning to recognize the Indian community on the occasion of India's 75th year of Independence. On behalf of the larger Indian American community, I would like to request all of your support to this Resolution.

Thanks.

With regards,..Gidu Sriram

On Thu, Jan 12, 2023 at 12:23 PM Ramesh Krishnamurthy <mashimama@gmail.com> wrote:

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