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Australian Punjabi Business Org.  
Australian Telugu Samithi  
Basava Samithi Australasia. Inc  
Bengali Association of NSW Inc.  
Gujarati Samaj of NSW  
Hindi Samaj  
India Sports Club Inc.  
Malaylee Association  
Punjabi Council of Australia  
Sydney Kannada Sangha  
Sydney Malayalee Association  
Sydney Sindhi Association  
Sydney Tamil Sangham  
Technocrats' Association of Aus Inc  
Telugu Association Inc  
The Indian Samagra Iky Sangam  
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## Press Release

### New Office Bearers of UIA for 2007

United Indian Associations Inc (UIA), the Association of Indian Associations launched in 1994, is the apex body representing vast Indian community of Australia. UIA promotes a harmonious relationship amongst Australian citizens, Indian migrants, and the society in general by cultivating mutual respect through increased social interaction, sports recreation and other voluntary activities of significant community benefit. Its aim is to act as a channel of communication between the Australian Indian community, the Commonwealth and New South Wales Governments and the Indian Government, on welfare, social and economic matters. This apex body is represented by 17 major Indian organisations. AGM 2007 including the elections for the Executive Committee of UIA was held on 17th March 2007 at Sydney Market Industries Club, First Floor market Plaza Building (off Parramatta Rd), Flemington NSW 2129. Following individuals were elected UIA executives through the election process:

**President:** Mr Raj Natarajan of India Sports Club Inc.  
**V President:** Dr Rohitas Batta of Technocrat's Association of Australia.  
**Treasurer:** Mr Krishnamurthy Toopran of Telugu Association Inc.  
**Joint Treasurer:** Mr Logessan Pillay of Then Indian Sanmarga Ikyasangam of NSW Inc.  
**Secretary:** Mr Dev Tripathi of Hindi Samaj Sydney Inc.  
**Joint Secretary :** Mr Sandip Hor of Bengali Association of NSW Inc.

On the occasion, outgoing president Dr. PR Sinha presented the president's report and outlined UIA achievement like organising Indian fair, Republic day / Independence day celebration, women's forum, immigration forum, Deepavali / Holi mela and MOU with other communities. He stressed that the work has not finished yet and UIA has to do much more to achieve desired results.



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Incoming UIA president Mr Raj Natarajan thanked Dr PR Sinha for His achievements and promised that as a community servant he would dedicate his time in uplifting profile of Indian community, actively engage other Indian organisation to come under umbrella of UIA. Mr Raj Natarajan promised transparency in governance of UIA during his term as president.

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**Vice President:** Dr Rohitas Batta; **President:** Mr Raj Natarajan;  
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