

Minutes from MANY HANDS AND EYES-PRISON CIRCLE MEETING
SATURDAY, October 10, 2009

In attendance: Roshi Wendy Egyoku Nakao, Sensei John Daishin Buksbazen, Lynda Golan, Katherine Senshin Griffith, DeWayne Gojitsu Snodgrass, Penelope Luminous-Heart Thompson, John Heart-Mirror Trotter.

Not present: Concetta Getsuren Alfano, Margaret Jifu Gower, Deb Faith-Mind Thoreson.

Also in attendance from the Angulimala Prison Project: Gary Koan Janka (Steward), Gary Belton and Sensei Daniel Nagacitta Buckley. (Note: Penelope Luminous-Heart Thompson is also a member of the Prison Project.)

The Angulimala Prison Project (APP) gave a report to the MHA-E-PC. The following subjects were discussed:

- the current status of their group
- their recent work in the prisons, including many rewarding experiences
- recent incidences of brutality by guards and thoughts on what could be done
- some potential former inmates who may be interested in practicing at ZCLA
- their response to the latest draft of the ZCLA PROTOCOL FOR FORMER INMATES

After the APP members left, the MHA-E-PC then looked over the latest draft of the application form for former inmates to practice at ZCLA.

Another meeting was scheduled for Saturday, October 17 to review the protocol draft and the application in more depth.

Notes taken and submitted by Senshin, Steward, MHA-E-PC.