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OPERATION BLESSING INTERNATIONAL RESPONDING TO NEPAL EARTHQUAKE

VIRGINIA BEACH, VA (April 25, 2015) – Operation Blessing International, one of the largest charities in America, has deployed its Vice President of International Operations, David Darg, to Nepal in the wake of a 7.8-magnitude earthquake that struck near the capital city of Katmandu.

Darg, who is en route to Nepal, will meet with local authorities and join with Operation Blessing’s partner organization, Nepali Rescue Project (<http://nepalirescueproject.com>) to determine the greatest areas of needs such as safe water, food, medical or emergency supplies. Once those needs are determined, Operation Blessing will source materials, locally if possible, using cash donated by supporters in the USA and in some of the other 26 countries the charity works in daily.

Operation Blessing International has been working in Nepal with the Nepali Rescue Project since 2013 on a number of anti-human trafficking efforts.

Darg is expected to arrive in Nepal by Sunday evening, Eastern Time. He has previously been a first responder to some of the world’s worst disasters of the last decade, including Typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines (2013), the Japan earthquake and tsunami (2011), the Earthquake in Haiti (2010) and the Sichuan, China earthquake (2008).

For more information or to donate to the Nepal earthquake relief efforts, please visit: www.ob.org

ABOUT OPERATION BLESSING INTERNATIONAL:

Operation Blessing International (OBI) is one of the largest charities in America, providing strategic disaster relief, medical aid, hunger relief, clean water and community development in 27 countries around the world on a daily basis. In 2014, OBI was awarded Charity Navigator’s coveted 4-star rating for sound fiscal management marking 8 years the charity has received this prestigious ranking. Forbes also ranks OBI as one of its “100 Largest Charities” with an efficiency rating of 99%. Founded in 1978, Operation Blessing International has touched the lives of more than 255 million people in more than 105 countries and 50 states, providing goods and services valued at over \$3.3 billion to date.

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