

CTRC Update



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His Holiness the Dalai Lama's Central Tibetan Relief Committee, the relief wing of the Department of Home, Central Tibetan Administration is a legally registered Charitable and Development organisation working mainly for the welfare and sustainable socio-economic development of the Tibetan exile community particularly those living in India, Nepal and Bhutan.

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Relief Appeal for Landslide Victims of Shimla

On the night of 19th September 2008, a major landslide shook the Shimla valley and major damage has been caused to Tibetans. About 17 shops, including two restaurants owned by the local Tibetans were completely buried under debris. Tibetan shopkeepers have taken credit from Indian Banks and other commercial sources to do this petty business for their survival. The month of October to end of December is the only peak season in the region that Tibetan shopkeepers could earn little profit as many Hindu festivals falls during these months and high inflow of tourist. The families were completely shattered due to natural disaster as these few months of seasonal business is the major source of their livelihood.

The Department of Home, Central Tibetan Administration, Dharamsala has released a total sum of Rs. 152500.00 as an immediate relief towards affected Tibetan families through Representative Office, Shimla out of total estimated lost of worth Rs. 45,00,000.00 (INR) in this incident which still a nightmare to these families.

It is not possible without strong financial support from outside to restart and reconstruct the business damaged by landslide. Hence, we would like to strongly appeal our generous Donor agencies and individual for an immediate support. We would be much appreciated and valued for your contribution towards these landslide victims and to reconstruct their petty business, so that they can help themselves to earn and payback all credit amount well in time and to bring to normalcy.



Activities carried out by Agriculture Division

- 1) Mr. Geoff Armstrong, has visited personally to Mundgod and Hunsur Tibetan settlements to evaluate the soil and water conservation project funded by Charitable Foundation through Global Development Group, Australia.
- 2) From 13-15 Aug 08 Mr. Ngodup Dorjee, acting Secretary visited Mundgod Settlement for the Guidance & workshop on Importance of Organic Farming and its benefits in the long run, advantages & disadvantages of Chemical & Organic farming to the farmers.
- 3) From 16-18 Aug 08, Mr. Deo Dutt Singh, Consultant of USAID visited Mundgod settlement to study the feasibility of organic farming in the Tibetan settlement. Mr. Singh personally visited field level at Camp no. 8 and much impressed with organic farming activities carried by the farmers.
- 4) Mr. Chimey Rigzen, Jt. Secretary visited Cameroon, West Africa in the month of June under invitation of the Himalayan Institute, Pennsylvania. The purpose of this visit was to attend the inauguration of Himalaya Institute Community Centre 2008, rural empowerment project in Kumbo, Cameroon including the school of Energy Farming and discuss about the feasibility of energy farming –biofuel cultivation in the Tibetan settlement in India.
- 5) On May 2008 Chief Planning Officer, Dr. Kunchok Tsundue, Mr. Chimey Rigzin Jt. Secretary of CTC & Mr. Lobsang Tenzin, Under secretary of Planning Commission visited northeast Tibetan Settlements for the Evaluation of various projects funded by Irish.
- 6) From 10th-19th July 2008, Mr. Tsering Dorjee, Under Secretary & Ms Tashi Yangzom, Project Officer visited southern Settlement to monitor the ongoing projects under the funding of Belgium FM & NCA
- 7) Food Processing Project in Kollegal Settlement: - Under the funding from Belgium FM, the project has successfully install processing machine like, Ragi destoner machine, Ragi polisher, Maize & Ragi thresher, flourmill, semi automatic sealing machine, flour storage bin, sack trolley,
- 8) **Crop Diversification project: -**
Since the inception of Tibetan settlement, maize monocropping system was going on which led the depletion of soil nutrition. Therefore, we introduce crop diversification in below Tibetan settlement.



Organic Workshop Held in Mundgod



Mr. Deo Dutt Singh, Contractor of USAID



Food Processing Machines in Kollegal



Tree Plantation

Rabyeling Settlement, Hunsur: - Due to the crop destruction by wild elephants in Hunsur settlement, most of the farmers has left their land uncultivated. In order to bring the land into use, Belgium project has introduced castor oil cultivation at the elephant prone area. The castor is a non-grazing plant, however the elephant destruction problem has not seized.

Lugsam Settlement, Bylakuppe: - In Purang organic camp, Black pepper plantation has been provided to grow along with Silver oak tree.

Delar Settlement, Bylakuppe: - Fruit and non-fruit trees have been distributed to all farmers, school, and monasteries during HH the Dalai Lama's Birthday. They have procured varieties plants from Mysore and distributed

Gangkyi, Dharamsala: -

Under the presence of Hon'ble Kalon Tripa Prof. Samdhong Rinpoche and all other Ministers about 120 rain forest trees of different varieties were planted on 15 August to mark the India Independence Day and to check soil erosion around Gangkyi.



Staff Updates: We cordially welcome the new comers and bid farewell to the outgoing staff

a. New Comers

01. Mr. Lhakpa Dorjee, Deputy Sec. has been transferred from Kashag Ngemey to Home Department w.e.f. 1/5/2008
02. Mr. Thupten Ngodup, Deputy Sec. has been appointed as Settlement Officer on contractual basis w.e.f. 15/5/2008
03. Ms. Tsering Dolma, Under Sec. has been transferred from Bureau Office, Nepal to Jawalakhel w.e.f. 12/5/2008
04. Mr. Tenzin Choejhe, Under Sec. has been transferred from Kashag as Settlement Officer, Paonta w.e.f. 12/5/2008
05. Ms. Sonam Tsomo, Office Manager has been transferred from Health Deptt. as Office Sec. of TWO, Dalhousie w.e.f. 12/5/08
06. Ms. Tsering Dolma, Junior Clerk has been newly appointed to Department of Home w.e.f. 2/5/2008
07. Mr. Ngawang Choeden, Office Manager has been newly appointed as Office Sec./Accountant of TWO, Shilong w.e.f. 1/5/2008
08. Ms. Tsering Dolma, Section Officer, has been newly appointed as Office Sec./Acctt. of Gyalsa Phakshing, Nepal w.e.f. 7/7/08
09. Ms. Sonam Yangzom, Office Secretary, has been transferred as Office Sec., Mainpat from Security Department w.e.f. 26/6/08
10. Ms. Tenzin Choedon, Section Officer, has been transferred from Co-op. Society, Dhasa to Home Deptt. w.e.f. 20/8/2008
11. Mrs. Dolkar, Peon, has been newly appointed to Department of Home w.e.f. 13/8/2008
12. Mrs. Dolma, Peon, has been newly appointed to Department of Home w.e.f. 18/8/2008
13. Mr. Gyaltzen, J. Secretary, has been newly appointed on contractual basis as Settlement Officer, Dekyiling w.e.f. 16/6/2008
14. Mr. Dorjee, Deputy Sec., has been newly appointed on contractual basis as Settlement Officer, Kalimpong w.e.f. 16/6/2008
15. Mr. Phuntsok Tsering, Deputy Sec., has been newly appointed on contractual basis as Settlement Officer, Tezu w.e.f. 16/6/2008
16. Ms. Tenzin Dolkar, Junior Clerk, has been newly appointed to Department of Home w.e.f. 19/6/2008
17. Mrs. Dechen Dolma, Under Sec., has been transferred from TRA0 to Home Department w.e.f. 16/6/2008
18. Ms. Tsering Dolma, Office Sec., has been transferred from Kashag to Settlet. Office Mandi as Office Sec./Acctt. w.e.f. 23/7/08
19. Mr. Tsering Wangchen, has been newly appointed on contractual basis as Office Sec. of Settlement Office, Tezu w.e.f. 7/7/08
20. Ms. Passang Bhuti, has been transferred from DIIR to Settlement Office, Ravangla as Office Secretary w.e.f. 16/6/2008
21. Mr. Jampa Gyaltzen, Office Mgr. has been newly apptd. on contrtl. basis as Office Sec./Acctt. of Shawara, Nepal w.e.f. 16/6/08
22. Mr. Tenzin Topden, Office Mgr. has been newly apptd. on contrl. basis as Office Sec./Acctt. of Tashi Palkhyil, Pokhra w.e.f. 16/6/08
23. Ms. Ugyen Dolma Section Officer, has been transferred from Bureau Office, Delhi to CRO, Ladhak as Office Sec. w.e.f. 23/6/08
24. Ms. Tsering Choezom, Office Manager, has been transferred from Health Deptt. to CRO, B'lore as Office Sec. w.e.f. 23/6/2008

b. Outgoing Staff

1. Mr. Sonam Choephel, Add. Sec. has been transferred from Home Department to Health Department w.e.f. 21/5/2008
2. Mr. Ngawang Norbu, (J. Sec.) and Representative of Mundgod has been transferred to Reception Centre, Dhasa w.e.f. 9/6/08
3. Mr. Tsering Lhundup, Under Sec. of Home Department has resigned from the service w.e.f. 1/5/2008
4. Mr. Tsering, (Office Manager) and Office Secretary of TWO Kalimpong has resigned from the service w.e.f. 18/7/2008
5. Ms. Pema Samdon, Section Officer of Home Department has been transferred to DIIR w.e.f. 16/6/2008
6. Mrs. Tashi, Deputy Sec. of Home Department has been transferred to Bureau Office, Brussel w.e.f. 12/5/2008
7. Ms. Sonam Choedon, Senior Clerk of Home Department has been transferred to DOE w.e.f. 17/6/2008

c. Internal Transfer

01. Mrs. Tsewang Dolma, Deputy Secretary has been promoted to Joint Secretary w.e.f. 1/5/2008
02. Mr. Tsering Dorjee, Deputy Secretary has been promoted to joint Secretary w.e.f. 4/5/2008
03. Mr. Jingerpon Dadul, J. Sec. has been transferred as Chief Representative Officer, Ladhak w.e.f. 26/6/2008
04. Mr. Lekyi Dorjee, Deputy Sec. has been transferred as Settlement Officer, Tengang w.e.f. 24/6/2008
05. Mr. Palden Dhondup, J. Sec. has been promoted and transferred as Settlement Officer, Mundgod w.e.f. 26/6/2008
06. Mr. Kalsang Tsering, Deputy Sec. has been promoted to Joint Sec. and transferred as Welfare Officer, Darjeeling w.e.f. 12/5/08
07. Mr. Tsewang Tashi, (Deputy Secretary) Settlement Officer, Miao has been promoted to Joint Secretary w.e.f. 9/5/2008
08. Mr. Karma Dhargye, Section Officer has been transferred as Settlement Officer, Mandi from Rajpur w.e.f. 27/5/2008
09. Ms. Tenzin Kunsang, Section Officer has been transferred from Lugsam Office to TWHC, Rajpur w.e.f. 19/5/2008
10. Mr. Lhakpa Tsering, Section Officer. has been transferred as Welfare Officer of Shilong from Mundgod w.e.f. 1/6/08
11. Mr. Phuntsok Dhondup, Under Sec. (Settlement Officer) Paonta has been transferred to Home Deptt. w.e.f. 21/7/2008
12. Mr. Palden Lhundup, Office Mgr. (Office Sec.) has been transferred from Settlement Office Lugsam to Bhandara w.e.f. 1/8/08
13. Mr. Tenzin Nangwa, Office Manager (Acctt.) has been transferred from Settlement Office Bhandara to Lugsam w.e.f. 1/8/08
14. Mr. Jigme Dorjee, Office Manager (Office Sec.) has been transferred from Settlement Office Ravangla to Lugsam w.e.f. 26/6/08
15. Ms. Yeshe Dolma, Office Secretary has been transferred from Home Deptt. to TWO Kalimpong w.e.f. 25/6/2008
16. Mr. Ngodup Woesser, Section Officer has been transferred as Settlement Officer, Kamrao from CRO Banaglore w.e.f. 1/7/2008
17. Mr. Jampa Phuntsok, Deputy Sec. has been transferred as Settlement Officer, Hunsur from Home Deptt. w.e.f. 25/7/2008
18. Mr. Yeshe Kundak, Office Manager (Office Sec.) Miao has been transferred to TWO Samyeling, Delhi w.e.f. 1/8/2008



CTRC's Visitors Update :-

Mr. Steve Killelea, Chairman, the Charitable Foundation of Australia visited Central Tibetan Relief Committee, Dharamsala and welcomed by Mr. Ngodup Dorjee, acting Secretary of CTRC on 1st July 2008 to discuss in detail about the ongoing project of Soil and Water Conservation in Mundgod and Hunsur and also had deep discussion on various projects to be undertaken in the years to come after completion of above project within Tibetan settlements in India. He also visited three Tibetan settlements of Bir to have first hand information about the Tibetan settlement in India. He was accompanied by Mr. Chimey Rigzin, Joint Secretary of CTRC during his tour to Dharamsala.



Mr. Steve Killelea, Chairman, The Charitable Foundation, Australia (centre), Mr. Ngodup Dorjee, acting Secretary (left) and Mr. Chimey Rigzin, Jt. Sec. (right) of CTRC

Mrs Jessica Brackman, Board Member of Tibet Fund, USA visited the Central Tibetan Relief Committee along with her colleagues on 26th August 2008. They were received by Mr. Ngodup Dorjee, acting Secretary and briefed about the structure of CTRC and rehabilitation works going on within Tibetan settlements in India, Nepal and Bhutan under the guidelines of Central Tibetan Administration. They were also briefed on various organic farming projects implementing within Tibetan settlements and specially ongoing project such as Elephant trench in Hunsur under funding of Tibet Fund. Project completion reports were also submitted along with other ongoing projects and requested for funding of the projects applied to Tibet Fund in the years to come.



Mrs. Jessica Brackman, Board Member, Tibet Fund, USA and her colleagues at CTRC's Office

Mr. & Mrs Remy and Francine Champion. ETRE, Swiss visited the Central Tibetan Relief Committee, Dharamsala on 11th August 2008 and they were welcome by Mr. Ngodup Dorjee, acting Secretary and had detail discussion on the projects funded by ETRE in various Tibetan Settlements.



Delegation of ETRE, Swiss at CTRC's Office

Mr. Dr. Niraj Pasricha, Regional Director, Regional Institute of Cooperative Management, Chandigarh visited the Central Tibetan Relief Committee, Dharamsala along with his wife on 22nd August 2008 and he was welcome by Mr. Ngodup Dorjee, acting Secretary of CTRC and discuss in detail about the Institute and also on undergoing participant of HDCM course. Besides, he was briefed about Tibetan issues. Finally, the Regional Director has invited the Secretary of CTRC to visit their Institute personally.



Dr. Niraj Pasricha, RD, RICM, Chandigarh and his wife at CTRC's Office, Dharamsala

Mrs. Rinzin Wangmo, Coordinator of Casa del Tibet, Spain has visited CTRC Dharamsala and she was received by Mr. Ngodup Dorjee, acting Secretary and Mr. Ngawang Gyaltsen, Project Officer. They had detail discussion about the projects under funding of Casa del Tibet and future strategy.



Waste Management Workshop: -

Waste Management is nothing but taking care of discarded waste and garbage of institutions, organization and individual households. Seeing the detrimental effects of burning of waste and garbage; and possible occupation of space by the discarded waste and garbage in the surrounding of all the living beings, many laureates including His Holiness the Dalai Lama and numbers of experts have persistently talked publicly and advised of the importance and urgent need of the waste management, so that the coming generations may not face the consequences of faults and ignorance of the present generation.



Thus the Department of Home has taken a step forward to take up the matter and with the funding help of Swedish Organization For Individual Relief - Individuell Maniskohjalp in Sweden and India (SOIR-IM) started the Waste Management Program called "Tibetan Program 2006 - 2008" in 5 southern Tibetan settlements; Dekyi Larso and Lugsung Samdupling, Bylakuppe; Rapgyaling, Hunsur; Dhondenling, Kollegal, Doeguling, Mundgod and Dharamsala under the management of Tibetan Welfare Office, Dharamsala from June 2006. Till date the project has been going smoothly in all the 5 Tibetan settlements and Dharamsala. As of now the project has seen immense changes in the sanitation and health conscious of the settlement and the system has rooted and is receiving astronomical response from the settlement people.



Therefore, as aimed and objected by the funding organization and the Department of Home to make the project successful and sustainable after few years of outside funding and help, all the concerned authorities and staff members are putting whole hearted effort to achieve the aim and objective of individual and organizational as well.

Workshop organised for 8 days, bifurcated as:

- Rapgyaling, Hunsur on 26 -27 July, 2008
- Dekyi Larso and Lugsung Samdupling, Bylakuppe on 28 - 29 July, 2008
- Dhondenling, Kollegal on 1- 2 August, 2008
- Doeguling, Mundgod on 5 - 6 August, 2008

Information materials distributed:

- √ 2000 hand-out pieces of Solving Garbage Problem,
- √ 2000 hand-out pieces of Hazardous Effects of Plastic Products,
- √ 2000 hand-out of Health and Environmental Implications of Styrofoam Products,
- √ 2000 hand-out of Do not use PVC Tea Churn,
- √ 2000 hand-out of Health problem due to Nitrate contamination in Drinking water and
- √ 650 cotton shopping bags to the 5 southern Tibetan settlements and Tibetan Welfare Office, Dharamsala.



All the above information handouts are in Tibetan.

Total number of workshop participants: 309

1.	Hunsur Rapgyaling:	15 participants
2.	Delar/Lugsam, Bylakuppe:	45 participants
3.	Dhondeling Kollegal:	152 participants
4.	Doeguling, Mundgod:	97 participants



Conclusion: As the workshops and awareness talks are the main source of education, aspiration and inspiration for the officials and the mass, series of workshop, awareness talks and presentation of information through movies and slide shows has been very successful and helpful. 95% of the latest workshop participants and 100% of mass, who attended the public awareness talk and presentation of information, has requested for more workshops and awareness talks with more presentation. Knowing the results of the activities and response from the mass of the settlement and we are encouraged to work with more commitment and determination.



Update Report on Mathura Fire Incident:

Last year, on 15th November, Tibetan Refugee sweater sellers of Mathura met with an unprecedented fire accident, leaving everything to ashes and shattering the lives of 42 families, who's livelihood totally depends on winter seasonal sweater selling business. The total estimated lost of goods they had suffered is Rs. 120,82,500.00.

Soon after the news of such accident reached to CTRC, has released a grant amount of Rs. 399,000.00 (Rs.9500 each to 42 families) and along with appealed to our generous donors for the donations. But fortunately we received donations through following donor agencies:

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| 1. Office of Tibet. | USD 8,961.00 |
| 2. Tibet Bureau Office, France. | INR 19,438.00 |
| 3. Tibet Bureau Office, Geneva | INR 14,144.00 |
| 4. Representative Office, Gangtok | INR 4,500.00 |
| 5. The Tibetan Community of Alberta, Canada | INR 28,432.84 |

Besides above donations, Tibetan sweater sellers, Mathura have received donations from various other individuals and organizations within India. The total estimate amount of donations they received as per our record shows Rs 48,90,789.84, which is a quarter to their total amount of lost. Their elected group leaders will distribute the total amount of donations to 42 families.

This year, from the month of November, Tibetan sweater sellers, Mathura braving through the hardship, they are going to do their petty business with the support and donations received. We wish them all the success.

We also would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to all the concern donors for their contribution. Still we need your continuous support and would like to request for any form of help from you and your organisation to those victims in the years to come.

An Appeal for Natural Calamities Relief Fund

With the generous assistance from the Government of India, the United nations High Commissioner for Refugees, many organisations and individual donors Tibetan refugees were rehabilitated by establishing around 56 Tibetan settlements in India, Nepal and Bhutan. These settlements are mostly located in remote and far away from the reach of outer world. The primary livelihood of most of these settlers depend purely on agriculture and sweater selling business in the roadside of Indian cities during winter season becomes the secondary income for survival since last more than 3 decades.

The success and good productivity of agriculture depend purely on the rainfall and favorable climatic condition in the areas. Agriculture farming mainly focuses for self-consumption and cash crop. But due to unfavourable condition of whether during cultivation, unfortunately farmers are sometime felt victims of draught, heavy downpour, landslide and wild animals which causes heavy damage to the fields and lost of year long labour and investment cost.

On the other hand, Tibetan refugees are taking cash loans from Indian banks, goods on credit from manufacturer, and other commercial sources on high interest rate to do sweater selling business at the roadside of Indian cities and towns. This short term business is the only way to earn little profit to compensate their deficit budget of the family in a year and creating job opportunity to unemployed youth. But unfortunately sometimes damages caused by natural calamities like fire accidents, theft and lost of goods on transportation etc. which face tremendous hardship to reconstruct the lost business of huge capital invested.

Hence, His Holiness the Dalai Lama's Central Tibetan Relief Committee, Dharamsala with certain aims and objectives would like to create a separate accounts and keep certain amount of FUNDS focusing on to provide emergency relief or compensate financially to those victims due to natural calamities so that victims could restart their business well in time and for that reason we are strongly appeal to our generous donors for the contribution. We would be much appreciated for your kind helping hand to meet our objectives.

Organic Farming at Phuntsokling Tibetan Settlement, Orissa

CTRC is undertaking various methods to divert the present nature of farming into Organic farming by making Organic Model Village in each agricultural based Tibetan Settlements in India. Farmers of Phuntsokling Tibetan Settlement are also a huge consumption of Chemical fertiliser since more than 4 decades towards cultivation of maize which is the only cash crop and also a monocropping in the area which cause to degradation of soil fertility and affect in declining of productivity even after usage of huge chemical fertiliser. Hence, CTRC has finalised to convert Camp No. 4 and farmers of Camp no. 2 as Model Village of Phuntsokling Tibetan Settlement, Orissa as per the interest shown by farmer since 2007 by injecting Rs. 19,27,821 so far from the total budget allocation of Rs. 34,69,728 to carry out activities and objectives set out to achieve within two years programme. The programme is funded by Belgium Foreign Ministry.

Following activities were acried out as 1st year program through Settlement Office:-

- 1) Conducted baseline survey and soil analysis test on 210 acres of land during the month of Jan. 2008 and the report shows that soils for the Organic Model Village were moderated to acidic. To check or rejuvenate the acidic soil, the lime stone powder or paper mill sludge were recommende by the soil chemist.
- 2) Organised training & exposure trip to Gujarat from 4th - 10th March 2008 to create awareness and to adoption of new method of cultivation.
- 3) Under Soil nutrition management, 36 farmers of camp no. 4 were distributed 47,00 kgs of vermi compost, 616 tractor trailers and 69 truckloads of farm manure and 10 tractor trailers of tank silt to increase the soil nutrition.
- 4) Following several new varieties of Local Organic Seeds were procured from outisde and distributed to farmers for cultivation during 1year's project period:

- a) Paddy (balck husk) 585 kg
- b) Soghum (Jowar) 60 kg
- c) Pearl Millet (Bajra) 39 kg
- d) Maize (Kollegal) 55 kg
- e) Grren gram (201 kg)
- f) Paddy (hathi) 985 kg
- g) Finger Millet (Ragi) 706 kg
- h) Groundnut 300 kg

- 5) Bio-pesticide preparation and treatment skills were provided by AEO of Kolegal along with distribution of 4 mixer, 2 grinders, 12 sprayer and 36 containers of 80 litres capacity to farmers of Camp no. 4
- 6) Organic Urea/Cow Urea Pits: The project has provided 2 numbers of concrete pits for cow urine collection to Mr. Sangye, H/27 by aiming to collect cow urine, so that he can use with different components for making organic pesticides and manures.
- 7) Importance of keeping farmers dairy: They have made farmers dairy for each family as record book of organic farming and for future references.

More and more farmers are showing keen interest and started to learn that long term effect from conventional farming and diverting their nature of farming by adopting multi-cropping system to rejuvenate the soil nutrines by using various organic compost.



Unloading Compost



Training on bio-pesticide



Stock of Vermi Compost



Farmers Exposure trip to Gujarat



HOW YOU CAN HELP

1. Make donation to CTRC's General Fund.
2. Give project-specific donations.
3. Sponsor needy and old person.
4. Volunteer for transfer of technology and expertise.
5. Make donation to CTRC's Emergency Relief Fund or
6. Donation to Natural Calamities Relief Fund
7. Inform others about us.
8. Raise fund for CTRC's projects.

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Project Needing Fund

S/L	Project Titles	Budget
1.	Construction of Guest House, Miao (A.P.)	738,658
2.	Mill building renovation & upgradation, Miao (A.P.)	487,672
3.	Purchase of Electric Welding Machine, Tezu (A.P.)	26,951
4.	Purchase of Pulse threshing machine, Tezu (A.P.)	108,456
5.	Workshop Renovation, Tezu (A.P.)	271,048
6.	RAM construction at Workshop, Tezu (A.P.)	112,825
7.	Purchase of Rice threshing machine, Tezu (A.P.)	196,790
8.	Purchase of Maize sheller, Tezu (A.P.)	84,689
9.	Purchase of Truck model no. 709, Tenzingang (A.P.)	739,264
10.	Establishment of Kiwi Garden at 1 acre, Tenzingang (A.P.)	167,258
11.	Marketing management training to Secretaries and Accountants of Tibetan Co-operative	429,512
12.	General staff training on Co-operative Management for 7 days	420,576
13.	Renovation of agri. product godown, Hunsur (Karnataka)	686,107
14.	Renovation of footpath, Ravangla (Sikkim)	449,824
15.	Housing Renovation, Kamrao (H.P.)	2,000,000

Note: All the above projects are in need of funding for early implemetation. Those who are interested to contribute for any of above project may please contact us for further submission of project proposal and its budget details. Your kind contribution would be highly appreciated.

CTRC take this opportunity to express its sincere gratitude & appreciation for your continuous support & well wishes. We wish you all the best and hope to retain your patronage. THANK YOU.

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