Tibetan Nuns Project Shugsep Nunnery Temple Floor







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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

It is now 8 years since Shugsep Nunnery, home to 84 nuns, was completed. Some substantial maintenance work needs to be done, particularly an urgent problem with the floor of the main temple.

Due to insect infestation, the wooden floor of the main temple and its support structure have been badly eaten and needs to be replaced entirely. A 20-square-foot area of the floor has already been taken up, the wooden supports removed and replaced, and the flooring put back.

A further inspection shows that the situation with the remaining floor and its supports is urgent and needs to be addressed before the infestation spreads. The underfloor will also have to be fumigated and the new wood treated with insecticide before re-installing.

Initially, the nuns at Shugsep nunnery were hoping that they could just replace the central section of the floor that was most damaged and obviously infected. However, upon closer inspection, it is clear that the infestation has spread across the entire temple floor and so the whole floor needs to be taken up and repaired.

We need your help to repair the Shugsep temple floor.

To help you can:

- 1. Make a gift online at www.tnp.org
- 2. Call our office in Seattle, US at 1-206-652-8901
- 3. Mail a check to: The Tibetan Nuns Project, (for Shugsep temple floor)
- 815 Seattle Boulevard South #216, Seattle, WA 98134 USA

PROJECT COST: US \$35,000