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Orissa, India

Dear Shambhala Warriors,

I am extremely happy that the precious Rinchen Terdzö empowerment has been accomplished. I see this as an incredibly rare occurrence for the Shambhala community, as it will enrich our sangha for many generations to come. In this way, I feel that both the Tibetan community and Shambhala, while getting to know each other, have benefited tremendously. It would be delightful to see more Shambhalians coming to visit this wonderful place in the future, to continue the binding of these two great traditions.

I am also delighted to report that my father, His Eminence Namkha Drimed Rinpoche, is in good health after the long months of hard work. He continues to amaze and inspire us all. He is very pleased that he could pass this “jewel of the dharma” on to the Sakyong.

I hope you are all healthy and happy in the beginning of this New Year.

With love,

The Sakyong Wangmo, Dechen Chöying Sangmo