TIBETAN CHILDREN'S VILLAGES LADAKH

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COMPLETION REPORT

Subject: Old People's Home Laundry and Drainage Project

1. Project Title:

Old People's Home (OPH) Laundry and Drainage

2. Project Location:

TCV OPH, Main Village Choglamsar

3. Project Duration:

1 year

4. Total Estimated Cost:

Rs. 8,00,000/-

5. Project Sponsor:

Athenstaedt-Foundation Germany

6. Total Expenses:

Rs. 8,00,000/-

Brief Report

Due to unavoidable circumstances, we were unable to carry out the project within the original timeframe. The main reasons were the closure of roads that transport construction materials and the unavailability of skilled laborers, most of whom come from other states of India. This led to a delay of a few months.

We are, however, pleased to report that the Old People's Home Laundry and Drainage System has now been successfully completed. The longstanding laundry problem has been resolved, and the elderly residents are already benefitting from this facility.

Previously, washing clothes manually, especially during the harsh winter months, was extremely difficult. Now, with the installation of washing machines in a safer and warmer location, both the residents and the staff can manage laundry more efficiently and comfortably.

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Problems Faced:

Shortage of equipment, building materials, and skilled labor, which delayed the construction.

Lessons Learned:

Better planning and timely arrangement of materials and skilled workers are crucial to avoid such delays in the future.

Current Status:

The project is now completed and fully functional. The elderly residents are very pleased with the facility, which they use regularly, thereby improving their hygiene and comfort.

Achievement of Objectives:

We have been able to provide a proper laundry system for the elderly residents. Frail and weaker residents are assisted by our staff to use the washing machines. The installation ensures that laundry is no longer a burden, and hygiene standards are much improved.

Supporting Documents:

Photographs of the completed facility are attached.

Reason for Excess/Shortage (if any):

N/A

Additional Remarks:

On behalf of our elderly residents, I would like to express our sincere gratitude to the Athenstaedt-Foundation for funding this meaningful and much-needed project.

Date: 18th August 2025

Submitted by:

Rinchen Ngodup

Sponsorship Head, TCV Ladakh

THANK YOU VERY MUCH AND TASHI DELEK!

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