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NAME OF SOCIETY: **TIBETAN BON BUDDHIST SOCIETY**

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The name of the Society is TIBETAN BON BUDDHIST SOCIETY

The purposes of the Society are:

- 1.1 to create and maintain the teaching and meditation retreat centre, "Sherab Chamma Ling";
 - 1.2 to preserve Bön, the native religion of Tibet and its culture;
 - 1.3 to spread Bön teachings by cultivating practitioners and scholars in the west;
 - 1.4 to support and sustain a Spiritual Director and visiting teachers;
 - 1.5 to serve the community by providing an environment in which members may benefit themselves and others through the teaching and practice of Buddhist philosophies;
 - 1.6 to provide opportunities and venues for public worship and observance of religious holidays for practicing Buddhists;
 - 1.7 to introduce and broaden Tibetan Bön Buddhism through understanding and undertaking teachings using Meditation practice, Discussion groups, Dharma classes, lectures, Community service, and retreats;
 - 1.8 to purchase land and/or buildings to create a Tibetan Yungdrung Bön international teaching and retreat centre known as: Sherab Chamma Ling, Tibetan Bön Buddhist Centre;
2. In pursuance of the above Objects and to assist in the furtherance thereof whether directly or indirectly, the Society has the powers:
- 2.1 to raise funds whether by way of fund-raising activities, receipt of gifts, donations, legacies and grants or otherwise to hold, invest, and use them for the promotion of the objects of the Society;
 - 2.2 to acquire lands and buildings by purchase or otherwise for the purpose of establishing a worship centre, teaching and meeting place, and a retreat centre;
 - 2.3 to manage, lease, sell, mortgage, dispose of, or otherwise deal with the property of the Society;
 - 2.4 to provide all necessary equipment and furniture for carrying out the objectives of the Society;
 - 2.5 to do any other lawful thing necessary to further the Society's objects.