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To,

Himalayan Institute of Alternatives, Ladakh
Phyang
Leh, Ladakh

Sub: Heartfelt Thanks for support to Phyang Phyang village
Ref: Silver Award for Indian Responsible Tourism Award 2020 by Outlook

Dear Mr. Sonam Wangchuk,

Thanks to you and HIAL Phyang village won the Silver in Best Social Impact category in one of the most reputed Tourism Awards in India by Outlook magazine.

I, Tashi Dorje, Sarpanch of Phyang village and Ms Yangchan Dolma, elected representative of the Phyang Village Farmstays Project on behalf of the mothers and villagers express our heartfelt thanks to HIAL for setting up the Himalayan Farmstays in our village. Through this project already 30 families are getting a respectable income in the village and this is helping our children stay in the village instead migrating to Leh city.

Similarly, your projects with the youth of Phyang village in Ice Stupa making is engaging our youth in meaningful activities and attracting a lot of tourists to our village.

We want to take this opportunity to express our deep gratitude Himalayan Institute of Alternatives, Ladakh for being in our village and helping the people in many ways.

Sincerely,

Tashi Dorje

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Sarpanch
Halqa Panchayat Phyang