



De-Tong Ling Retreat Centre Inc.

Kangaroo Island, South Australia

Founder: Lama Thubten Yeshe

Spiritual Director: Lama Zopa Rinpoche

Affiliated with the Foundation for the Preservation of the Mahayana Tradition (FPMT)

Incorporated under the Associations Incorporation Act 1985

APPLICATION FOR NEW MEMBERSHIP

I, _____
(full name of applicant)

of _____
(address)

(email address)

(phone numbers - optional)

hereby apply to become a member of the above named incorporated Centre.

In the event of my admission as a member, I agree to be bound by the rules of the Centre, including its Statement of Objectives (refer below), for the time being in force.

I acknowledge that De-Tong Ling Retreat Centre does not accept anyone who is a practitioner of Shugden to be a member of the Centre. By signing this application for membership of the Centre, I confirm that I am not a practitioner of Shugden.

As part of my application I enclose my annual membership fee of:

\$75 (Full membership) \$60 (Concession)

Note that the annual membership term begins on 6 July (HHDL's birthday) of each year and ends on 5 July of the following year. The annual renewal date is 6 July.

(signature of applicant)

(date)

Nomination:

I, _____ a member of the Centre,

nominate the applicant, who is personally known to me, for membership of the Centre.

(signature of proposer)

(date)

Second:

I, _____ a member of the Centre,

second the nomination of the applicant for membership of the centre.

(signature of seconder)

(date)

Membership Payment Options *(please nominate)*:

- Direct deposit (the **preferred method**) using these details:
BankSA: Dauncey St, Kingscote BSB: 105-094 Acc No: 030193440
NB In the "description of transaction" field add your surname and the word "membership".
- Cheque / money order made out to: De-Tong Ling Retreat Centre Inc.
Send with completed form to postal address: PO Box 16, Glenside, SA 5065
- Credit card via PayPal on De-Tong Ling's secure website: detongling.org/payments

If you are not sending the completed application form to the postal address, please scan the form and send to the email address: manager@detongling.org

Statement of Objectives of the Centre

De-Tong Ling Retreat Centre Inc. is dedicated to:

- ❖ The transmission of Tibetan Buddhism within a western context through the promotion of study and dissemination of Buddhist teachings, emphasising the teachings of the Gelugpa school of Tibetan Buddhism, and
- ❖ the preservation of Tibetan Buddhist philosophy, psychology, logic, metaphysics, art, sacred dance, crafts and skills, and Tibetan medicine.
- ❖ fulfilling the wishes of the Spiritual Director of the FPMT Inc, Kyabje Thubten Zopa Rinpoche, as set out by the Board of Directors and the International Office of the FPMT.

The Centre is affiliated with the Foundation for the Preservation of the Mahayana Tradition (FPMT Inc.)

- ❖ FPMT Inc. represents an international group of organisations and individuals devoted to the transmission of the Mahayana Buddhist tradition and values worldwide through teaching, meditation and community service.
- ❖ FPMT Inc. and its affiliates, including the Centre, provide integrated education through which people's minds and hearts can be transformed to express their highest potential for the benefit of others, inspired by an attitude of universal responsibility.
- ❖ FPMT Inc. and its affiliates are based on the Buddhist tradition of Lama Tsong Khapa of Tibet, as taught by Lama Thubten Yeshe and Kyabje Thubten Zopa Rinpoche.

Benefits of Membership of the Centre

De-Tong Ling Retreat Centre is an incorporated entity, which means there are various obligations the Centre must fulfill, that include having members, holding AGMs and having the finances independently audited.

In becoming a member you will:

- ❖ join our community of friends and supporters, and formalise your relationship with De-Tong Ling
- ❖ support the vital service of providing retreat facilities to people who want to meditate.
- ❖ enjoy reduced rates for retreats (10% less)
- ❖ receive regular communication about progress at the Centre, upcoming events, teaching/meditation retreats, and work sessions.

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