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Indo-Tibet Relationship Through Ages

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SPEAKER

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Parliament in exile

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About Speaker (Shri Acharya Yeshe Phuntsok)

Shri Acharya Yeshe Phuntsok is former deputy speaker for the 16th Tibetan parliament in exile (TPIE). From 2006 - 2021, he was elected thrice, stretching time in Tibetan parliament in exile representing the Utsang committee. He was executive member of Indo-Tibetan Friendship Association during 1997-2004. Between 2014 and 2015 he took the responsibility in forming the 'Indo-Tibetan friendship association' located in four different places in Himachal Pradesh and since, 2015 until now, he was appointed as the advisor of Indo-Tibet Friendship Association in Dharamshala, Himachal Pradesh. Ministry of Cultural, Govt. of India appointed him as board of governors in Central University of Tibetan Studies, Sarnath Varanasi during 2013-2016. For his entire life, he worked towards strengthening the Tibetan community, promoting human rights, justice and their culture. For his outstanding contribution, he received prestigious award of 'Dr. Shyamaprasad Mookerjee National Excellency Award for Outstanding Public Leadership' by Chanakya Foundation, a non-governmental organisation in Delhi in 2019. He had also appeared in Indian and international news channel describing and highlighting issues related to Tibet and its people in exile.