

Message from His Holiness Karmapa Thaye Dorje about death of Choponla Gyaltzen Lozang

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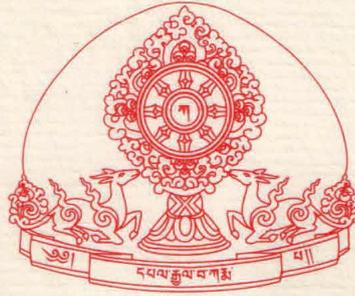
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With prayers His Holiness Karmapa Thaye Dorje

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## The 17th Karmapa Trinley Thaye Dorje

New Delhi, 4th of May 2014

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be the name of the 17th Karmapa, Trinley Thaye Dorje. The signature is stylized and fluid.

The 17<sup>th</sup> Karmapa Trinley Thaye Dorje

