



FOR A BETTER DRUK YUL

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KHAMAED_LUNANA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Set up farm shops in all Gewogs
- Establish food processing plants
- Promote tourism

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Establish Chiwog Schools based on the need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education/training abroad

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every Gewog
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support for farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Provide financial and technical support to establish packaging and processing units, enabling the collectives to add value to their produce.
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy Jersey cows

- Provide subsidized loans for first-time house construction
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time utility vehicle purchase
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000
- Provide 60% discounted fares for helicopter services for highlanders
- Establish Helipad in a need basis in the Gewog to support Helicopter services
- Support Special Financial Incentives to promote entrepreneurship and start-ups that are focused on creating economic opportunities for highland communities
- Establish electricity connectivity to Lunana and Uesana.
- Install Ropeway in feasible remote areas

ROAD

- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required
- Construct roads from Ramina to Rakashung and Sephu To Gencha
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at Gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery.
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide a child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after the second child for 3 years



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KHAR_YURUNG DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu. 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Establish mechanical workshop & spare parts storage in clusters of Gewogs
- Establish food processing plant in each Gewog
- Open farm shops in each Gewog
- Establish Animal feed and fertilizer plant in each Gewog
- Commission of Kuri Gongri Hydro power Project

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis
- These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III Saturday holiday for schools and Review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- One doctor for every Gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Establish one 10 bedded hospital

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Market for farm Produce
- Interest free loan for Jersey cows
- Interest free loans for power tiller and other farm machinery
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000
- Support setting up of milk processing unit for farmers in the gewogs
- Provide quality and free seedlings of cereals for our farmers
- Establish a craft village and craft market in Pemagatshel

ROAD

- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Double lane Pemagatshel to Nganglam Road
- Construct new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Basecourse all farm roads

WATER

- Ensure every household has access to sufficient and clean drinking water by 24/7
- Provide adequate irrigation water

CIVIL SERVICE

- Homeownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on the economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Create jobs for 10,000 youth annually
- Support one youth to study abroad from each household through the provision of soft loans
- Provide vocational skills to youth and upskill the workforce

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Review regulations to ease service delivery
- Reduce data charges by 50%
- Nu. 10,000 per month for every third child born for 3 years



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KHATOED_LAYA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Develop Kolikha Throm area and provide necessary support for construction of houses
- Open Farm Shops in every Gewog
- Set of Nu 20 million Agriculture/livestock projects for cluster of gewogs, on need basis, to enhance production, processing and marketing of farm and livestock produce
- Development of Campsite/tourist site at Wakhuna at Khatoed Gewog

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis. These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III
- Provide lunch to all schools to ensure every child receives at least one balanced meal in a day

HEALTH

- Ensure that all Gewog health centres have one doctor (depending on the resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Provide annual comprehensive health check up, including blood test, endoscopies and ultrasound
- Door-to-door medical service for the elderly and those with disabilities
- Provide traditional medical service at Laya Health Center

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fence

- Subsidized power tiller and other farm machinery
- Financial and technical support to boost Chirub collective farms.
- Construct fuel station for Laya Gewog
- Interest free loans to buy Jersey cows for livestock farmers
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase the Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000
- Support special financial incentives for highlanders
- Helicopter services shall be offered at 60% discounted fare
- Accessibility of electricity to all the winter residential of Yak harder
- Site development work for Gasa Tshachu

ROAD & BRIDGES

- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Stonesoling and base course road from Koina till Construct new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- The responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Chiwog
- Construct/Improve irrigation channels in Khatoed Gewog

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialised ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organisation’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide a child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after the second child for 3 years



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LAMGONG_WANGCHANG DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Increase annual tourist arrivals to 300,000 with 50% being dollar-paying visitors
- Review interest rates in collaboration with Royal Monetary Authority and Financial Institutions
- Provide loan deferment and introduce special loan schemes
- Increase Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) from Nu 43 billion to Nu 500 billion in the next five years

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Designate Chiwog Schools in large Chiwogs with ECCD and classes PP to III
- Upgrade existing schools on need basis
- Facilitate private schools and allow the establishment of international schools

HEALTH

- Provide annual comprehensive health check-ups for all residents
- Ensure that the district hospital has dialysis service facilities One doctor for every Gewog
- Ensure a functional Gewog pool vehicle for the Gewog with adequate funds for its operations
- Ensure that "No one is left behind" and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support for farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Support house construction by relaxing Loan-to-value (LTV) mortgage ratio from 70% to 95% for first time house construction, including the following benefits:

- Reduce housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Maintain housing loan payback period to 30 years - Waive all taxes/royalties on local materials used for house constructions
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000 Allocate sufficient funds for crop and livestock damage caused by natural disasters and predators Every rural household shall continue to receive 100 units of free electricity
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle per family
- Provide 80% interest free loans to buy livestock, power tillers, tractors and other farm machinery. Provide subsidized farm machineries for both hiring and purchase
- Revise regulations to streamline wetland utilization and ease conversion processes as allowed by the Land Act
- Enable private sector, farmers & youth to utilize government land for large-scale agricultural ventures
- Review immigration policies to allow foreign workers in agriculture
- Initiate regular cargo flights for exports, and develop cold storage facilities and warehouses.
- Set up a Nu 20 million agriculture/livestock project in Gewogs
- For families with no other income sources, we will ease the Loan-to-Value (LTV) mortgage requirement, increasing it from 50% to 80% for the initial purchase or replacement of trucks or taxis.
- Develop mini hydro/renewable projects at strategically feasible locations to stimulate local economic growth
- Offer 60% discounted helicopter services for Highland residents
- Every Gewog will be assigned specific land areas for waste disposal

ROADS & BRIDGES

- Resurface Gewog center roads Blacktop major Chiwog roads
- Stone soling/base course all farm roads Construct new farm roads and bridges wherever needed

WATER

- Ensure 24/7 access to safe drinking water for every home
- Construct adequate irrigation channels

CIVIL SERVICE

- Provide home ownership through "Rent to Own" flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR Provide one functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Establish Craft villages to exhibit arts and crafts and as sales outlets in Paro town
- Develop additional parks, gardens, sports and recreational facilities
- Review E4 land policy to enable more build-up space
- Improve and build adequate public amenities

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialised 'Access to Finance' window within the 'Youth Startup Organisation' designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50% Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years



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LHAMOI DZINGKHA_TASHIDING DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Construct Sunkosh Hydropower Project
- Initiate survey and prospecting of any mines and minerals in the region
- Facilitate and streamline export processes at the gateways and airports, ensuring the seamless movement of goods to the international market
- Undertake comprehensive review of all the rules, regulations and processes that impact the conduct of businesses and remove all unnecessary regulatory burdens and process
- Promote international and local tourism in the region
- Develop Lhamoidzingkha and Dagapela as thriving throngs
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs

EDUCATION

- Review and establish central schools as needed
- Establish a Vocational Training Institute in Dagana
- Establish Tashiding and Namchela School as Campus 1 and campus 2 under a Central School Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis. These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III

HEALTH

- Strengthen Bhutan Health Trust Fund and achieve continued and uninterrupted supply of vaccines and essential medicines for all times to come
- One doctor for every Gewog
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Ensure that every Bhutanese resident will be provided with annual comprehensive health checkup, including blood test, endoscopy and ultrasound

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide appropriate machineries for land management and improvement
- Continue to supply free seeds, seedlings and explore improved varieties
- Reliable electricity services, 2 phase to 3 phase
- Allow alternative use of land under one’s thram
- The government will engage directly with other countries to secure necessary certifications for the export of our farm and agricultural products
- Allow trading of areca nuts and other products from Lhamoidzingkha
- Interest free loans for farm equipment and Jersey cows
- Support house construction by relaxing Loan-to-value (LTV) mortgage ratio from 70% to 95% for first time house construction, including the following benefits: Reduce housing loan interest rate to 4%, Maintain housing loan payback period to 30 years, Waive all taxes/royalties on local materials used for house constructions
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of utility vehicles or farm machinery
- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fence
- Enhance Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS & BRIDGES

- Widen Sunkosh-Dagana Highway
- Major improvement of Dagapela-Kalikhola Highway
- Construct Lhamoidzingkha -Sarpang Highway
- Major improvement and alignment of Lhamoidzingkha-Phuentsholing Highway
- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Base Course/Stone soling all the farm roads
- Connect Lodumba-Gangjyab-Bara Ghumti- National Highway

- Connect Samachu and Bara Ghumti
- Build road from Omchu to Karmaling
- Construct new farm roads wherever needed
- Farm road from lower Gangzor to Dagachhu
- Farm road from Banglachhu to Deorali
- Construct bridge to Samachu from Susithang
- Construct bridge to Yarphelling Chiwog
- Major improvement of Nichula GC and Chiwog roads

WATER

- Provide safe, reliable and continuous drinking water for every home
- Provide adequate water for every farm

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide market ready training and skills
- Encourage and train youth to open mechanical and other spare parts shops for cluster of Gewogs
- Provide low interest loans for projects in rural areas
- Facilitate youths to obtain lease land for innovative projects and co-operatives.
- Support one youth from a household to study/work abroad

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50% Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years



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LINGMUKHA_TOEDWANG DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote Punakha as a top tourist destination
- Boost tourism related opportunities along the Trans Bhutan Trail
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all five Gewogs
- Provide special policy, financial and tax incentives to encourage the construction of tourist hotels, restaurants, and village homestays

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog school based on need analysis
- Site development for all schools in the constituency
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- One doctor for every Gewog
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Ensure that every Bhutanese resident will be provided with annual comprehensive health check-up, including blood test, endoscopy and ultrasound

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Establish farmer shop (Sanam Tshongkhong)
- Financial and technical support to Chirub collective farms

- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machinery
- Interest free loan for Jersey cows
- Subsidized loan for first utility vehicle
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000
- Distribution of agriculture-based seeds

ROADS & BRIDGES

- Upgrade and blacktop current motorable road from Khuruthang bridge to Chubu Tshachu Construct farm road and bridge to Kewana village in Teodwang Gewog
- Construct Wolathang motorable bridge
- Blacktop farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct irrigation channels for: Tamidamchu, Thamji, Wangkha, Dhawakha, Jebjokha, Samdingkha, Pama-Yuesakha, Tsephu, Khawajara Village in Teodwang Gewog, Nawakha, Jangwakha, Tembakha, Lorina, Bumtakha, Kebelo, Yebesa and Bhalu village in Chubu Gewog, Tseyekha, Gubji, Tana, Khelekha, Omladama, Mendagang, Lungkha, and Jimthang village in Dzomi Gewog
- Rehabilitate all current irrigation channels in all Chiwogs in Shengana Gewog, Lingmukha, Dompala,
- Nabche, Yumteykha, Lumpa and Gumkarmo village in Lingmukha Gewog
- Construct reservoir water dam (irrigation water) for Yumteykha under Lingmukha Gewog

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Support house construction by relaxing
- Loan-to-value (LTV) mortgage ratio from 70% to 95% for first time house construction, including the following benefits:
 - Reduce housing loan interest rate to 4%
 - Maintain housing loan payback period to 30 years
 - Waive all taxes/royalties on local materials used for house constructions
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation
- Improve Chubu Tsachu for the benefit of people of Bhutan

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years



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MAENBI_TSAENKHAR DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu. 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote tourism in Lhuentse
- Establish food processing plants Open Farm Shops in all Gewogs

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog school based on need analysis
- These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III
- Declare Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC
- Provide boarding facility to Ladrong school
- Provide boarding facility to all students at Gortsum school
- Provide boarding facility to all students at Wambur, Tsochen and Domkhar schools

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Provide door-to-door medical services for elderly citizens and people with disabilities

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence Provide machinery support to develop and improve farm land

- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000
- Develop Autsho township

ROADS & BRIDGES

- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads and blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Maintenance of all roads in gewog Gayzamchu to Autsho bypass Blacktop Takila Zhungkhar farm road Proper maintenance of all farm roads in gewog
- New farm road for Bhushong Blacktop Gortsum Unger farm road and Zhongmay farm road
- Farm road construction to Tsangpho- Dung from three points: Tongtrong, Gortsum and Drukla
- Construct farm road to Nganembee New farm road for Bhushong
- Construct farm road to Nganembee and few others.
- Build new bridges as required Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all chiwogs

- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs
- Construct irrigation channel: Baygangchu via Ngiabi and Takila for upper Tangmachu and Baygangchu via Tungkhar for lower Tangmachu area. Irrigation for Gortsum, Tongtrong and others. Irrigation channel for Wambur and for Nganembee

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Provide financial and technical assistance to promote youth entrepreneurship

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu.10,000 per month for every child born after second child for three years



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MONGGAR DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Conduct feasibility studies for the construction of international airports in the east and south
- Take up Dorjilung Hydropower project
- Increase Rural Life Insurance from 30,000 to 150,000 without increasing the premium
- Open Nganglam gate for Tourist entry and clearing of goods from third country
- Promote Monggar as a favorite tourist destination in the east
- Build helipads on a need basis in the Gewog to support helicopter services
- Set up fuel dispensing depots in Gewogs whenever not available to provide a continuous supply of fuel for vehicles and farm machinery

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- All the schools will be provided with lunch Establish Chiwoig Schools based on the need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- One doctor for every Gewog
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability

- Ensure that every Bhutanese resident will be provided with annual comprehensive health check-up, including blood test, endoscopy and ultrasound

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Provide Interest free loan to buy power tillers, tractors, and other farm machinery Provide Interest free loan to buy Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family and construct cold storage
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS & BRIDGES

- Base course all farms roads in all Chiwoigs Blacktop all farm roads to big chiwoigs Construct new farm roads wherever needed
- Construct bridges at Jakaychu and Rewan Construct a double lane along Nganglam-Gyalpoizhing road

WATER

- Provide safe drinking water to all Chiwoigs and Monggar town
- Construct/repair and maintain Irrigation channels in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on the economic situation
- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

EMPLOYMENT

- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialised ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organisation’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures Youth employment facilitation services Through the youth skilling program, we will equip 60,000 youth with essential skills in various trades and professions that are currently in demand in the job market

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for 3 years Ease the Loan-to-Value mortgage requirement for truck drivers and taxi operators families with no other income sources
- Revive and strengthen the stabilization fund, which will be used to maintain stable fuel prices within the country



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NGANGLAM DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Develop Nganglam as Commercial Hub
- Finalize and initiate town development plan for Nganglam
- Open Rinchening Checkpost, Pelzoomthang, Zalashing, Alabari, Dawami, Tanzema, Satsaloo & Tagdzong
- Identify and develop industrial estates and enterprises
- Explore dolomite mining at Sa Daza/Phurpa Zor/Bratsha Brak and Shingduripa
- Provide support to CSIs
- Establish Railway link from Pathtsala to Nganglam
- Establish Nganglam check point as the international gateway to allow entry and exit of tourists and international visitors
- Promote tourism in all Gewogs

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Declare Saturday holiday for schools in consultation with MOESD Review and replace IWP in consultation with RCSC

HEALTH

- Set up specialist center with operation facilities at Nganglam
- Ensure that all Gewog health centres have one doctor (depending on the resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalise fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fence
- Support terracing and levelling of farmlands to facilitate mechanization of farming practice
- Provide interest free loans to buy power tillers, tractors and Jersey Cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4% Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 1, 50,000
- Establish a Nu 20 million project for each Gewog to encourage agricultural farming
- Establish farm shops in every gewog Support Insurance scheme for crops and cash crops damaged by wild animals & natural disasters

ROADS

- Double lane Nganglam - Gyalposhing Highway
- Stone soling/Base course all the farm roads
- Blacktop all the farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Construct new farm roads Construct suspension bridge at Borkatsang/Nganglam
- Construct reliable bridge for Yangbalashingpa at Kerongri

WATER

- Ensure early completion of Water Flagship program for Nganglam Town New water flagship program for Norbugang PS, BHU, Dratshang, Ningshingborang, Norbugang and Rinchen Zor from Gangraza Water Flagship program for Decheling Gewog to provide 24

- hour water Water Flagship program at Borangmo Construct/Improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs
- Provide sufficient water services to the residents of Nganglam town

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary for civil servants depending on economic situation Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program Review pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20 year service threshold for pension eligibility
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LC through adequate budget and human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Provide financial and technical assistance to promote youth entrepreneurship
- Establish a specialised ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organisation’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures.
- Will facilitate skilful training for unemployed youths

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu.10,000 per month for every child born after the second child for 3 years



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NANONG_SHUMAR DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu. 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Develop Denchi Throm into a thriving urban center
- Promote tourism in Pemagatshel
- Promote domestic tourism in three gewogs
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs
- Explore DPR for domestic airport in Kheri/area

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis
- Declare Saturday holiday for schools in consultation with MOESD
- Review IWP for teachers in consultation with RCSC

HEALTH

- Provide adequate medical staffs and equipment for Pemagatshel District hospital Provide one doctor for every Gewogs
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examination and blood tests, at patient’s home for the elderly and those with disabilities
- Ensure that every Bhutanese resident will be provided with annual comprehensive health check-up, including blood test, endoscopy and ultrasound

ROADS

- Double lane between Pemagatshel and Nganglam National Highway Build road from Gamung/Denchi to Tsalari-Demri Zomsa
- Build road from Dagor to Tsalari-Demri Zomsa
- Improve blacktop GC roads in three gewogs
- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads
- Blacktop all the farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Build new farm roads and bridges/suspension bridges as required Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs
- AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT
- Provide rationalise fencing support of farm land by providing chain-link fence Provision of machinery support for land preparation, planting, harvesting, and water supply
- Support local companies and gypsum truckers engaged in the mining sector
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy Jersey cows
- Provide subsidized loans for first-time house construction
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time utility vehicle purchase

- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on the economic situation
- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise depending on the economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth
- Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after the second child for 3 years



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NORTH THIMPHU THROMDE_KAWANG LINGZHI_NARO_SOE DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu. 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote Thimphu as the top tourist destination
- Boost tourism related opportunities along the Trans Bhutan Trail (TBT)
- Develop Thimphu Throm into a thriving urban center

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- Provide one functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Provide 60% discounted fares for Helicopter services for highlanders
- Build helipads on a need basis in the Gewogs to support helicopter services

HEALTH

- Ensure that all Gewog health centers have one doctor and adequate health staff
- Ensure a functional Gewog pool vehicle for the Gewog with adequate funds for its operations
- Ensure that "No one is left behind" and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability Build a district hospital for Thimphu Dzongkhag

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Establish Chiwog Schools based on the need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

ROADS

- Base course all the farm roads Black top roads to all big Chiwogs Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide Interest free loan to buy power tiller and other farm machinery
- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmers by providing chain-link fence
- Provide Interest free loan to buy jersey cows for livestock farmers
- Support setting up of fertilizer plants Provide subsidized loan for first time house construction
- Provide subsidized loan for first time utility vehicle
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Allocate adequate funds to finance damages to crops and livestock from natural disasters and predators.
- Ensure continuity of 100 units of free electricity for every rural household Undertake export marketing of our farm produce in the region and abroad. Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu.150,000/-

- Establish waste disposal site in every Gewog
- Construct and maintain bridges Enhance Livestock Developmental Programs/Activities

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialised 'Access to Finance' window within the 'Youth Startup Organisation' designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures.

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through "Rent to Own" flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu.10,000 per month for every child born after second child for 3 years
- Develop additional Park, gardens, sports and recreational facilities
- Ensure all roads within thromde are properly maintained
- Review E4 policy to enable more built-up space
- Review taxation policy and regulation for rationalizing taxes on land, property and business income



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NUBI_TANGSIBJI DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Establish Mechanical Workshop & Spare Parts Storage in each gewog
- Establish Food Processing Plant in each Gewog
- Open Farm Shops in each gewog
- Establish Manure and Pesticides Plant in each Gewog
- Expansion and beautification of Trongsa town

HEALTH

- Ensure that all Gewog health centers have one doctor (depending on resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Door to door medical services for senior citizens and disabled people

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

ROAD

- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads and blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities

- The responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport under the Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport
- Construct new farm roads wherever needed

WATER

- Provide drinking water supply in all Chiwog
- Provide Irrigation Channel in all Chiwogs

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Chain Link fencing for all Chiwogs
- Interest Free loan for farm tools equipment and Jersey Cows Subsidized loan for new house construction
- Subsidized loan for purchase of Utility Vehicles
- Enhance Rural Life Insurance from Nu. 30,000 to Nu. 1,50,000 Construction of Footpaths in villages wherever needed
- Market for farm produce
- Leasing of government land to landless people at Kella
- Electrification of paddy fields in some villages under Nubi gewog Financial support for ongoing construction of Chendejee Ihakhang

EMPLOYMENT

- Create job opportunities for all
- Support one youth to study /training abroad from each household

- Support youth entrepreneurship with financial assistance

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Support LG through adequate budget & HR
- Ensure a functional Gewog pool vehicle for the Gewog with adequate funds for its operations

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program Soft Loan for house construction
- Review Pension Policy to do away with 20 years’ service
- Establish a sub-committee of Lhengye Zhungtsho (Cabinet) with working members from relevant agencies to work on regularization of contract employees
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Review regulations to ease service delivery
- Reduce data charges by 50%
- Nu. 10,000 per month for every third child born for 3 years



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NYISHOG_SAEPHU DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Complete Punatsangchu Hydropower Project I & II
- Construct Dangchu Hydropower Project
- Promote Tourism and introduce local pilgrimage and international tourist and farmstays in Dangchu Gewog
- Connecting old Trekking routes from Taphu to Chendenji and Khamdro to Kumbu
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs

HEALTH

- Ensure that all Gewog health centers have one doctor (depending on the resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Ensure that every Bhutanese resident will be provided with annual comprehensive health check-up, including blood test, endoscopy and ultrasound

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Provide lunch to all school to ensure every child receive at least one balance meal in a day
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog school based on the need analysis
- Saturday Holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

ROADS

- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- Blacktop all big Chiwog roads
- Base course all farm roads, construct new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Connect farm roads from Jorana to Razawog
- Connect farm road from Kuenzangling to Khimtsheling
- Construct farm road from Dongkabji to Bealnewli
- Construct farm road from Gyentse to Zizi, Saephu Gewog

WATER

- Complete construction of Phangyul Baychu irrigation channels
- Construct/Maintenance of La-chu irrigation channel Phangyul
- Provide sufficient clean drinking water to all
- Construct irrigation channel of Ganju from Jilichu, Razawog
- Maintenance of Phadingkha Irrigation channel

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fence
- Provide interest free loans to buy Jersey cows
- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machinery
- Provide 80% loan for first time purchase of one utility vehicle per family
- 70-95% loan for first time house construction
- Reduce housing loan interest rate to 4% with payback period of 30 years

- Auction potato and other farm products within Gewog and Dzongkhag
- Construct cold storage facilities
- Institute regular cargo flights
- Set up Nu 20 million processing or production facility in Gewogs
- Leasing of fallow lands
- Increase Rural life insurance to Nu 150,000

CIVIL SERVICE

- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise depending on the economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget and HR
- One functional utility vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher data charges by 50%
- Cash incentive of Nu 10,000 per Month for the third child and above for 3 years
- Improve telecommunication line at Bealdrog and other areas
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PANBANG DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Develop Chamkharchhu Hydropower Project
- Set up Nu 20 million project on agriculture and livestock
Provide business loan at low interest rate 4%
- Open Panbang to tourism from Mangthanguri
- Develop historical and cultural monuments, eco-trails and campsites
- Support home stays
- Support low interest rate loan for tourism development
Support construction of hotels/resorts
- Promote processing and manufacturing units
- Grant fiscal incentives to CSI firms

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis. These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III
- Saturday holiday for schools & Review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- One specialist hospital at Panbang
- Ensure that all 10-bedded hospitals in gewogs are furnished with the necessary equipment and facilities
- One doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence Support terracing and levelling of farmlands Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers and Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family Increase Rural life Insurance to Nu 150,000 Build one Cold storage at a suitable location
- Support research programs for Agur Tree value addition
- Initiate PPP Agur processing factory
- Develop Panbang, Tungkudemba and Pantang Township
- Electrification of Ombyang under Ngangla Establish an electricity sub-station for stable electricity

ROADS

- Connect Panbang - Tarithang - Gelephu with a bypass road via Edi and Zangbi under Phangkhar Gewog
- Farm road to Chorpatang at Chakaptang and Zalagang/Plakang, Migmalam, Korphog, Kuchibi, Yurthey and Juglam under Ngangla Gewog.
- Farm road to Tradijong, Chabgoen and connect to Zangbi
- Goshing - Kaktong (Ngangla)- Dali, Bjoka - Nagor (Monggar) road improvement/construction Barpong-Chabdemba under Bjoka, Zhemgang to Yangbari under Monggar Dzongkhag
- Improvement of alignment of Panbang- Bjoka Gewog road
- Construct Yumdang - Zakapala road
- Black-topping/stone soling, base course: Tashibi,

Pongchola, Kulamti, Mamung chiwogs under Phangkhar Gewog

- Improvement and Black-topping of
- Sonamthang/Thinleygang/Laling road and
- Yumdang under Ngangla Gewog
- Dali, Barpong and Chabdemba under Bjoka Gewog
- Budhashi, Lichibi and Mewanggang under Bjoka Gewog
- Improvement of Panbang- Bjoka Gewog road Build a major bridge over Mangdechhu at Utuguri for Tashibi Chiwog

CIVIL SERVICE

- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
Increase salary for civil servants depending on economic situation Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Provide financial and technical assistance to promote youth entrepreneurship

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for three years
- Ensure full coverage of Telecom network



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PHUENTSHOGLING DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Boost eco-tourism related opportunity in the Gewog
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs
- Review the SDF regulations for tourists in the southern border towns to explore possibility of allowing tourists within the bordering towns without the levy of SDF
- Do away with the system to collect Nu 10 for Bhutanese entering country at the Phuentshogling gate

EDUCATION

- Boarding facility in Pachu School
- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Establish Chiwog Schools based on the need analysis
- Promote Private School

HEALTH

- Ensure that all Gewog health centers have one doctor (depending on resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Ensure that every Bhutanese resident will be provided with annual comprehensive health check-up, including blood test, endoscopy and ultrasound

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Review immigration law and policies to permit foreign workers in the agriculture sector, construction sector

and housemaids to address the crucial issue of labor shortage

- Review taxation policy and regulation to rationalize tax on land, property and business income
- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fence Support terracing and levelling of farmlands
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers and farm machinery
- Provide interest free loan to buy Jersey cows
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time utility vehicle purchase
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROAD

- Connect Lingden with Denchukha Gewog
- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads
- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Responsibility to maintain GC roads will be entrusted to the Department of surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/Improve irrigation channels in all Gewogs
- Reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Chiwog and Phuentshogling Town

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation

- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Provide financial and technical assistance to promote youth entrepreneurship

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- For the birth of the third child and above, a cash incentive of Nu.10,000 per month will be paid for three years
- For first time home/apartment purchase or first house constructions, we will:
 - Support access to loans by Loan-to-value (LTV) mortgage ratio from 70% to 95%. - Reduce interest rate to 4%.
 - Maintain housing loan payback period to 30 years
- 80% loan for first purchase utility vehicle or farm machinery
- Increase Rural life insurance to Nu 150,000



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RADHI_SAGTENG DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote tourism
- Establish food processing plants
- Open animal feed and fertilizer plant in each gewog
- Open farm shops in all gewogs

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog school based on need analysis
- Declare Saturday holiday for schools in consultation with MOESD Review and replace IWP for teachers schools in consultation with RCSC

HEALTH

- One doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence

- Support terracing and levelling of farmlands
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000
- Set up fuel depots in Gewogs
- Build helipads on a need basis in the Gewogs to support helicopter services
- Helicopter services shall be offered at 60% discounted fare

ROADS

- Resurface/improve existing farm roads
- Base course all farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Increase salary for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for 3 years



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PHUENTSHOGPELRI_SAMTSE DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu. 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Open Samtse Integrated Checkpost for foreign tourists
- One agro/forest-based manufacturing/processing unit for big Gewogs
- Promote and support local communities to actively participate in and have ownership of mines and quarries
- Develop Samtse as a Special Economic Zone for manufacturing and export

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Saturday off for schools in consultation with MOESD and RCSC
- Review IWP in consultation with MoESD and RCSC
- Sports facility (artificial turf) for Norbugang Gewog at Tshongdukha

HEALTH

- One doctor for every Gewog
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Establish Samtse hospital as a Regional Referral Hospital

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Excavator service for farmland terracing
- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fence
- Provide interest free loans to buy power tillers, tractors and other farm machineries
- Subsidized and interest free loan for purchase of jersey cows
- Market for farm produce
- Subsidized loan for first house construction
- Subsidized loan for purchase of first utility vehicle

ROADS

- Blacktop roads to all big Chiwogs
- Base course/stone soling all farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Water for every household and every farm
- Permanent drinking water solution for Samtse Throm
- Underground Borewell drinking water for Gomtu Town and Pendenling village

CIVIL SERVICE

- Homeownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program

- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Samtse Throm to be made Thromde ‘A’

EMPLOYMENT

- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialised ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organisation’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures.

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Reduce phone voucher (data charge) by 50%
- Increase Rural Life Insurance from Nu 30,000 to Nu 150,000
- Support allowance of Nu.10,000/-monthly for third child and above for 3 years



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SANGBAYKHA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Develop Haa Throm into a thriving urban centre
- Promote tourism in Haa
- Establish food processing plants
- Establish Farmers' Shops (Sanam Tshongkhang) dedicated to buying agricultural produce at predetermined prices that would be implemented on need basis and in the event of market failures

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog schools based on the need analysis
- Declare Saturday holiday for schools in consultation with MOESD
- Review and replace IWP for teachers in consultation with RCSC

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every Gewog
- Provide door-to-door medical services for elderly citizens and people with disabilities
- Establish at least one 10-bedded hospital in remote areas with large resident population and poor connectivity

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

ROADS

- Improve Haa to Samtse national highway
- Build Dorishow to Sektena road
- Blacktop GC roads in Gakiling and Sangbaykha
- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Base course all farm roads
- Build road connecting Bebji to Sangbaykha GC
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required
- Improve Pajab to Shebji road
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at Gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fence
- Support terracing and levelling of farmlands to facilitate mechanization of farming practice
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Establish Agricultural Center in Sangbaykha Dungkhag to provide agricultural and animal

husbandry support

- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy Jersey cows
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time utility vehicle purchase
- Increase life insurance to Nu 150,000

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialised 'Access to Finance' window within the 'Youth Startup Organization' designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through "Rent to Own" flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu. 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for 3 years



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SERGITHANG_TSIRANGTOED DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs
- Establish and upscale CSIs
- Facilitate the construction of a movie theater in Damphu

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Establish Chiwoig Schools based on the need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC
- Establish a college in Tsirang through Public-Private Partnership model

HEALTH

- Ensure that all Gewog health centers have one doctor (depending on resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Provide dialysis facility at Damphu hospital
- Set up specialist center with operation facility at Damphu hospital

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fence
- Support terracing and levelling of farmlands
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy Jersey cows
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time utility vehicle purchase
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000
- Build helipads on a need basis in the Gewogs to support helicopter services

ROAD

- Blacktop roads to all big Chiwoigs
- Base course/stone soling all farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwoigs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures.

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for 3 years



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TASHICHHOELING DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote Tashicholing as Special Economic Zone
- Expedite Bindukhola Hydropower Project
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs (Sanam Tshongkhang)
- Provide fuel depots in Tendu, Norgaygang, Pemaling Gewogs

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis

HEALTH

- Establish Samtse hospital as a Regional Referral Hospital
- Ensure that all Gewog health centers have one doctor (depending on resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Door-to-door medical services for elderly citizens and people with disabilities

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Expedite land lease, exchange and land conversions of farmland
- Help the farmers to do large scale commercial farming

- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing Chain-link fence
- Continue to developing trenches to address human-wildlife conflict in Peljorling and Singyegang
- Farm and agriculture across the river banks of Jaldaka, Bindu river and Sipsu river
- Provide high yielding seeds and seedlings of Cardamom, Oranges, Ginger and other cash crops
- Make Rural Tashicholing as one of the highest producers of different Cash Crops
- Interest free loan for farm machineries
- Subsidized loans for first house construction
- Provide 80% equity for the purchase of one utility vehicles per family

ROADS

- Widen Norgaygang- Samtse Highway (double lane)
- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads and blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs.
- Construct bridge on Chebju Khola connecting Tashithang
- Build new farm roads for: Bakthung, Dugpey, Betiney, Upper Noryok under Norgaygang Gewog, Bhalukhop to Kachin connectivity, Bakbakay, Bharlaney, Jaldakha river bank, Bindu River Bank, under Tendu Gewog
- Blacktop Belbotay, Tendu and Dzongsar ring road
- Construct new farm roads where ever necessary

WATER

- Provide irrigation channels in all the villages
- Provide 24/7 clean drinking water supply to each household

EMPLOYMENT

- Employment for all
- Support for one youth per family for Education or Training abroad
- Encourage youths for entrepreneurship

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Establish a sub-committee of Lhengye Zhungtsho (Cabinet) with working members from relevant agencies to work on regularization of contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Review and amend laws and policies for efficient service delivery
- Increase rural life Insurance to Nu 150,000
- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years



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UGYENTSE_YOESELTSE DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Open farm shop in each Gewog
- Establish a food processing plant in each Gewog
- Review taxation policy and regulations to rationalize tax on land, property and business income
- Construction of helipad in Yoeseltse Gewog

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog Schools based on the need analysis
- Establish an ECCD center for every Gewog, wherever necessary
- Pick and drop transport service for day scholars, wherever necessary
- Strengthen NFE facilities
- Holiday on Saturday and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Ensure that all 10-bedded hospitals in Gewogs are furnished with the necessary equipment and facilities to conduct minor surgical procedures, X-rays, ultrasounds, as well as comprehensive laboratory capabilities for essential tests including blood, blood sugar, stool, urine, renal, and liver function assessments
- Ensure that all Gewog health centers have one doctor (depending on resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Door-to-door medical services for senior citizens and people with disabilities Annual health checkup for every

person

- Ensure a functional Gewog pool vehicle for the Gewog with adequate funds for its operation

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Reliable electricity supply, 2 phase to 3 phase
- Provide rationalise fencing support of farm land by providing chain-link fence
- Subsidized loan for new house construction (4%, 30 years)
- 80% loan for purchase of utility vehicle
- Interest free loan for farm tools machinery and Jersey cow
- Provide free agriculture land development
- Explore market for farm products and cash crops
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 1,50,000
- Expedite leasing of government lands, exchange and land conversion of farmlands to facilitate large scale commercial farming

ROAD

- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads and blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Responsibility for maintenance of all roads in the Gewog will be handed over to the Department of Surface Transport
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities.
- Construct bridges wherever needed
- Construct Gittikhola river bank protection wall
- Construct river bank protection wall at Khamzaling

WATER

- Provide adequate drinking water and Irrigation water in all Chiwogs

- Rainwater harvesting at Basikhel (Ugyentse Gewog)

EMPLOYMENT

- Create jobs for all
- Support women and youth entrepreneurs
- Support one youth to study abroad from each household

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through 'Rent to Own' flagship program
- Support house construction by relaxing Loan-to-value (LTV) mortgage ratio from 70% to 95% for first time house construction, including the following benefits: Reduce housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Review pension policy to eliminate requirement for 20-year service for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on the economic situation

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Enhance public service delivery and fix accountability
- No approval is needed for rural house construction and cutting down trees on your land
- Reduce data charges by 50%
- Provide stable mobile network in all Chiwogs
- Allow movement through the border gate at Ugyentse-Yoeseltse on Sunday
- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years



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ATHANG_THEDTSHO DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Reclaim responsible tourism and boost tourism related opportunities in Wangdue
- Undertake development of Dagachu Hydropower Project
- Develop Bajo Throm into a thriving urban center
- Review taxation policy and regulations to rationalise tax on land, property and business income

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools base on need
- Establish Chiwog Schools based on need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Set up specialist centers with operation facilities in Wangduephodrang Hospital with six general specialists
- Ensure all Gewog health centers have one doctor and adequate health staff

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels - Hatsho Thapchu, Yula Pangzo Yula, Gabachu to Pinsa, Wokha chu to Jimishung and Wopokha, Habesa, Rinchengang, Matolungchu, Thangu and Wongshokha
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs and Bajo Throm

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence

- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers, tractors and other farm machinery
- Provide interest free loans to buy Jersey cows
- Support setting up of fertilizer plants
- Enable home ownership on priority by reducing interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Allocate adequate funds to finance damages to crops and livestock from natural disasters and predators
- Ensure continuity of 100 units of free electricity for every rural household
- Undertake export marketing of our farm produce in the region and abroad
- Increase rural life insurance payment for death from Nu 30,000 to Nu 150,000

ROADS

- Initiate secondary road network for clusters of gewogs to promote better connectivity
- Maintain Bhimthankha to Masikha Road as Gewog center road
- Base course all the farm roads
- Blacktop roads to all big chiwogs
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport
- Construct new farm roads & bridges wherever needed, upgrade Dangchu bridge

- Rubesa and construct Panza Zam Yula Rubesa

EMPLOYMENT

- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through "Rent to Own" flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- Provide one functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child till 3 years
- For the family with no other income sources, we will ease the Loan-to-value (LTV) mortgage requirement, increasing it from 50% to 80% for initial purchase or replacement of trucks or taxis
- Increase convenient taxi parking in urban areas
- Revive and strengthen the stabilization fund, which will be used amongst others, to maintain stable fuel prices within the country



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BARDO_TRONG DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Conduct feasibility studies for airports to boost tourism in the region
- Undertake the development of Chamkharchu Hydropower project
- Agro/forestry/livestock product Processing plant at every Gewog
- Setup fuel dispensing depots in Gewogs wherever not available
- Establish Sanam Tshongkhangs in every Gewog

EDUCATION

- Review and establish central schools as needed
- Establish Chiweg schools based on the need analysis
- Roll out saturday holiday for schools and review IWP
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiweg School based on the need analysis. These Chiweg schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III

HEALTH

- Provide One doctor for every Gewog health centre
- Provide Door-to-door medical services for elderly citizen and people with disabilities
- Provide cash incentive of Nu 10,000 per month for every third child until the child is 3 years old

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Reliable electricity supply (2 phase to 3 phase)
- Provide rationalise fencing support of farm land by providing chain-link fence
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loans to buy Jersey cows
- Provide subsidized loan for first time house construction
- Provide subsidized loan for first time utility vehicle purchase
- Increase Rural life insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS

- Blacktop roads to all Chiwogs
- Base course all farm roads
- Build road from Shingkharch Gewog to Bumthang
- Build road from Bardo Gewog to Monggar
- Double lane road from Gelegphu to Trongsa via Zhemgang
- Improve road condition from Dakpai to Buli, Nimzhong, Therang
- Improve road condition from Tingtibe to Rindebe
- Build road from Tshaidang zampa to Tshaidang school and Dunmang to Digala
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

EMPLOYMENT

- Promote establishment Mechanical Workshop & spare parts shop run by youth for clusters of Gewogs (Therang and Buli)
- Support one youth (with concessionary tuition for first semester) from a household where no one has gone abroad for study/work
- Establish a VTI at Tama
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youths

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Entust maintenance of all roads at Gewog level to the Department of surface Transport
- Provide One functional utility vehicle for every Gewog

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Improve public service delivery and build accountability mechanisms
- Enable Home Ownership scheme for all civil servants, corporate employees, and private sector employees
- Review Pension Policy to do away with 20 years service
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances
- Double the salaries of Gyelyong Laymi and give priority to an admission of their children in government schools
- Facilitate wetlands conversion, no approval for rural houses or cutting down trees on private land
- Reduce data charges by 50%



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BARTSHAM_SHONGPHU DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Construct Gamri Hydropower Project
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs
- Provide financial and tax incentives to support the construction of hotels, restaurants, village homestays
- Conduct feasibility studies for airports in the east and south, capable of serving Airbus aircraft to boost tourism in the region
- Expand and modernize Yonphula airport
- Set up Cold Storage Facilities and warehouses in Trashigang Dzongkhag
- Set up an auction yard for agricultural produce in Trashigang Dzongkhag
- Stop tax on the sale of farm produce

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Market for farm produce
- Undertake strategic export marketing of our products and services through rigorous marketing, linkages and establishing of sale outlets in the region and abroad
- Support Chirub Collective Farms
- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machinery
- Interest free loan for Jersey Cows
- Enable home ownership on priority by reducing interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000
- Continue providing 100 units of free electricity in rural areas
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Wetland conversion to more profitable land use
- Compensation for crop damage caused by wildlife and natural disasters

EDUCATION

- Central School for Gongthong and Bidung
- Chiwog Schools with lunch facilities and ECCD
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- One doctor for every Gewog depending on resident population
- Annual health check up for every citizen
- Health check up and service delivery at home for elderly and disabled citizens
- Start dialysis services at Trashigang Hospital
- Specialist center to be established at Riserboo

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide machinery to increase the paddy terraces and sloppy dryland

ROADS

- Double lane Trashigang to Rangjung road
- Resurface Riju to Bartsham GC Road with improvement of box drain to L drain
- Resurface Rangjung to Bidung GC road with drainage improvement
- Resurface Rangjung to Changmi GC road with drainage improvement
- Resurface Chazam to Yangneer GC road with drainage improvement
- Blacktop farm road to Shongphu/Chaling
- Blacktop farm road to Galing Chiwog Blacktop 8km road between Bidung and Bartsham

- Blacktop 2km Yangneer road junction to Gongthong
- All farm roads to be improved with GSB and proper drainage
- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Reliable safe drinking water for every household
- Provide adequate irrigation water

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through "Rent to Own" flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on the economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized 'Access to Finance' window within the 'Youth Startup Organization' to offer concessional loans to youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures
- Support youth to set up an automobile workshop and spare parts shop to service boleros and power tillers per gewog

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child till 3 years



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BJI_KAR-TSHOG_UESU DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Set up a Nu 20 million agriculture or livestock project for a cluster of Gewogs based on need assessment to enhance production, processing and marketing of farm and livestock produce
- Open farm shops in all gewogs
- Develop Haa Throm into a thriving urban center
- Promote Haa as a top tourist destination
- Boost tourism related opportunities along the Trans Bhutan Trail, Haa Panorama Hiking Trail, Nup Tshonopata Trail, Meri Phuensum Trail

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central schools in Gewogs as needed
- Establish class PP to III school in large Chiwog as needed
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Upgrade health services and provide adequate doctor and nurses in Haa hospital
- One doctor for every Gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Market for farm produce
- Provide financial and technical support to establish packaging and processing units
- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machineries
- Interest free loan for Jersey cows
- Enable home ownership on priority by reducing interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS

- Blacktop roads in all big Chiwogs
- Base course all farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed (bailley bridge: 2 in Uesu, 1 in Kar-Tshog, 2 in Bji and one rope bridge in Bji and wherever needed)
- Responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Homeownership through the “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years



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BONGO_CHAPCHHA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Establish food processing plants
- Establish animal feed and fertilizer plants in all gewogs
- Open farm shops in all gewogs
- Develop Bunakha Reservoir Hydro Project
- Promote tourism in the Dzongkhag
- Support CSI businesses

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Establish Chiwog Schools based on need analysis
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

ROADS

- Construct new farm road (Dagna - Getana - Bongo Gedu, Dagala - Bjagchhog Gewog; Pasa-Amay Nay to Darla Gewog, Bongo Phasooma - Darla Gewog,

- Construct new bridge (Arekha, Aoulum, Aotsay Lum, Bongo-Junglay, Darla Dangray Bu)
- Base course all farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all gewogs

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Support terracing and levelling of farmlands
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000
- Build helipads on a need basis in the Gewogs to support helicopter services

CIVIL SERVICE

- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program

- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Increase salary for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for 3 years



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BOOMDELING_JAMKHAR DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu.15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote Chorten Kora as historical site and cultural hub for local pilgrimage and foreign tourist; and Boomdeling for black neck crane and birding attractions
- Expedite the completion of Kholongchu Hydropower project on priority, which has been stalled for several years
- One agro/forest-based manufacturing/processing unit

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that "No one is left behind" and provide health services, including medical examination and blood test, at patients' home for elderly and those with disabilities
- Ensure that every district hospital has dialysis service facilities
- Promote e-consultation services

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all
- Provide special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

- Salary raise depending on the economic situation

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis. These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

ROADS

- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads and blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- Construct new farm roads wherever needed The responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport under Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport

WATER

- Construction of new Irrigation channel for new wetland terracing in Jamkhar.
- Renovation of irrigation channel (Lungdichu to Lhawzhing via menchu redangchan pang)
- Irrigation to Bimkhar to Rigney
- New construction and renovation of all irrigation in all Gewogs
- Reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs and Yangtse Throm

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Support terracing and leveling of farmlands to facilitate mechanization of farming practices
- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Review immigration laws and policies to permit foreign workers in the agriculture sector to address the critical issue of farm labor shortage
- Subsidized and interest free loan for power tillers and other farm machinery and jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000
- The market for farm produce

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through "Rent to Own" flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional utility vehicle for every Gewog
- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (datacharge) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for three years



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CHHUMIG_URA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Establish mechanical workshop & spare parts storage in clusters of Gewogs
- Establish food processing plant in each Gewog
- Open farm shops in each Gewog
- Support setting up of animal feed and fertilizer plant in each Gewog

EDUCATION

- Establish central schools for cluster Gewogs on need basis
- Large chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on need analysis. These chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III

HEALTH

- One Doctor for every Gewog Depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence

- Provide interest free loans to buy farm machinery and Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS

- Blacktop all big Chiwog roads
- Construct Dzongkhag Connectivity Road from Ura to Kheng Shingkhag and Chhumig to Kheng Shingkhag
- Base course all farm roads
- Construct new farm Roads in Zu Nge Chiwog, Domkhar Chiwog, Tangsibi Chiwog and Pangkhar Chiwog
- Construct bridges and new farm roads wherever needed

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Construct Irrigation channels in four Chiwogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction

- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Create jobs for 10,000 youth annually
- Focus on employment in digital sector
- Support one youth to study abroad from each household through provision of soft loans
- Provide vocational skills to youth and upskill workforce

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Review regulations to ease service delivery
- Reduce data charges by 50%
- Nu 10,000 per month for every third child born for three years



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CHHOEKHOR_TANG DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Establish food processing plants
- Open Farm Shops in all Gewogs
- Expand and modernize Bathpalathang Airport
- Promote Bumthang as a top tourism destination

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as on need basis
- Establish Chiwog Schools based on need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every Gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Improve & provide adequate health facilities at Wangdicholing Hospital

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Provide machinery support to develop and improve farm land

- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers and other machinery
- Provide interest free loan to buy jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000
- Build helipads on need basis in the Gewogs to support helicopter services

ROADS

- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Set up fuel dispensing depots in Gewogs
- Base course/stone soling of all the farm roads
- Blacktop all farm roads to big chiwogs
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation
- Develop Bumthang Throm

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for three years



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DEWATHANG_GOMDAR DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs
- Promote Samdrup Jongkhar as a tourist destination
- Facilitate regional tourists to visit until Dewathang
- Establish railway connectivity at Samdrup Jongkhar
- Expedite Ngera-Amari Hydropower Project
- Build river bank protection walls for residents of Gomdar Tshangchilo, Phuntshothang town and downstream settlements
- Establish industrial estate at old Bangtar and Phuntshothang

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Establish Chiwog Schools based on need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Support terracing and levelling of farmlands to facilitate mechanization of farming practices
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers and Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS

- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Set up fuel dispensing depots in Gewogs
- Base course all the farm roads
- Blacktop all farm roads to big chiwogs
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs
- Re-connect internal water pipelines for Samdrup Jongkhar Thromde

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for 3 years
- Conduct feasibility studies for airports in the east and south, capable of servicing Airbus aircraft to boost tourism in these regions



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DOKAR_SHARPA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Develop eco-tourism for Nagya and Dokar Gewog
- Set up agriculture marketing centers
- Set up cold storage/warehouse at Jamji
- Develop satellite towns in every two Gewog
- Improve Bondey satellite town

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog school based on need analysis
- Roll out Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MoESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Set up agricultural products marketing center
- Undertake strategic export marketing of

our products and services through rigorous marketing, linkages and establishing of sale outlets in the region and abroad

- Financial and technical support to boost Chirub Collective Farms
- Interest free loan for power tiller, farm machineries and Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS

- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwog
- Base course all the farm roads
- Connect Drugyeydingkha to Shaba Gewog
- Build new farm roads where ever necessary

WATER

- Improve drinking water in all four Gewogs
- Drinking water specific project for Shab Shinkana, Dzongdrakha and Dokar
- Construct water reservoirs for all four Gewogs

CIVIL SERVANTS

- Provide home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program

- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Create job opportunities for all
- For every household create opportunities to give further studies/training abroad to one member of the family
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Revisit and revive the existing one window system for all the services
- Mobile data charges to be reduced by 50%
- Provide Nu 10,000 incentives for every third child per month for 3 years



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DOPHUCHEN_TADING DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Establish Food Processing Plant in each Gewog
- Open Farm Shop in each Gewog (Sanam Tshongkhang)
- Establish Animal Feed and Fertilizer plant in each Gewog
- Promote and support export businesses and Import-substitution enterprises
- Promote and support domestic manufacturing enterprise
- Set up a Nu 20 million agriculture or livestock project for cluster of Gewogs
- Taxation policy and regulations shall be reviewed to rationalize tax on land, property and business income
- Initiate mass tea or coffee plantation with processing factories
- Promote and support local communities to actively participate in and have ownership of mines and quarries, ensuring that the benefits of mining are shared equitably
- Open borders and establish exit and entry point for tourists in Samtse

EDUCATION

- Establish Central school facilities in all Gewogs
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis. These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III

HEALTH

- Ensure that all Gewog health centres have one doctor (depending on the resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Ensure a functional Gewog pool vehicle for the Gewog with adequate funds for its operations
- Ensure that "No one is left behind" and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Support terracing and levelling of farmlands
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy Jersey cows
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time utility vehicle purchase
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000
- Build helipads on a need basis in Gewogs to support helicopter services
- Build Public Ground in every gewog and other recreational facilities

ROADS & BRIDGES

- Initiate double lane for Samtse-Dophuchen-Haa Secondary National Highway
- Initiate inter-Dzongkhag connectivity from Damjee, Denchukha Gewog, Samtse Dzongkhag to Phuentsholing Gewog, Chukha Dzongkhag
- Initiate inter-Dzongkhag connectivity from Pungthra, Denchukha Gewog to Tergola, Haa dzongkhag via Segtena
- Initiate inter-Dzongkhag connectivity from Gibjee, Dumtse Gewog Samtse Dzongkhag to Gakiling Gewog under Haa dzongkhag
- Initiate the Inter-Gewog connectivity from Lower Somlachen, Dophuchen Gewog to Sanu Dumtse, Dumtse Gewog
- Initiate the construction of new farm road at Howrikhola, Khamaibangzang, Thotney, Ningulakha, Sidim under Tading Gewog and Gairigoan to Hindu Mandir under Dumtse Gewog, wherever required
- Initiate construction of inter-chiwog connectivity road and

connect the farm road to GC road and National Secondary Highway Road

- Provide soling and basecourse to all the farm road with permanent structure including drain, hume pipe, causeway, culvert and retaining wall, etc.
- Blacktop all the big chiwog farm roads
- Initiate the construction of bridge at Tading-Tenpaling FR, Norjangsa-II, Thotney FR and Nindulakha FR, Somlachen to Sanu Dumtse FR, etc where ever required

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all Chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through "Rent to Own" flagship program
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized 'Access to Finance' window within the 'Youth Startup Organization' designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for 3 years



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DRAAGTENG_LANGTHIL DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote tourism in Trongsa
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Provide door-to-door medical services for elderly citizens and people with disabilities
- Ensure that every district hospital has dialysis service facilities

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis. These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

WATER

- Ensure that every household has access to safe drinking water 24/7, with convenient access points within their homes

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all chiwogs

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Provide machinery support to develop and improve farm land
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers
- Provide interest free loan to buy jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the

requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility

- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Provide financial and technical assistance to promote youth entrepreneurship

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for three years



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DRAMEDTSE_NGATSHANG DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote Aja Ney for local pilgrimage and foreign tourists
- Establish agro and forest-based processing plants
- Open farm shops and fuel dispensing depots in all Gewogs
- Initiate Sherichhu Mini Hydropower Project
- Initiate Gongri Hydropower Project
- Establish Jerichhu-Gongri Integrated Pump Storage

EDUCATION

- Central school for Chagsakhar, Dramedtse, and Yadhi
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- One doctor for every gewog depending resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Market for farm produce

- Support terracing and leveling of farmlands to facilitate mechanization of farming practices
- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machineries and Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS

- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- Blacktop farm roads to all big Chiwogs
- Base-course all farm roads
- Construct new farm roads and bridges whenever necessary
- Blacktop Chagsakhar Gewog Center-Pahadrang road
- Blacktop Dramedtse-Balam road
- Blacktop Dramedtse-Narang road
- Blacktop Sangachoeling Goenpa road, Ngatshang Gewog
- Construction of Sherichhu to Kuri-Gongri Zomsa Bypass Road
- Responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in 7 Gewogs
- Provide safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Revise salary for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Revise salary depending on the economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Efficient service delivery by streamlining and improving regulations
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for three years



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DRUKJEYGANG_TSEZA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Development of facilities for promotion of tourism in Dagana
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central schools as needed
- Saturday holiday for schools in consultation with MOESD
- Review IWP in consultation with RCSC

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure a functional Gewog pool vehicle for the Gewog with adequate funds for its operations
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Undertake strategic export marketing of our products and services through rigorous marketing, linkages and establishing of sale outlets in the region

and abroad

- Financial and technical support to boost Chirub Collective Farms
- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machineries
- Interest free loan for jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000

ROADS

- Widen and blacktop Peling to Kamichu (Dagana- Wangdi) road
- 35Km road from Laja Gewog - Taksha Sili (Connecting Dagana- Wangdue from South)
- About 25km from road connecting Gewog, Chiwogs and Villages
- One bailey bridge over Sunkosh, connecting Tsangkha, Dagana to Sirutar (Tsirang - Wangdue) highway
- Base course all farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construction of more than 100kms irrigation channels in all 7 Gewogs

- Revive and protect water sources and lakes
- Reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVANTS

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/ family for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

PUBLIC SERVICES

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for three years



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WAMRONG DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Detail Project Report and start Gongri-Jerichu Pump Storage Hydropower Project
- Promote eco-cultural tourism
- Develop trail to Dangling Tsho
- Develop Bephu-Kharungla for birding attractions
- Cultural tour to Nye, Ihakhangs, local festivals
- One agro/forest-based manufacturing/processing unit

EDUCATION

- One Central School each under Khaling and Lumang Gewogs
- Provide Central School facilities to Jeri, Barshong, Brekha, Tshogonpa, Moshi, Lumang, Wamrong, Kurchillo, Dungmanmo Primary Schools, Khaling MSS, Muenselling Institute at Khaling
- Open Chiwoog School at Bayphu (ECCD to Class PP to III) and one ECCD on a need basis
- Improve sports ground at Jigme Sherubling Central School, Khaling MSS and Tashitse High School
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSE

HEALTH

- Upgrade Riserboo Hospital to Specialist Center equipped with operation facility and 4-5 specialist doctors
- One doctor for every Gewog
- Door-to-door medical services for elderly citizens and people with disabilities

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Excavator service for farmland terracing

- Provide rationalise fencing support of farm land by providing chain-link fence
- Subsidized and interest free loan for power tillers and other farm machineries and Jersey cows
- Market for farm produce
- Subsidized loan for first house construction
- Subsidized loan for first utility vehicle
- Open fuel and gas supply station at Khaling gewog
- Construction/improvement of paved footpaths in the villages

ROAD

- Improvement and resurfacing of following Gewog Center roads (Riserboo - Kurchillo GC road, Kharungla-Phochu road (part of Kangpar GC), Janglacamp - Phekpari road (part of Thrimshing GC)
- Provide basecourse, lined drains and Blacktop following big chiwoog roads - Jerichu-Kholdung-Gomchu road, Khaling GC - Gonpa road, Bashong-eri - Lemi road, Brekha Gonpa- Meringzor-Manichello road, Lumang - Dungmanmo- Chengri-Sayou Road, Tshozor - Kheshin-Riserboo Road, Zuk pola-Karphu road, Khospu- Moshi-Benangwong road
- Improve and blacktop access road to all schools and institutions connected to national highway, GC road and big chiwoog roads
- GSB/improvement/drain for all existing farm roads and construction of Mochu Bridge (Brekha Chiwoog) and Jerichu Bridge at Pokpung (Khaling chiwoog)
- Construction 100 Km new farm roads and bridges (Rashung - Thripang - Gonpa Farm road, Daksa Farm road, Chema Farm road, Leza farm road, Dregen-Meringzor Farm road, Chengri - Nanong Farm Road, Tsangpo- Pangzam road, Kheriwong farm road, Jabka Gonpa farm road, Omshari farm road)

- Feasibility study of following new connectivity roads and start construction (Lemi - Drupkhang road, Cheakha - Lesa - Tshatsi road, Dungmanmo-Drupkhang road, Tsangpo - Pangzam road, Kheshing - Unmang road)

WATER

- Safe drinking water for every household and irrigation water for every farm
- Revival of Dangling Tsho - catchment protection and conservation to address drying of lake water

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through "Rent to Own" flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Regularise all contract employees
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Provide support to establish home stay and eco-lodge to interested homeowners to promote eco-tourism
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charge) by 50%
- Increase Rural life insurance to Nu 150,000
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years
- Continue providing 100-unit free



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THRIMSHING DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu. 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote Chenla Ney for local pilgrimage and foreign tourists and Bephu-Kharungla for birding attractions
- Establish one agro/forest-based manufacturing/processing unit
- Start Gangri mini Hydropower Project

EDUCATION

- Central School facilities to Kangpar, Tsangpo and Phepari Primary School
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog school based on the need analysis
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- One doctor for every Gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Support terracing and levelling of farmlands
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farm lands by providing chain link fence
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers, tractors, other farm machinery and Jersey cows
- Market for farm produce
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%

ROAD

- Blacktop 12 km farm road from Kangpar Gewog Center to Tsanarpey
- Road extension from Tsanarpey to Sangshing Woong
- GSB/improvement/drain for 30 km farm road
- GSB/improvement of 55 km farm road
- New connectivity road from Threphu/Zordung to Lamaigonpa
- Five Bailey bridges
- Explore road connectivity to Lauri

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Homeownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program

- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on the economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on the economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Jobs opportunities for all
- Support one youth to study abroad from each household through the provision of soft loans
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Reduce phone voucher (data charge) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for three years
- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery



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KHAMDANG_RAMJAR DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote tourism in Trashig Yangtse
- Promote domestic tourism
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs
- Continue development of Kholongchu Project

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Establish Chiwog Schools based on need analysis
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence

- Provision of machinery support for land preparation, planting, harvesting, and water supply
- Establish and support Chirub Collective Farms for youth
- Provide interest free loan to buy power tillers and Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROAD

- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwog
- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges as required
- Entrust maintenance of all roads at gewog levels to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Construct/improve irrigation channels in all chiwogs
- Provide reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs

CIVIL SERVICE

- Increase salary depending on economic situation
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for three years



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KENKCHAR_WERINGLA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote Monggar as a top tourist destination
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central schools as needed
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Ensure that all gewog centres have one doctor (depending on the residing population) and adequate health staff, including one female health staff
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examination and blood tests, at patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support for farmlands by providing chain-link fencing
- Market for farm produce
- Outlets for farm produce along the highway
- Provide financial and technical support to establish packaging and processing units, enabling the collectives to add value to their produce
- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machinery
- Interest free loan for Jersey cows
- Support house construction by relaxing Loan-to-value (LTV) mortgage ratio from 70% to 95% for first time house construction, including the following benefits:
- Reduce housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Maintain housing loan payback period to 30 years

- Waive all taxes/royalties on local materials used for house constructions
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROAD

- Build Manas Bridge connecting Telung village of Pemagatshel, Yangbari village of Mongar and Bjoka village of Zhemgang Dzongkhag
- Construct new farm road between Yangbari to Bjoka, Edi to Dengkaling, Dagsa to Yangbari, Midan to Banabangla villages
- Construction of Yangbari - Bagla river Bridge, Dagsa-Pam bridge, Pam- kurigongri bridge
- Blacktop Weringla Dagsa
- Build two Bridges between Thangbrang and Wama
- Farm road realignment to Gelgong Chiwog from Weringla highway
- Construct Resa stream bridge and Nangabi river bridge
- Construct 1km farm road to Warongla mountain base and Resa Washogpa farm road
- Build Mangling Drokser Road
- Construct suspension Bridge between Jangdung and Pangsabi/Karbi
- Construct 2km Nanari to Chinchahari Gewog road connectivity of Jurmey and Kengkhar Gewog
- Build farm road from Shajula to Ngamphu, Magola road realignment to Nanari, Nanari farm road to Pinphu, Tongla to Tongkangla Village
- Complete Jurmey and Kurigongri on-going road construction
- Blacktop Jurmey Gewog road to Kuri-Gongri highway
- Base course all farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed

- Responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Develop irrigation channel to Gortongla paddy fields
- Irrigation channel and drinking water supply for Msangdaza, Tszanabi village
- Drinking water supply of Nanari Chiwog
- Drinking water supply to all villages of Jurmey Gewog
- Reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs
- Additional source connection for Silambi

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, Transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years.



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KABISA_TALOG DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Promote Punakha as a top tourist destination
- Boost tourism related opportunities along the Trans Bhutan Trail
- Establish food processing plants
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs (Sanam Tshongkhong)
- Develop Khuruthang Throm into a thriving urban centre

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Boarding facility for Goenshari school
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Ensure that all gewog centres have one doctor (depending on the residing population) and adequate health staff, including one female health staff
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examination and blood tests, at patient's homes for the elderly and those with disability
- Ensure that every district hospital has dialysis service facilities

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fencing

- Market for farm produce
- Outlets for farm produce along the high way
- Financial and technical support to boost Chirub collective farms
- Provide financial and technical support to establish packaging and processing units, enabling the collectives to add value to their produce
- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machineries
- Interest free loan for jersey cows
- Subsidized loan for first house construction
- Provide 80% equity for the purchase of one utility vehicles per family
- Increase Rural Life Insurance to Nu 150,000

ROAD

- Base course all farm roads
- Build new farm roads and bridges wherever needed
- Responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities

WATER

- Expediate commission of Lekotsamo Water Project within 3 months to address acute drinking water crisis in 10 chiwogs of Talo and Guma Gewogs
- Construct/improve irrigation channels in Guma, Talo, Kabisa, Barp, Toeb and Goen Gewogs
- Reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs and Khuruthang Throm

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & human resources
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years.



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JOMOTSANGKHA_MARTSHALA DEMKHONG PLEDGES

ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic Stimulus plan
- Undertake Nyera Amari Hydropower Project
- Undertake Jomori Hydropower Project
- Explore opening new trade routes via Samrang and Jomotsangkha
- Build helipads on a need basis in the Gewogs to support helicopter services
- Support house construction by relaxing Loan-to-value (LTV) mortgage ratio from 70% to 95% for first time house construction
- Reduce housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Maintain housing loan payback period to 30 years
- Waive all taxes/royalties on materials used for house construction
- Open borders and establish exit and entry points for tourists in the following border towns: Jomotsangkha & Samdrup Jongkhar
- Develop nature & culture based tourism products, homestays, and hiking & trekking trails etc. to attract tourists

EDUCATION

- Establish Central Schools as needed
- Establish one school in every Chiweg designated as a Chiweg school
- All the Chiweg schools will be provided with at least lunch at schools
- Strengthen Non-formal education facilities
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- One doctor for every Gewog with adequate staff
- Ensure that every Bhutanese resident will be provided with

an annual comprehensive health checkup, including blood tests, endoscopy and ultrasound

- Revamp public health activities through promotion of health and prevention of diseases
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Support terracing and leveling of farmlands
- Provide rationalised fencing support for farmlands by providing chain-link fence
- Review immigration laws and policies to permit foreign workers in the agriculture sector to address the critical issue of farm labor shortage
- Provide interest free loans to buy farm machineries/tools
- Set up a Nu 20 million agriculture or livestock project for a cluster of Gewogs
- Ensure every village has access to stable mobile network connections
- Every household will continue to enjoy 100 units of free electricity
- Upgrade 2-phase to 3-phase connections to ensure uninterrupted power supply
- Recognize and support the celebration of unique festivals
- Support initiatives that will help preserve and promote the native language, arts and crafts

ROAD

- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- Base course all the farm roads and blacktop all farm roads to big chiwogs
- Construct new farm roads wherever needed

- Construct Lauri-Merak road to connect the two Gewogs/ Dzongkhags
- Construct bridges wherever needed
- Responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport

WATER

- Reliable safe drinking water for every household in all Gewogs
- Sustained and adequate irrigation water supply

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para- regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, transfer allowances

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 monthly for 3 years.



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GELEGPU DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic Stimulus plan
- Develop Cottage and Small Industries
- Open International Gate
- Promote Tourism (Eco, Cultural, Trekking etc.)
- Establish Workshops, Agro-Industries, Fuel Depots etc.

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools for each Gewog on a need basis Provide nutritious lunch to all schools
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis.
- These Chiwog schools will have one ECCD and classes from PP to III

HEALTH

- Establish Mother and Child Hospital at Gelephu CRRH Complex
- Provide one doctor for every Gewog
- Provide door-to-door medical services for elderly citizens and people with disabilities

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support for

farmlands by providing chain-link fence

- Interest free loan for purchase of power tillers and Jersey cows
- Market chain for local products
- Reduction of housing loan interest to 4% with payback period of 30 years
- Compensation for damage by wildlife and natural disasters
- Increase Rural Life insurance to Nu 150,000

ROAD

- Base course all farm roads
- Blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Flood/river bank protection
- Construct bridges wherever needed

WATER

- 24/7 drinking water supply
- Adequate Irrigation water

CIVIL SERVICE

- Establish home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Provide subsidized loan for first-time house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for

pension eligibility

- Increase salary for civil servants depending on economic situation
- All contract employees who are regularized as para-regular employees will have the following benefits same as other civil servants: Home ownership, Salary Raise, Allowances, Professional development, Provident Fund and gratuity benefits, transfer allowances

EMPLOYMENT

- Provide job opportunities for all youth
- Provide special support for one youth per household for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup Organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for three years



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GANGZUR_MINJEY DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 Billion Economic Stimulus Plan
- Provide special policy, financial and tax incentives to encourage the construction of tourist hotels, restaurants, and village homestays
- Establish food and dairy processing plants
- Open farm shops and fuel depots in all Gewogs
- Develop Gangzur village as the First Model Village in Lhuentse Dzongkhag
- Develop five mini hydro/other renewable projects at strategically feasible locations to stimulate local economic growth

EDUCATION

- Central school for every Gewog as needed
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Provide one doctor for every gewog depending on resident population
- Ensure that “No one is left behind” and provide health services, including medical examinations and blood tests, at the patient’s homes for the elderly and those with disability

AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalised fencing support of farmlands by providing chain link fence
- Provide Outlets for farm produce

- Provide financial and technical support to Chirub collective farms
- Provide interest free loan for power tillers, farm machinery and Jersey cows
- Support house construction by reducing housing loan interest rate to 4%
- Provide 80% loan equity for the purchase of one utility vehicle or farm machinery per family
- Increase rural life insurance to Nu 150,000

ROAD

- Base course/stone soling all the farm roads and blacktop all farm roads to big Chiwogs
- Resurface and maintain all Gewog Center Roads with proper drainage facilities
- The responsibility to maintain roads at the Gewog levels will be entrusted to the Department of Surface Transport under Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport
- Construct new farm roads and bridges wherever needed

WATER

- Irrigation system for Dengkaling, Ngar, Jang and Zhamling villages
- Rehabilitation of existing water system of Goenpa Karpo village
- Provide new drinking water to Gangzur, Tazibar and Phatala villages

- Provide new drinking and irrigation water to Lingabi village

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Change the nature of employment from contract to para-regular positions by enacting legislation that provides same service conditions and benefits to the contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthen LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog
- Salary raise depending on economic situation

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Special support for one youth per household/family for further education or training abroad
- Encourage youth in entrepreneurship with financial and technical assistance

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Provide child support allowance of Nu 10,000 per month for every child born after second child for three years



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SHOMPANGKHA DEMKHONG PLEDGES



ECONOMY

- Establish Nu 15 billion Economic stimulus plan
- Open border gates and establish entry and exit points for tourists Establish mini hydropower
- Open farm shops in all Gewogs (Sanam Tshongkhang)

EDUCATION

- Review and establish Central Schools as needed
- Large Chiwogs will have schools designated as Chiwog School based on the need analysis
- Saturday holiday for schools and review IWP in consultation with MOESD and RCSC

HEALTH

- Mother and child hospital at Gelephu near CRRH
- Ensure that all Gewog health centers have one doctor (depending on resident population) and adequate health staff, including one female health worker
- Door-to-door medical services for elderly citizens and people with disabilities

AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

- Provide rationalized fencing support of farmlands by providing chain-link fences
- Provide financial and technical support to

establish packaging and processing units, enabling the Chirub Collective Farms to add value to their produce

- Interest free loan for power tiller and other farm machineries
- Interest free loan for Jersey cows
- Subsidized loan for first house construction
- Subsidized loan for first utility vehicle
- Increase Rural life insurance to Nu 150,000/-

ROADS

- Complete the South-East-West Highway by building/improving the following road networks: i. South-East-West Highway: -Sarpang-Lhamoi Dzingkha -Sarpang-Tsirang- Double lane expansion Gewog and Chiwog interconnectivity road
- Dragchhu-Tsirang-if approved by NEC
- Constructed bridges (Sherabling, Jangchubling, Menchuthang, Rishong, Getemkha, Neyul, Dekiling)

WATER

- Supply of drinking water to areas with drying source - Sompangkha, Dekiling

CIVIL SERVICE

- Home ownership through “Rent to Own” flagship program

- Subsidized loan at 4% for first house construction
- Review the pension policy to eliminate the requirement for a 20-year service threshold for pension eligibility
- Salary raise for civil servants depending on economic situation
- Establish a sub-committee of Lhengye Zhungtsho (Cabinet) with working members from relevant agencies to work on regularization of contract employees

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Strengthening LG through adequate budget & HR
- One functional pool vehicle for every Gewog

EMPLOYMENT

- Job opportunities for all
- Youth centre in each Gewog
- Special support for one youth per household/ family for further education or training abroad
- Establish a specialized ‘Access to Finance’ window within the ‘Youth Startup organization’ designed to offer concessional loans to our youth for financing their entrepreneurial ventures

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Streamline and improve regulations for efficient service delivery
- Reduce phone voucher (data charges) by 50%
- Third child support allowance of Nu 10,000 for 3 years

