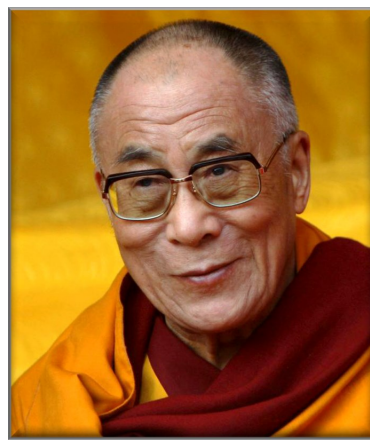


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Dear Mr. Lankhorst,

Thank you for your recent gift to His Holiness along with a bottle of water from Lake Yamdrok Tso following your trips to Tibet.



His Holiness very much appreciates your gift and your organization's humanitarian work for the less privileged members of our society in many countries, including in Tibet and China.

The best service that anyone can render is for uplifting the lives of needy and poor people wherever they are. We, therefore, commend your organization, RestoringTouch Inc., for their welfare.

His Holiness sends his prayers and good wishes to you and your organization.

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