

## Appendix 1

### In – Depth Interview

These questions, the researcher will interview ten people: four Bhikkhus, four Bhikkhunīs, and two lay Buddhist women who are as key informants. The researcher wants to know about the status and role of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha.

#### Interviewees.

People	No.	Interviewees
Bhikkhu	1	The Most Venerable Bhikkhu Thich Thien Quy, Chief Secretary Buddhist Affair's Committee of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha, HCMC, Abbot, Lien Hoa Temple, No. 85/122 Bui Minh Truc Street, Ward 5, District 8, HCM City, Vietnam, on March 15, 2017.
Bhikkhu	2	Venerable Bhikkhu Thich Chi Thien, M.A. candidate of Buddhist Studies, MCU, Ayutthaya, Thailand, Dhammaduta Monk, class 21. Huyen Khong Temple, Hue City, Vietnam, on March 18, 2017.
Bhikkhu	3	Venerable Bhikkhu Thich Dinh Phuc-Samādhipuñño (Nguyen Hoang Phuc), M.A. Buddhist Studies, (IBSC), MCU, Ayutthaya, Thailand. Truc Lam Temple (Veḷuvanārāma), No. 154 “B” Dang Nguyen Can Street, 13 Ward, 11 District, HCMC, Vietnam, on March 15, 2017.
Bhikkhu	4	Venerable Bhikkhu Thich Minh Dao (Nguyen Hoang Duy), M.A. Buddhist Studies, (IBSC), MCU, Ayutthaya, Thailand. Tam Bao Pagoda, No. 429/18 Hung Vuong Street, An Son Ward, Tam Ky, Quang Nam Province, Vietnam, on March 16, 2017.

Bhikkhunī	5	The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Nhu Quang, Member of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincial Subcommittee. Abbess, Dong Thanh Temple, No. 626/23 Dong Thanh 3 Hamlet, Long Xuyen City, An Giang Province, on March 18, 2017.
Bhikkhunī	6	Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Lien Nguyet (Ho Thi Ngu Long), M.A. candidate of Major in English, Faculty of Humanities, MCU, Ayutthaya, Thailand. Ngoc Chieu Vihara, No. 107, Lagi Commune, Binh Thuan Province, Vietnam, on March 16, 2017.
Bhikkhunī	7	Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Hue Thuan (Tran Thi Binh), Ph.D. candidate of Philosophy, Buddhist Studies, MCU, Ayutthaya, Thailand. Linh Phu Temple, Dong Nai Province, Vietnam, on March 17, 2017.
Siksamānānas	8	Thich Nu Hue Tam (Thanh Phuong), M.A. candidate of Major in English, Faculty of Humanities, MCU (Thailand). Dong Thanh Temple, No. 626/23 Dong Thanh 3 Hamlet, Long Xuyen City, An Giang Province, Vietnam, on March 16, 2017.
Lay man	9	Mr. Ta Ngoc Chien (Tinh Gioi), B.A., Third Year Student of Major in English, Faculty of Humanities, MCU, Thailand. Hoang Phap temple, Xuan Thoi Thuong, Hoc Mon District, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, on March 17, 2017.
Lay woman	10	Ms. Nguyen Thi Kim Anh, (Dieu Thanh), No. 26/32, Town 4, Alley 249, Tan Ky -Tan Quy Street Ward, Tan Son Nhi, Tan Phu District, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, on March 15, 2017.

**Questions:**

**Question 1:** What are the activities of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha?

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**Question 2:** What do you think about the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha organization?

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**Question 3:** What do you think about the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha education?

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**Question 4:** How do the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha contribute to the society?

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**Question 5:** What is the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha plan for the future?

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## **Appendix 2**

### **Section 1: The Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha's Rules**

There are 4 chapters and 24 articles of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha's rules.

#### **Chapter 1: Official Name - Objectives - Office**

**Article 1:** The Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee of Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha is a subcommittee under the leadership of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha. The Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee had two levels Central level, and Provincial level. The Central level is officially titled the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee belonging to the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha. The Provincial level is officially titled Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincial Subcommittee.

**Article 2:** Activities' the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee and the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee aimed:

1) Unify in leadership and manage the Vietnamese Bhikkhunīs in domestic while following the charter of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha and the regulations of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha and State Laws.

2) Operate at all levels of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha to carry out the functions and duties entrusted by the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha in spreading Dharma.

3) Guide the youth of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunīs in activities, studying, and practicing and following Buddhist teaching and Vinaya, the charter of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha and State Laws.

4) The office of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee is located at Tu Nghiem temple, No. 415- 417 Ba Hat, Ward 4, District 10, Ho Chi Minh City. The activities are under the leadership of the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee and the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha Central Office. The Provincial offices are located in each province.

**Article 3:** The function of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha is based on the Vinaya Pitaka, the Charter of Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha, the laws of the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee, the laws of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee for help the study and practice Dharma. The report to the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha Executive Council Standing Committee the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee researched and directed for solving problems related to the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha. The projects propose the activities within the scope of the Subcommittee and submitted to the Executive Council Standing Committee, the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee approved the suggestions.

## **Chapter 2: Personnel Organization**

**Article 4:** The personnel component of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee includes:

- President
- 1 Vice President Standing Committee
- Vice Presidents Responsible for Relations
- 1 Vice President of Chief Secretary
- 2 Vice Secretary
- 2 Vice Secretary in 2 areas (North and South)
- The Standing Members
- The Commissioners.

**Article 5:** President of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee, Vice President Standing Committee, Vice Presidents are responsible for relations. The Chief Secretaries are members of the Buddhist Affairs Committee. The Vice Secretary and members introduced by the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Standing Subcommittee are approved through ratification through one decision by the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee and the Executive Council Standing Committee.

**Article 6:** The Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee has no more than fifteen members, due to the Vietnamese

Bhikkhunī Saṅgha in the Province, City introduced and the Management Standing Committee approved by one decision.

### **Chapter 3: Duties and Powers**

**Article 7:** The Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee of all levels have the following responsibilities:

1) The activities of Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha must be located at the monastery belonging to the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha in the country. There is project planning, the organizational planning, deploying executing works of the Buddhist activities.

2) The established monastery of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha must follow the management of the Buddhist Saṅgha Central Committee activities which has a duty in the managing and administering of the activities to the monastery of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha follows Buddhist laws, the Charter of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha, the laws of the Buddhist Affairs Central Subcommittee and State laws.

3) To fortify the ranks of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha, to educate youth Bhikkhunīs whose live far away from the dignity, creating a condition for Bhikkhunī students are living at lay Buddhist homes or hostels. They must be back to the Bhikkhunī temple cultivating and practice Buddhadharma.

**Article 8:** 1) President of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee have the responsibilities for managing and administering the activities of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha, the responsibility with the Executive Council Standing Committee, the Buddhist Affairs Central Subcommittee for the activities of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha. Preside over the meeting of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee. Submitting documents related to the organization and the activities of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha. The organization is to carry out the rules of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee following the

stipulation of the Charter, the resolutions programs activities of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha and the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee.

2) On behalf of the President of Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha, the Vice President of Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Standing Committee, solve the problems related to the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha. Signing documents, attending meetings and conferences in the absence or depute of the President. The responsibility to work to improve oneself in the face of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee and the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee.

**Article 9:** 1) Chief Secretary is responsible for drafting texts, contents, programs and deploying to meetings of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee.

2) Vice Secretary can represent the Chief Secretary when the Chief Secretary is unable to attend meetings, to grasp the direction and the policy of the Subcommittee.

**Article 10:** The treasurer is responsible for the preservation of the financial resources and documenting monetary incomings, and outgoings. Treasurer holds twenty million (VN Đồng) (100 U. S. Dollars), the remaining is sent to the Bank with clear receipts. The treasurer had vouchers for payments for the works of the Subcommittee of five million or less. Amounts of five million or more must be commissioned by the President or Vice President of the Standing Subcommittee. The financial reports are presented during regular meetings of the Subcommittee, or the incomings and the outgoings after each event.

**Article 11:** 1) The supervisory rule Commissioners have to be responsible for the supervising to the virtues of the young Bhikkhunīs, the solving of problems related to the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha, and following the Buddhist rules. When the problem of violation of the Buddhist rules occurs at the monastery of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha, the President of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee to the collaboration with the supervisory law Commissioners to be present to the reminding, the meditation from 1 to 3

times, if the mediation is impossible, basis on the laws of the Buddha make a record and report to the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee reviewed to take measures to the solving of the problem.

2) The Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha Provincial Executive Council Committee level organized “the Great Ordination Ceremony” the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee have the same level can exchange with the organization committee of the Great Ordination Ceremony in the works of the review applications for the Bhikkhunīs ordains. (1) To know clear the number of the Bhikkhunīs ordained in Provincial ordains. (2) To avoid the situation in which Bhikkhunīs ordains are not yet true stipulated by the Buddha-laws and the laws of the Buddhist Affairs Central Subcommittee of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha.

**Article 12:** The commissioner of education, combined with the Education Central Committee, Bhikkhunīs, Bhikkhunīs, and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha, carry out the educational curriculum, the management of educational institutions of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha, to participate in the Committee Leadership, the Committee of Teaching Staff, to undertake Vinaya subject, and the opening Primary Buddhist class and Basic Buddhist class for the Vietnamese Bhikkhunīs.

**Article 13:** The commissioner of Propagative Dharma combines with the Central Committee of Propagative Dharma of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha to carry out the drafting and lecturing of Dharma at the Bodhi-mandala invitation. Depending on the needs of training the commissioner of Propagative Dharma will open course for Bhikkhunīs Lecturer.

**Article 14:** The commissioner of Culture Affairs combines with the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Culture Committee to store pictures and the biographies of Elders Vietnamese Bhikkhunīs as well as the printing books, newspaper, exhibitions, decorate flower car, summarizing the record of the conference when the festivals or the seminar organized by the Subcommittee of Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha.



**Article 15:** The commissioner of the Foreign Affairs combines with the Central Committee of the International Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha to carry out the works welcome, conduct relations with domestic and foreign delegation's friendship visit the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha as well as the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha and to attend the forums, the conferences, the international conference.

**Article 16:** The Commissioner of Registration Name undertakes the recording of the statistics, documents of the monastery and lists the number of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha of all provinces in domestics. The Subcommittee of Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha has a proposal to the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha to commend merit and ordained hierarchy for the Provincial Bhikkhunīs. The order and procedures for performed ordained hierarchy is determined by the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha.

**Article 17:** The Ceremonial Commissioner combined with the Central Ceremonial Committee of Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha manages the ceremony of the funeral by the Subcommittee of Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha.

**Article 18:** The commissioner of the Social Charity combines with the Central Social Charity Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha to carry out financial campaigning and to provide the products, money, gifts to help poverty, miserable, poor people.

**Article 19:** The commissioner of the Finance has the responsibility for the mobilization all the honored leaders, all the honored mastermind, the Most Venerable Bhikkhus, Bhikkhunīs, lay Buddhist's benefactors, donors, kindness people, people support to the money, businesses domestic and to provide support financially for the activities of the Subcommittee of Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha. To found release (books).

**Article 20:** The commissioner of the Finance has responsible for the mobilization of all the honored masterminds, all the honored leaders, the Most Venerable Bhikkhus, Bhikkhunīs, lay Buddhist's benefactors, donors, kindness people, people support to the money, businesses domestic and foreign to support financially the activities of the Subcommittee of

Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha and to found release (books) rooms and the printing of Buddhist scriptures. Use the the handicraft industry to generate funds for the activities of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee. The commissioner of the Control has responsible for making suggestions and to check the activities of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincials Subcommittee and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee. To inspect and book incomings and outgoings of the Subcommittee. Anything unreasonable must be promptly reported to the Standing Subcommittee Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha and President of the Subcommittee for the resolution. The other stipulations concerned the subcommittee complying the laws of the Central Committee Buddhist Affair Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha.

**Article 21:** The commissioner of the Patronize is responsible for the campaigning to the lay Buddhists, benefactors, donors, kindness people, people who support with money, domestic and foreign executives to support financially for activities the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Provincial Subcommittee and Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee. Especially, to support to the finance for the big event of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha.

#### **Chapter 4: Meetings - Issued -Amendment**

**Article 22:** The Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee meets twice yearly, one month before the meeting of the Executive Council Standing Committee and Annual Meeting of the Central VBS and one month before the Executive Council Central Committee. In a special case, President of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee can convene an unforeseen session for the solving of problems and to report information to the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee. The term of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee is five years corresponding to the term of the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee.

**Article 23:** Only those of Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha Executive Council Standing Committee and the Buddhist Affairs Central Committee

has the right to amend the laws of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee.

**Article 24:** The regulation of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha includes 4 chapters and 24 articles that have been ratified by the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha Executive Council Standing Committee on July 2, 2013, and have been available to perform from the date that the President of the Vietnam Buddhist Saṅgha Executive Council signed the decision and promulgation.

**The Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee**

**The Buddhist Affairs Central Committee**

**Section 2: The of Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee's Personnel of Term VII (2012-2017).**

- 1) Proving Committee: The Most Venerable Bhikkhunīs 15 persons.
- 2) Advisory Committee: The Most Venerable Bhikkhunīs 11 persons.
- 3) Standing Committee (33 Persons)  
 President the Vietnamese Bhikkhunī Saṅgha Central Subcommittee,  
 the Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Huyen Hue,  
 Vice President the Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Tinh Nguyen.
- 4) Alternate Commissioner: The Most Venerable Bhikkhunīs 37 persons.
- 5) Official Commissioner: The Most Venerable Bhikkhunīs 46 persons.  
 This Official Commissioner includes 10 committees:
  1. Managing Law Committee: Thich Nu Tinh Hanh and 12 Bhikkhunīs.
  2. Education Committee: Thich Nu Nhu Duc and 12 Bhikkhunīs.
  3. Propagative Dharma Committee: TN Tinh Thuong and 12 Bhikkhunīs.
  4. Culture Committee: Thich Nu Nhu Nhu and 11 Bhikkhunīs.
  5. Foreign Affairs Committee: Thich Nu Hue Huong and 8 Bhikkhunīs.
  6. Ceremonial Committee: Thich Nu Nhu Chau and 6 Bhikkhunīs.
  7. Social Charity Committee: Thich Nu Hue Giac and 19 Bhikkhunīs.
  8. Financial Committee: Thich Nu Nhu Thuan and 16 Bhikkhunīs.
  9. Control Committee: Thich Nu Nhu Ngoc and 7 Bhikkhunīs.
  10. Responsible Name of List Committee: Thich Nu Nhu Hue and 4 Bhikkhunīs.

**1. Proving Committee (15 Bhikkhunīs)**

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dat Huong.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tam Hoa.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Giac Ngoc.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Hao.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Nhung.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Trang Lien.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ngo.

8. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Ly.
9. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tu Hanh.
10. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hai Trieu Am.
11. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Vien Minh.
12. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Hanh.
13. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Nham.
14. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Giac Hanh.
15. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chon Hien.

## **2. Advisory Committee (11 Bhikkhunīs)**

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Hanh.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Danh.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Ngoat Lien.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Thuong.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Giac.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ngoc.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Minh.
8. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ngo
9. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tam Hoa
10. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Luu Phuong.
11. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Dung.

## **3. Standing Committee (33 Bhikkhunīs)**

- 1. President:** The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Huyen Hue.
- 2. Vice President:** The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Nguyen
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tan Lien.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Nghiem.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Minh.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Hai.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Duc.
8. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Huong.
9. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Chau.
10. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tu Nhan.
11. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Xuan.
12. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhat Nhan.

13. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thuan.
14. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhat Khuong.
15. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Duc.
16. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Nhu.
17. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Cuong.
18. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Tu.
19. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hoa Lien.
20. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Duc.
21. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Loc.
22. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Hoa.
23. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Nghiem.
24. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Nguyet.
25. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Tuyen.
26. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Hue.
27. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tin Lien.
28. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Thanh.
29. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Lan.
30. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Hoa.
31. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Huong NHu.
32. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Minh Thuan.
33. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Dam Thanh.

#### **4. Commissioner (47 Bhikkhunīs)**

34. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Nhan.
35. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hanh Ngoc.
36. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī To Lien.
37. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Nguyet.
38. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tac Thinh.
39. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ly.
40. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Dinh.
41. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tu.
42. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Nghia.
43. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ngoc.
44. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Huy.
45. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hanh Nghiem.
46. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tam.
47. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Ngo.

48. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Canh.
49. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tinh.
50. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Hoa.
51. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hanh Nguyen.
52. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tri Dat.
53. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Hoa.
54. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Nhu.
55. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Lieu Lien.
56. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tinh.
57. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Tam.
58. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Thong.
59. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Chon.
60. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Nghia.
61. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Minh Duyen.
62. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Binh.
63. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Thanh Quang.
64. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hai Nghia.
65. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tuong.
66. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Nghia.
67. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue An.
68. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thao.
69. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Le Thuan.
70. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Vien Nha.
71. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Chanh.
72. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chuc Tam.
73. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Hien.
74. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hanh Chon.
75. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Thong Man.
76. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Lieu.
77. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Hoa.
78. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dam Khoi.
79. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Nhu Nguyet.
80. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Dam Khang.

## **5. Alternate Commissioner (37 Persons)**

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Phuc Lien.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Thuy Lien.

3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhat Khoi.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tam Niem.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Phung Lien.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Loi.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thien.
8. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Tuong.
9. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chuc Hai.
10. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī My Thuan.
11. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Phuoc Giac.
12. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tac Hanh.
13. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Lien.
14. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Van.
15. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Minh Thuong.
16. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chon Minh.
17. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chung Lien.
18. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chan Tinh.
19. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Giac.
20. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tue Lien.
21. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Phuc.
22. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chau Lien.
23. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chuc Tuong.
24. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Kim Son.
25. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Lan Nha.
26. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Xuan Lien.
27. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Tam.
28. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Minh Tu.
29. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Vien Ngan.
30. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Vien The.
31. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Minh.
32. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Chau.
33. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Bao.
34. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Thanh Thong.
35. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Huy Lien.
36. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Nguyen.
37. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tue Tam.



## **6. Twelve Subcommittees:**

### **1. Managing Law Committee: (11 Bhikkhunīs & 1 Tu Nu)**

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Hanh.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Hai.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Giac Hanh.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Lieu Lien.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Huy.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Tam.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tan Lien.
8. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nha Lien.
9. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Duc.
10. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tam.
11. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue An.
12. Tu Nu Dieu Dinh.

### **2. Education Committee: (11 Bhikkhunīs & 1 Tu Nu)**

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Duc.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Duc.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Nghia.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhat Khuong.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Nguyen.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Nghiem.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Xuan Lien.
8. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Tue Lien.
9. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Nghiem Lien.
10. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Hue Chon.
11. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Hue An.
12. Tu Nu Sieu Phap.

### **3. Propagative Dharma Committee: (15 Bhikkhunīs & 1 Tu Nu)**

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tinh Thuong.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī To Lien.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ngoc.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Huong Nhu.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Phuong.

6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Bao.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thuong.
8. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Chuc Tuong.
9. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Tinh Van.
10. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Tu Bi.
11. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Chuc Hieu.
12. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Nhu Phuoc.
13. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Tinh Chanh.
14. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Chon Tinh.
15. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Nhu Tuong.
16. Tu Nu Lien Nhu.

**4. Culture Committee:** (10 Bhikkhunīs & 1 Tu Nu).

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Nhu.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Cuong.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Le Thuan.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Minh Tu.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hai Thanh.
6. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Dieu Duc.
7. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Duc Nghiem.
8. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Dieu Hue.
9. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Hanh Tam.
10. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Hue Duc.
11. Tu Nu Tam Hue.

**5. Foreign Affairs Committee:** (15 people)

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Huong.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tinh.
3. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Ngo Phuoc.
4. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Nhu Nguyet.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Lien.
6. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Vien Nha.
7. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Hang Lien.
8. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Vien Quang.
9. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Linh Tue.
10. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Vien The.
11. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Vien Huan.

12. Bhikkhunī Thich Nu Hue Phuong.
13. Tu Nu Quang Minh.
14. Lay Buddhist Hue Phuoc.
15. Lay Buddhist Dieu Lien.

**6. Ceremonial Committee:** (5 Bhikkhunīs & 1 Tu Nu).

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Chau.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu nguyet.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhat Nghia.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thao
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Dung.
6. Tu Nu Dieu Tam.

**7. Social Charity Committee:** (19 Bhikkhunīs).

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Giac.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Dinh
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Hoa.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Loc.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Xuan.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thao.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Nghia.
8. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Tam.
9. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Duy Tri.
10. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Tuong.
11. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Kim Son.
12. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Lan Nha.
13. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chung Lien.
14. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chuc Hai.
15. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tac Hanh.
16. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tuong.
17. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thu.
18. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tam.
19. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hanh Bao.

**8. Financial Committee:** (16 Bhikkhunīs).

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thuan.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nu Hoa.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tu Nhan.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī My Thuan.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Minh Lien.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ngo.
7. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Thuan.
8. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tam Hoa.
9. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Hai.
10. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tan.
11. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Giac.
12. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Loi.
13. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chung Lien.
14. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Chuc Hai.
15. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tac Hanh.
16. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tuong.

**9. Control Committee:** (6 Bhikkhunīs & 1 Tu Nu).

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ngoc.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Dieu Minh.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Ly.
4. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Phuc Lien.
5. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Hue Phuoc.
6. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Tinh.
7. Tu Nu Sieu Phap.

**10. Responsible Name of List Committee:** (3 Bhikkhunīs & 1 Tu Nu).

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu Hue.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhat Nhan.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Vien Lien.
4. Tu Nu Quang Chanh.

**11. Information Communication Committee:**(3 Bhikkhunīs & 1 Lay Buddhist).

1. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Nhu nguyet.
2. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Tri Lien.
3. The Most Venerable Bhikkhunī Minh Tu.
4. Lay Buddhist Huynh Dieu.

**12. Patronize Committee:** (no data)

### Section 3: Daily Activities of the Vietnamese Bhikkhunīs in Temple.

T/D	Time	Activities
<b>Morning</b>	3:30	Waking up
	4:00	Morning chanting
	5:30:	Exercise
	6:30	Breakfast
	7:30	Working
	8:00	Meditation
	9:30	Relax
<b>Afternoon</b>	10:00	Noon Chanting
	11:00	Having lunch
	12:00	Taking rest
	13:30	Waking up
	14:00	Meditation
	16:00	Afternoon chanting
	17:00	Soft-dinner
<b>Evening</b>	18:30	Evening chanting
	21:00	Reading mantra and meditation
	21: 30	Sleeping