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ACTION & CARE TRUST

28 May 2009

Dear Sir/Madam,

**REQUEST FOR DONATIONS TOWARD EMERGENCY MEDICAL RELIEF FOR SRI LANKAN WAR SURVIVORS**

As you know, displaced northern Sri Lankans need our support. Action & Care Trust is an organization with access to former conflict areas and hospitals in the North and East. We are focused on delivering medical aid and associated items to hospitals in the North and East. We deliver aid directly and personally, to doctors in the affected areas, making your donation count.

ACT has access to the north through a strong working relationship with the Ministry Of Health and other government departments. Through their support, we are able to transport goods in Ministry trucks, access the hospitals, and deliver signed and videoed receipts to you, the donor. So far ACT has made three "Surge" deliveries, carrying millions of rupees worth of medical aid and supporting products to Vavuniya and Padaviya Hospitals. The photo, video and text reports of these trips are available at [www.actlanka.org](http://www.actlanka.org).

ACT is not a NGO or an international organization. It is simply a Trust run by a group of Sri Lankan volunteers. We have no overhead, no property, and no vehicles. All donations go directly toward medical relief items. Those goods are inventoried and loaded onto trucks kindly provided by the Ministry Of Health, sealed by ACT until delivery. With Ministry of Defence and other clearances, ACT teams accompany the goods to hospitals in the North. There, the goods are received, inventoried and signed for by the doctors in charge.

On Tuesday 2nd June, our Chairman Professor Sheriffdeen, accompanied by ACT representatives will travel to Manik Farm and Cheddikulam Hospital to conduct a "Needs Assessment" of what the clinics and hospitals require, in terms of support. We will be taking intravenous painkillers and anti-biotics with us. Any support you can give us on the purchase of life-saving medicine will be greatly appreciated. We have full access to Zones 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Manik Farms and hope to release real information on how people can help.

If you are willing and able to make a donation to support ACT's relief efforts in the north, we would like to proceed with the following steps:

1. **Donation:** Upon receiving your donation we will provide a receipt and confirmation via letterhead cc'd to our lawyers, your lawyer, the

Ministry of Health and whomever you desire as security.

2. **Procurement:** Our medical supply officers will procure the goods and provide receipts to all relevant parties. During this period you may correspond directly with them at [medicines@actlanka.org](mailto:medicines@actlanka.org).
3. **Delivery:** ACT Lanka will coordinate and monitor the delivery of these items to the relevant hospitals with the Ministry of Health.
4. **Confirmation:** ACT Lanka will provide photo, video and signed documentation that all goods are received at the destination hospitals.

Attached is a list of medicines and medical products that are urgently required. The items marked in red are what is currently in stock in Sri Lanka, that we are continuously purchasing. Items in black need to be imported asap. If you prefer to purchase goods yourself, we will be happy to offer you our wholesale pricing.

We hope you understand the urgency of this need and the life-saving nature of this equipment. If these terms are suitable, we appreciate your timely contribution. In turn, we will ensure timely procurement, delivery, and tangible confirmation. We offer our sincere thanks to you for considering this initiative.

**Hiranjan De Silva**  
**TRUSTEE**

**Radhika Philip**  
**TRUSTEE**

ITEMS PURCHASED OR DONATED TODATE INDICATED IN RED WITH LINE						
ITEMS IN RED CAN BE COLLECTED ASAP WITH AVAILABLE FUNDS						
ITEMS IN BLUE NEDED MORE FUNDING BEFORE WE CAN CONSIDER OR DONATIONS OF ITEMS ITSELF						
ITEMS IN BLACK NEED TO BE SOURCED - HELP NEEDED!!!						
NO	DESCRIPTION	Quantity	Rate	Price	Company to be contacted	STATUS
1	Portable ventilators	2	900000	1800000	Mackwoods	in stock
2	Defibrillators	2	1m	1000000	Gesco	in stock
3	Amputation Saw	1	2500	2500	Union Chemist	in stock
4	Wards also need Nylon cord for Traction	50			need to locate supplier	
5	100 pillows with plastic washable covers	100			need to locate supplier	
6	Vascular clamps	4	3700	14800	Union Chemist	in stock
7	3/0 Proline sutures	50	475	23750	Union Chemist	in stock
8	Forgaty catheters	50	75	3750	Osu Sala	in stock
9	5/0 Proline sutures	50	615	30750	Swiss biogenics	in stock
10	External fixators	50	12150	668250	Zodiac	in stock
11	Drip stands	100			need to located supplier	
12	200-bed-head-rests	20	2250	45000	Sahana-Orthopaedic	in stock
13	Azithromycin 250 mg tablets 200	400	23.6	9440	Osu sala	in stock
14	Azithromycin 500 mg tablets-	400	24	9600	Osu Sala	in stock
15	Tramadol tablets 50 mg 1000	1000	40	40000	OsuSala	in stock
16	Portable gynaecological Ultra sound scanner	1	495000	495000	Union Chemist	
17	Cartograph machine	1	1750000	1750000	Gesco	
18	Radiation jackets	1			need to locate supplier	
19	OT: Sutures 3/0 cut26mm	240	10938	109380	Swiss biogenics	order
20	Bone wax	120	141	16920	Swiss Biogenics	order
21	Artery forceps 15cm 6"	4	775	3100	Union chemist	in stock
22	20cm 6"	4	850	3400	union chemist	in stock
23	20cm 5"	4	495	1980	Union chemist	in stock
24	20cm 5.5"	4	525	2100	Union chemist	in stock
25	ICU Paediatric ventilator & 2 monitors	1	520000	520000	Gesco	
26	Adrenaline	50	25	1250	Osu Sala	in stock
27	Dopamine	10	47	470	Osu Sala	in stock
28	3 way urinary catheters required especially for patients with haematuria.	30	400-440	11780	OsuSala	in stock
29	Augmentine IV	100	285	28500	Osu Sala	In stock
30	Cefuroxime (intravenous)-	200	128.75	25750	OsuSala	in stock
31	Metronidazole inj	50	30	1500	Osu Sala	in stock
32	Oral Norfloxacin 400mg	2000	3.25	6500	OsuSala	in stock
33	Co amoxycylav 625mg	90	23.33	2100	Osu Sala	in stock
34	Metformine	10000	0.57	5700	OsuSala	in stock
35	Lozarten 50mg	5000	2.75	13750	OsuSala	in stock
36	BB cream for scabies 500ml	100	95	9500	Osu Sala	in Stock
37	Drip sets for administration of IV drugs	500	35	17500	Osu sala	in Stock
TOTAL SO FAR FOR MEDICATIONS						