



Leaving a Legacy FAQs

What are the different types of legacy gift?

A Legacy gift is a gift you can make in your Will to a non-profit organisation.

- A pecuniary gift allows you to leave a specific amount of money to Social Impact Development Foundation (SIDF).
- A residuary gift allows you to leave SIDF India a share of your estate once family and friends have been taken care of.
- A reversionary gift allows you to leave your estate to your dependants while they are living, but after they pass away it will revert to SIDF India.

I've already written my Will. Do I need to have a new Will drawn up?

No. Your solicitor can add a codicil to your Will that lists all changes you wish to make to your original Will.

I'd like to make a gift to SIDF India in my will. What information do I need to include?

Your solicitor can advise you on the correct wording. However, it helps if you can include our full name, registered office address and registered charity number, as below:

Social Impact Development Foundation (SIDF), No.219 , Pocket 40 , 2nd floor , Kalkaji , New Delhi 110019 .
Regd No. 995/4-4/115/152 dated 01/06/2015 / V , New Delhi , India .

What are the tax implications of giving a legacy gift to SIDF India?

Charities are generally exempt from inheritance tax on bequests made to them in Wills. However, please do discuss possible ways of minimising the tax burden on your estate with your solicitor. SIDF India will not be liable to pay any taxes on your bequest.

I have been appointed as an executor of will and there is a bequest to SIDF India. How do I send you the money?

Please send a cheque payable to SIDF India:

Social Impact Development Foundation (SIDF) No.219 , Pocket 40 , 2nd floor , Kalkaji , New Delhi 110019 .
Please also include details of the donor for our reference.

I would like to ensure that my legacy is used for a specific programme. Is it possible?

If you want your gift to be used in a certain way or for a particular kind of project – you can include this in your Will. However, please phrase this as a request, not a condition. If the conditions are stated too specifically (e.g. “work with PWDs children in Northeast”) and circumstances change, sadly we may not be able to use your gift. If you would like to talk to our team about the gift you wish to make, please contact on +917053144432.

Can SIDF India act as Executor of my Will?

No. Unfortunately we do not have the capacity or staff availability to be able to offer this service.

Other questions

If you have any other questions which have not been answered please speak to our team on +917053144432 or email info@sidfindia.org .