



INDIA DEVELOPMENT & RELIEF FUND, INC.

[Tax - Exempt Public Charity under U.S. Internal Revenue Code, Section 501(c)(3)]
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WISHING YOU A HAPPY DIWALI AND JOYOUS HOLIDAYS & NEW YEAR

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CAMPAIGN APPEAL 2007-08

Let the IDRf motto, *Service to Society is Service to God*, be embraced by each one of us, pledging to serve the needy and the downtrodden to the best of our ability. IDRf strives to help the people realize their full potential and lead a life with dignity and self-esteem. **IDRF remains committed to remit 100% of your contributions** to the grassroots, non-governmental organizations (NGOs) in India. IDRf has submitted all its annual tax returns (Form 990) since its inception in 1988 to IRS. We have also submitted to the State of Maryland, IRS and other official agencies, **IDRF's audited financial statements beginning with 2002**. We are providing below a summary of IDRf's finances (in thousand dollars) for most recent five years.

Item	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Contributions for Development Projects	722	820	1451	960	963
Contributions for Tsunami Relief/Rehab	-	-	-	1180	-
Other Income	309	235	374	320	316
Total Revenue	1030	1055	1825	2460	1279
Total Grants	1269	1268	1326	2484	1759
Administrative Expenses	33	71	57	58	40
Total Expenses	1302	1339	1383	2542	1799

The common features of our partner, grassroots NGOs are:

- Creation of self-empowerment and responsible citizenry
- Bringing impoverished, neglected people into the mainstream
- Humanitarian service without consideration of sect, caste, creed, religion or region
- Operation under a shoestring budget
- Management by selfless, dedicated volunteers

IDRF offers a wide range of choices for your contributions:

- * Mobile medical clinics
- * Tribal girls dorms/Schools
- * Children at residential schools
- * Vocational training
- * Rural development
- * Economic self-reliance
- * Saving children from blindness
- * Women's self-empowerment
- * Orphans and children with challenges/disabilities
- * Rehabilitating victims of terrorism/insurgency
- * Single-teacher schools/Ekal Vidyalayas
- * Social workers' training or deployment

You may support IDRf in several ways:

- ◆ Mail donation check(s) at your convenience
- ◆ Donate your old car through IDRf's **car donation program**
- ◆ Avail your employer's/corporation's **matching gift program**
- ◆ Direct your **gifts to IDRf on celebrations** with your family and friends
- ◆ Designate your donation to IDRf under the **UNITED WAY's "donor-choice program"**
- ◆ Transfer **stocks** to IDRf: **avoid capital gains tax** and also **avail tax-exemption** on your donation
- ◆ **Donate on-line** through **PayPal** using your credit card or direct debit from your bank account (see FAQ)

Kindly mail your *tax-deductible* donation check, payable to "IDRF" to:

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Note: Please put postage on the included self-addressed envelope for your generous contribution