

NO.II/21022/67(0005)/2014-FCRA-II  
Government of India/Bharat Sarkar  
Ministry of Home Affairs/Grih Mantralaya

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NDCC-II Building,  
First Floor(FCRA Wing),  
Opposite to Jantar Mantar,  
Jai Singh Road,  
New Delhi-110001  
Dated :08/05/2014

To

**The Chief Functionary,  
HELP THE BLIND FOUNDATION  
NO.11/8, SRI KRISHNA KRIPA, 3RD CROSS STREET, CIT COLONY  
CHENNAI, Chennai (Madras)  
Tamil Nadu-600004**

Subject: Registration under Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010.

Sir/Madam,

With reference to your application dated 07/01/2014 requesting registration under the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010, I am directed to say that your Association has been registered under Section 11 (1) of the Act as follows:-

Registration Number : **075901381**

Nature : **Educational Social**

2. In terms of section 18 of the Foreign Contribution(Regulation) Act,2010 read with Rules 17 of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Rules, 2011, You are advised to send intimations within the prescribed time to the Central Government of the amounts of each foreign contribution received by you, the source and the manner in which the foreign contribution was utilised, as per the provisions of the Act and the Rules. An association is required to furnish the return even when the particulars are 'NIL'. The FC-6 form may be submitted on line on this Ministry's website <http://fcraonline.nic.in> using the user name (**pbvassociates**) used for online submission. The Bank Account mentioned in your application should be used for receiving foreign contribution and no other amount should be credited to this account. The Association should immediately intimate to this Ministry and obtain written confirmation regarding any change in the name of the Association, its address and Bank/Bank Account.

3. The association cannot bring out any publication (registered under PRB Act, 1867) or act as correspondent, columnist, editor, printer or publisher of a registered newspaper or engage in the production or broadcast of audio news or audio visual news or current affairs programmes through electronic mode or any other electronic form or any other mode of mass communication at a later stage thereby attracting provisions of the Section 3(1) (g) and (h) of the FC(R) Act, 2010. In addition to this, the association is forbidden from getting involved in any activity of political nature.

4. You are requested to note the provisions of Section 7 of FC(R) Act, 2010 and Rule 24 of FC(R) Rules, 2011 and ensure that before any funds are passed on to any person/association in India that the recipient is (i) eligible to accept foreign contribution

under the Act, i.e., recipient association is registered under the Act, or has obtained Prior Permission of the Government under Section 11 of the Act, and (ii) the person/association is not prohibited under the Act.

5. You are requested to familiarize yourself with the provisions of Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010 and Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Rules, 2011, available at this Ministry's website 'mha.nic.in' to ensure strict compliance of the Act/Rules. Failure to comply with any of the provisions of said Act/Rules will make you liable for action under the relevant provisions of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010.

6. This certificate of Registration is valid for a period of five years from the date of registration under the Act.

Yours faithfully

  
(GOPAL JHA)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel. No. 23438042

(Please visit our website at <http://mha.nic.in>)

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Copy to:

**The Manager**

**Axis Bank**

**NO 82 DR RADHAKRISHNAN SALAI, CHENNAI, CHENNAI, Chennai**

**(Madras)(dist)**

**Tamil Nadu**

With the request to confirm that SB/CA Account no. 913010053248516 has been opened by the above association exclusively for receiving foreign contribution. In terms of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010 read with Rule 16 of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Rules, 2011, the Bank is also requested to send intimations regarding inward remittances received by the association, in the manner prescribed therein, as also annual report regarding receipt of foreign contribution by the association to this Ministry.

  
(GOPAL JHA)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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Date : 18.12.2014

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To,

The Chief Functionary  
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CHENNAI, Chennai (Madras)  
Tamil Nadu-600004

**Subject: Change of designated Bank of the association for the receipt and utilization of foreign contribution/registration under FC(R) Act, 2010.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to your application dated 09/09/2014 on the subject cited above and to convey the approval of the Central Government to the change of Bank of the association from Axis Bank to Indian Overseas Bank.

2. The registration number of your Association and nature would remain the same, viz.

Registration Number: 075901381

Nature: Educational Social

Yours faithfully,

*Sudha*  
(S Sudha)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Tel. No. 23438044

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**Copy to:**

1. To,  
The Branch Manager  
Indian Overseas Bank,  
T Nagar Branch 104 T Hiagaraya Road  
T Nagar  
Chennai (Madras)  
Tamil Nadu  
pin- 600017

With the request to confirm that Account NO 009102000006312 has been opened by the above association exclusively for receiving foreign contribution. The bank is also requested to send intimations regarding inward remittances by the association to the Ministry on half yearly basis.

2. To,  
The Branch Manager  
Axis Bank,  
NO 82 DR RADHAKRISHNAN SALAI, CHENNAI  
CHENNAI  
Chennai (Madras)  
Tamil Nadu  
pin- 600004

While account NO 913010053248516 cannot be used to deposit Foreign contribution, there is no objection if the same is used for depositing local funds.

3. FCRA-II/FCRA-III/AD(MU) with the request that necessary changes may be made in the records at their end.

**Yours faithfully,**

(S Sudha)

**Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel. No. 23438044**