

Dear DG Yasuaki Hirao

I have received your e-mail of 19th October, 2005. I cannot find words to adequately express on behalf of all Rotarians of our Club, District 3270 and myself our grateful thanks and appreciation for your spontaneous response to the disaster and human tragedy that has befallen our country.

Copied below is our action plan, which is being updated as the situation demands, R.C. Karachi and its members are continuously participating in the immediate help to quake victims.

#### Short Term Action (continuous/ ongoing)

1. Identifying and supporting areas which are not yet reached by the Government.
2. Working through the area Rotary Clubs , e.g. R.C. Abbotabad , Clubs in Islamabad , Peshawar , etc.
3. Giving Cash and kind support to the volunteers who has our partners in service, and now working in parts of the affected areas
4. Receive donations in terms of kind for tents, blankets, dry food items, medicines and first aid items and arrange distribution.

#### Long Term Plan

1. Soliciting, support from international Rotary clubs in terms of kind and cash
2. Involving the district and other rotary clubs of Pakistan
3. Seeking matching grants and support from Rotary Foundation
4. Identifying and rebuilding of a Village or a township, fully or partially, with focus on total rehabilitation of that unit of Society

5. Setting up of a battery of camps for destitute women and children for provision of basic amenities and basic education , which would help them not only a full rehabilitation and save them from falling into wrong hands

6. Providing means of livelihood such as farming animals and implements and agricultural inputs to villages which have been already supplied with basic needs in the short term

7. Budget is open ended in view of the massive work involved in rehabilitating the affectees

Yours in Rotary

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President