

## “8 HOURS FOR HOPE”

### Introduction:

“8 Hours For Hope” (8HFH) is one of Hands For Hope’s (H4H) new initiatives aiming at raising funding for our existing projects in helping needy children through education as well as providing funding for short-term high-impact medical life-saving projects in Vietnam. Anyone can participate in this scheme whereby you, as an individual or as a group, come to work on **the 12<sup>th</sup> December 2005** as per normal and dedicate that day to “8 Hours For Hope”. Part or all of that day’s income is donated to H4H and allow the much needed work in helping disadvantaged children in Vietnam to continue.



### How does “8 Hours For Hope” work?

- The first “8 Hours For Hope” will be held on **Monday of December 12/12/2005**.
- To register your participation, please fill out the attached form and return to H4H by **5/12/05**. Alternatively, you can send the form electronically to [h4h@handsforhope.org.au](mailto:h4h@handsforhope.org.au). H4H can organise and send some promotional materials to you to present on the actual day if you require.
- Once you have completed the donated work, please send a cheque/money order payable to Hands For Hope with an amount equivalent to your net pay on the day of 8HFH or other amount if preferred.
- H4H will send you an acknowledgement letter and a receipt for your kind donation.

### Why participate?

- Be the first to participate in this unique fundraising event, the funds generated will be used in programs that help people to work their ways out of poverty.
- Support a non-profit organisation managed by young professionals that helps needy children in Vietnam.
- Be an agent of change and inspire people to make a difference.

**For more information and to register your name for “8 Hours For Hope” please contact**

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**TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE**



## *About Hands for Hope Inc.*

### **Establishment**

Hands For Hope Incorporated is a non-profit and totally voluntary charity organization, independent of all political and religious views. Founded by a group of Australian Vietnamese concerned with the plights of less than fortunate people in Vietnam, its collective aim is to establish and manage projects, programs and relief work to assist the poor, underprivileged and disadvantaged people, in particular children in remote and hard to reach areas in Vietnam to achieve a better life through education and community development. The Association was inaugurated in August 2000 and was formally and legally registered on the 23rd of March 2001 as Hands for Hope Inc. (Góp Một Bàn Tay) under the Associations Incorporation Act (1981).

### **Mission**

Strive to help underprivileged people in particular children in Vietnam, to regain their self-sufficiency so they can lead a full and productive life as part of the community.

### **Vision**

Our vision is to become a recognized non-profit charitable organization, specializing in the area of helping underprivileged, disadvantaged and impoverished people through programs that aims to better their lives.

### **Objectives**

- ❖ To provide educational sponsorships and scholarship to poor and/or disadvantaged children in Vietnam.
- ❖ To provide apprenticeship training grants to poor and/or disadvantaged young adolescents in Vietnam
- ❖ To provide assistance in the building or repair of infrastructure that will provide an environment and encourage poor and/or disadvantaged children to obtain a basic level of education at a minimum in Vietnam.
- ❖ To provide assistance with medical needs of poor and/or disadvantaged and disabled children in Vietnam to alleviate pain and suffering and increase the chance of a normal life for these children.
- ❖ To run and support other programs by Hands For Hope or other organisations that will provide access to at least a basic level of education for children from poor and/or disadvantaged background in Vietnam.

### **Management Committee Member (2004-2006)**

- ❖ Cuong Tran- President, [tran.m.cuong@gmail.com](mailto:tran.m.cuong@gmail.com)
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- ❖ Lien Huynh -Treasurer
- ❖ Ethyn Tang - Secretary, [h4h@handsforhope.org.au](mailto:h4h@handsforhope.org.au)
- ❖ Thu Nguyen, Tuan Nguyen, Hoang Nguyen, Nhan Nguyen & Tam Nguyen - Management Committee Members

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