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Charity no: 1182830

HELPING THE LESS FORTUNATE THROUGH ACTS
OF KINDNESS AND CHARITY

Charity projects

BCM Pound Projects update

We have now helped others in acts of kindness or charity for 65 consecutive months. This month's project was an act of compassion towards our fellow Muslims who are in a desperate situation. This month we donated towards food aid, medical supplies, water and sanitation and lifesaving essentials to the people of Palestine who are facing a chronic ongoing humanitarian crisis. The scale of the crisis is so vast that our donation may appear to be nominal but with continued donations, help from charities and our duas we hope to provide some relief for someone, anyone who is suffering. There are many blockades that are not allowing supplies into Gaza where they are most needed but there are several charities waiting at the borders ready to help when they can gain access to the communities who need the most help. We donated through a charity who is actually on the ground at the moment; Action for Humanity. This is an international Non-Government Organisation with over 12 years experience of responding to crises and emergencies. Their story began in 2011 shortly after the start of the Syrian conflict. Dismayed by the rapidly unfolding crisis, a group of doctors of Syrian heritage founded Syria Relief to provide relief. Over 12 years the charity grew in size and

scope and now they work in over 10 Muslim countries to help those that are suffering. To reach even more people Syria Relief became Action for Humanity & had reached over 10 million people around the world by 2020. This is one of the few registered humanitarian organisations operating in the occupied Palestinian territories without facing sanctions from any internal entity. They have a team within Gaza that implements projects directly and coordinates governmental bodies such as the Ministry of Health. Shipments of medical and relief materials are purchased and delivered to the Ministry of Health. We pray for the charities continued success so they can continue to fulfil their mission: to mobilize and respond to emergencies and critical needs through humanitarian, developmental and peace-building action, in order to empower affected communities to survive, recover & build a better future.

A note to say that your money is not used as zakat but as lillah. Jzk.

If family or friends wish to help with £1 per month please pass on the details below:

Monthly standing order of £1 or £12 payment for the year.

- Sort code: 30-96-26
- Account: 33569168
- Name: Birmingham council of mosques
- Ref: charity projects

