

## You can create a better world for working animals with a gift in your Will

Our vision is a world where every working animal lives a life free from suffering and is treated with compassion and respect. Please consider including a bequest to SPANNA in your Will – and help us make that world a reality.

SPANNA's unique combination of treating, training and teaching will create a more compassionate future for working animals in the poorest countries of the world, but we can't do it without you. Your bequest – whatever the size – could play a vital part.



### How your bequest could help working animals:

#### TREAT

Our dedicated vets work where the animals work. Not only saving lives but also travelling thousands of miles to bring a lifeline to desperately ill or injured working animals. SPANNA is a practical, hands-on charity. We promise to always be that lifeline. Your bequest will help us keep this promise.

#### TRAIN

Community training helps owners understand the importance of well-fitted equipment, a proper diet and sufficient rest to keep their animal free from avoidable injury. Gifts in Wills help prevent the needless suffering of animals. This sustainable change will benefit millions of working animals for generations to come.

#### TEACH

In the world's poorest communities most children grow up surrounded by animals that are seen as little more than tools or transport. SPANNA's education programmes transform ignorance or fear into understanding and kindness towards all animals. A bequest to SPANNA will help us foster compassion to last a lifetime.

**So many working animals live short, painful lives.**

**A bequest to SPANNA will help bring us closer to a world where animals live their lives free from suffering.**

**Please turn over for more information about including a bequest to SPANNA in your Will.**





## Deciding what you wish to give

We recognize that your first priority when making a Will is to provide for your loved ones. However, many people find that even after they have done this they can still leave a gift in their Will to charity. Leaving a gift in your Will to SPANA is one of the most valuable and lasting ways you can support working animals.

**ONE** A good way to help is to leave a percentage or share of what is left of your estate (known as a residuary bequest) after you have provided for your loved ones and all financial commitments have been paid. This way, as the value of your assets increase or decrease, your legacy will adjust also.

**TWO** You may wish to leave a fixed sum of money (known as a pecuniary bequest). Please bear in mind that this type of gift does not allow for changes in your circumstances or inflation.

**THREE** You can leave a particular item (known as a specific bequest), such as a piece of art or jewellery, which can be sold to support our work.

**Sample wording to leave a bequest to SPANA. The following wording may assist your solicitor.**

**If you wish to donate a percentage of your estate after providing for loved ones:**

"I give XX% of my estate to The Society for the Protection of Animals Abroad (Australia) Limited 'SPANAN' Charity ABN 53617228109 for its general purposes and the receipt of a proper officer of this charity shall be sufficient discharge."

**If you wish to donate a specific sum:**

"I give the sum of A\$ (amount written in words and in numbers) to The Society for the Protection of Animals Abroad (Australia) Limited 'SPANAN' Charity ABN 53617228109 for its general purposes and the receipt of a proper officer of this charity shall be sufficient discharge."

**If you wish to donate a specific item:**

"I give to The Society for the Protection of Animals Abroad (Australia) Limited 'SPANAN' Charity ABN 53617228109 for its general purposes, my \_\_\_\_\_ and the receipt of a proper officer of this charity shall be sufficient discharge."

**When writing or amending your Will, we recommend that you seek legal advice from a solicitor.**

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*Thank you*