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## How to Support the Foundation for the Education of Rural Children Fund at Give2Asia

*This document outlines how donors in the United States and Canada, and overseas donors with U.S. or Canadian assets, may support the Foundation for the Education of Rural Children (FERC), Thailand, with tax-deductible contributions to Give2Asia.*

### Background

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### Foundation for the Education of Rural Children

The Foundation for the Education of Rural Children (FERC) was established in 2002 with an objective to provide aid and support for education, medical care, finance, materials, and equipment to children and their deserving poor families in Northern Thailand. Most of FERC's main activities are dedicated to fundraising and making grants to other charitable organizations. In addition, FERC also has a dedicated Scholarship Program that consists of two components; a Fund for Designated Scholarships and an Emergency Scholarship Fund. The former is awarded to rural students selected on a basis of merit for one to two years. Meanwhile, the Emergency Fund is awarded on a needs basis for students who are in an urgent or sudden financially disadvantaged situation.

### Notable aspects of the Foundation for the Education of Rural Children Fund (FERC) include:

- **Gifts for FERC are tax deductible.** Give2Asia is recognized as a tax exempt charitable organization in the United States (ID# 94-3373670) and Canada (Business number 85508 7045 RR0001). As such, donations are tax deductible according to U.S. and Canadian law. Please consult your financial advisor on structuring your giving for maximum tax benefit.
- **You will receive a thank you letter and receipt in recognition of your gift.** Upon receiving a gift of \$50 or greater, Give2Asia will issue a thank you letter and receipt recognizing your gift for the Foundation for the Education of Rural Children Fund (FERC). This letter may be used for tax reporting purposes.

### To support FERC through Give2Asia, please complete and mail the following form.

*Give2Asia is honored to partner with FERC to provide a cost-effective solution for connecting with its U.S. and Canadian supporters.*

For questions, please contact:

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43 North Sixth Street, Stroudsburg, PA 18360

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*Please note Foundation for the Education of Rural Children-FERC so that it may be properly applied.*

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