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Project Name: SRI VIKAS BHARATHI SCHOOL

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Part I: Information about your group/organization

Please feel free to attach any additional sheets and/or information such as brochures, press reports etc.

1. Name of the group/organization requesting funds.

Kamalakar Memorial Charitable Trust. (Regd.No.511-Year1990)

2. When was the group established?

In 1990(nineteen ninety)

3. Briefly describe the motivation for starting this group.

Our members used to take part in medical camps conducted by lions club in slum localities. On such occasions we have witnessed the miserable conditions of the slum people. Poverty and illiteracy of the slum people had made deep impact on the collective psyche of our members.Sri Vikasbharati School was setup to provide educational facilities to the children from slums. Since 1990 this school is imparting conventional education to the poor and the down-trodden children of slum localities.

4. Briefly describe the aims of your group.

- To promote literacy among the illiterates.
- To provide educational facilities especially to the slum dwellers and other down trodden communities by establishing primary and high school level schools.
- To provide vocational training facilities (to the students) by introducing courses like typewriting, tailoring, painting and drawing and other low cost technical courses. Computer education is also part of our planned future vocational training programs.

5. Does your group have any religious or political affiliation? If yes, please describe the type of affiliation and the reason for it.

NO. Our group is purely secular and nonreligious. Students belonging to all religions are admitted and given proper education. They receive equal treatment from our institution. Students belonging to other states are also given admission and equally treated. We have no political affiliation.

6. What non education-related community development activities is your group involved in?

- a. We conduct community health camps both in rural areas.
- b. We conduct awareness programs relating to health and hygiene, sanitation, childcare etc.
- c. We are involved in prevention of child labour and bonded labour and also problems of street children.
- d. We are organizing and promoting self-employment groups in rural areas.

Part II: Details about your educational project/s

7. List the school/s run by your group, and their locations. If you are requesting funds for only a few of several schools, please specify which one/s.

Sri Vikas Bharati School
Anand Nagar Cross Road, Bandlaguda, Nagole, Hyderabad
Andhra Pradesh, INDIA.

Funds are requested to provide support for constructing a school building and for running the school.

8. Location of school/s ☐ Urban ☒ Rural ☐ Other _____

9. Specify the type of education provided (e.g. basic literacy, vocational training etc.).

Basic literacy and also conventional education. We follow state government syllabus to train students for government examinations. Instructions are given in both English and Telugu media.

10. Please tell us about your teaching techniques (conventional vs. alternative).

Conventional methods.

11. What is the literacy rate in the local community?

According to the latest survey conducted by us the literacy rate is 10% to 15%.

12. Describe the socio-economic background of the children and their parents (e.g. education, occupational). If any of your students are employed, please tell us about that as well.

- Many of the parents depend on seasonal employment for their livelihood. Since their employment is not regular their income is also uncertain.
- Many of them are daily-wage earners, like masons, carpenters, rickshaw pullers, watchmen and domestic servants.
- Students who had passed out from this school are employed in skilled/unskilled professions in various organizations.

13. In addition to education, does your group provide any other services to the children in your schools (e.g. food, health care, clothing, etc.)?

We are providing only educational facilities. This is our regular and on-going service project. For want of funds we are not able to provide other services regularly. Occasionally we conduct health camps with the cooperation of lions club.

14. Does your school have:

Its own building(s): ☐ Yes ☒ No Number _____

Number and type of classrooms (e.g. Pukka): _____

	Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
Toilets	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Playground	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Toys	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chairs & Tables	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Blackboard	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Library	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Drinking water	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Electricity	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Computers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Laboratory	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Teaching aids (e.g. books/slates)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

15. How many children are currently enrolled in your school(s)?

Male 105 Female 85 Age Range 3-14 years

16. How many staff are employed at your schools?

Teachers 12 Minimum Qualifications S.S.C. (10th class)

Other staff 2

17. Average distance the children travel to attend your school 2 K.M

18. How many children have gone through your program in the past five years and what are they doing currently? Please tell us about their future education and employment possibilities.

- Some of our students are studying higher education like intermediate, degree.
- Some are under-going apprenticeship in typing, tailoring basic computer courses.
- Candidates are trained in Vocational courses and are earning their livelihood.

19. Do you help your students with their future education efforts after they have passed out of your school?

1. Members of our organization conduct counselling and guidance to the parents and students. We advice them how to apply for the job oriented courses and how to build up their future career.
2. We also show them ways and means to secure suitable employment in various fields and firms.
3. We also help them in arranging financial assistance through private donors, lions club and such other agencies depending upon the requirements.

20. Are there any other schools (Kindergarten/Balwadi, Elementary school, High school) in the area? If so, please list the schools and the range of classes each of them offers.

Nearby there is a School by name Jayasai school and classes are run in this school upto 7TH Standard.

21. Is your program different from that provided at these schools? Please explain.

We provide instruction in both English as well as Telugu(local language)and as such parents migrating to Hyderabad for their livelihood as labourers belonging to states other than Andhra Pradesh (A.P) and whose mother tongue is not Telugu will prefer to admit their children in our school because the medium is English. Further our school is recognised by the Government of A.P. upto 7th standard and we are planning up to 10th standard too. We have also introduced vocational courses in our curriculum.

22. Why are the children in your school/s not attending government/other schools in the local area?

- a) Government schools are over crowded.
- b) The medium of instruction is Telugu.
- c) Further people living in these localities are migrants from other states and their mother tongue is not Telugu. Since our school has English Medium it is more useful to them. They will easily understand the subjects.
- d) In respect of standard of education and discipline and proper care towards the students, parents find that our system is better than that of in government school. Hence the parents prefer our school.

23. Do you try to involve the parents of the children in the running of the school (e.g. in setting the syllabus etc.)? Please specify.

- a. We conduct parent-teacher meetings to appraise the progress of their wards.
- b. We frequently visit the families from which the students come to appraise them about the importance of giving good education to their children
- c. Since most of the parents are uneducated they can't participate in discussions as such we take responsibility to appraise them all the problems relating to them.

24. What are your expansion plans for the future (e.g. adding more classes or schools)?

- a. We intend to open additional sections in each standard to meet demands of more such students who seek admission.
- b. We are planning to get government recognition upto S.S.C (ie 10th standard) to fulfill the needs of rural children.

25. Do you have any suggestions on how Asha can be a positive influence in changing the education scenario in India?

Asha can adopt some of these schools setup with the ideology of serving the poor and facing financial difficulties due to paucity of funds.

26. If possible, please provide us with the contact information of two individuals from your community who can describe the impact of your program.

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27. Asha for Education requires reports from its projects every six months to continue funding. Please provide the contact information for the person from your group who will be responsible for these reports.

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Part III: Financial Details

Please feel free to attach any information such as annual reports, budgets etc.

28. What sources fund your group's activities at present? List the sources and the current and future funding from each of them. If these funds are meant for a specific part of your group's activities, please describe those restrictions.

- Most of the money that we need for our operation is generously funded by Smt.Bharati Devi. Her support is the life line of our organization.
- Occasionally we receive funds from private donors and philanthropists.
- We also receive funds Occasionally from lions club. (No regular funding from them)
- Very few parents extend their meager contributions

29. Please provide us with details of your projected budget for the next 3 years:

Year(s)	Recurring costs	Fixed costs
2005-2006	Rs 30,000/month(salaries and rents)	
2006-2007	Rs 30,000/month(salaries and rents)	
2007-2008	Rs 30,000/month(salaries and rents)	

30. Salary expenditure details:

	Number	Salary Range
Teachers	12	Rs 800/- to Rs 1800/-

