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BUDDHIST TZU CHI MERIT ORGANIZATION (SINGAPORE) LTD

***MEDIA INFORMATION***

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**FUNDRAISING FOR TZU CHI MALAYSIA COVID-19 RELIEF WORKS 2021**

**SINGAPORE, 8 AUGUST 2021:** Tzu Chi Organization (Singapore) has approached our Malaysian counterparts, Tzu Chi Malaysia to help out with an official fund-raising project aimed at helping those in need during the current COVID-19 pandemic. With the situation in Malaysia seeing no end in sight, areas such as Kuala Lumpur (KL) and Selangor are amongst the most badly hit. Despite an indefinite nationwide lockdown since June 1, 2021, the number of COVID-19 cases have not yet experienced a significant dip, and thus this fund-raising project will hope to tide the country over this trying period.

On this project, Tzu Chi Organization (Singapore) CEO, Low Swee Seh said: “Singapore and Malaysia are just like one family. We want to reach out to help and I am glad that we have already started fund-raising for this.”

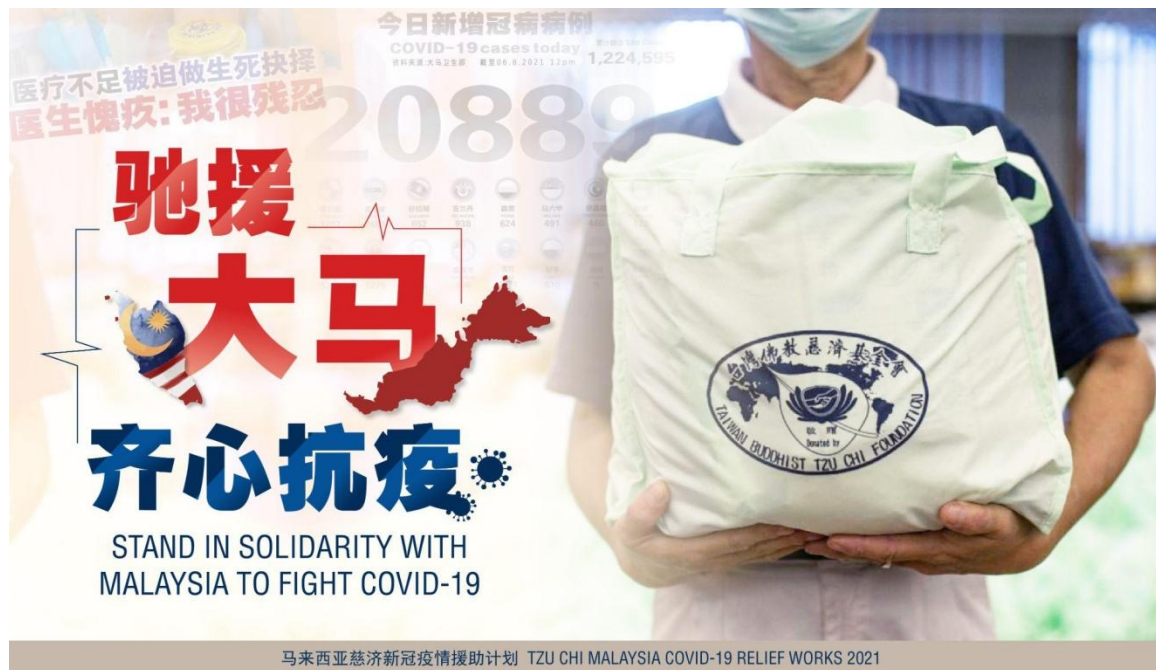
This fund-raising will be organised under the legal entity, Buddhist Tzu Chi Merit Organization (Singapore) Ltd., with the organisation undertaking the accounting and remittance of all donations to Malaysia. The targeted donation amount is currently set at SGD \$500,000, with all donations being non-tax deductible. Additionally, the collection period will be for two months from 8 Aug 2021 to 9 October 2021.

**Interested donors can make their donations via the following channels:**

- 1) [Tzu Chi Organization \(Singapore\) web page](#) – PayNow and Cheque
- 2) Physical donation at [Jing Si Hall](#) – Cash, PayNow and Cheque
- 3) [GIVE.asia](#)

\* Cheque payable to “TZU CHI MERIT ORGANIZATION”, with “MSIA COVID-19 2021”, and indicate donor English full name (and Chinese if available) and address at the back of the cheque.

\* For donations made via PayNow, “MSIA COVID-19 2021” should be indicated in the remarks. Additionally, all donations to Tzu Chi Organization (Singapore) via PayNow during the two-month collection period will be considered as donations for this cause.



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**ABOUT BUDDHIST TZU CHI MERIT ORGANIZATION (SINGAPORE) LTD**

The Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation is a global non-profit humanitarian organisation founded in 1966 by a Buddhist nun named Dharma Master Cheng Yen in Taiwan. Its missions of charity, medicine, education, humanistic culture and environmental protection has brought relief to over 100 countries.

Established in 2016, the organisation carries out aid work and religious activities that benefit people and bring forth the spirit and essence of Buddhism. As a registered charitable organisation, it provides humanitarian aid to those in need overseas, regardless of their race or religion. Its relief efforts are funded by locally-raised funds and carried out in accordance with the Law and regulations.

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