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**Sent:** 13 November 2010 12:21  
**To:** nmbva@tiscali.co.uk  
**Subject:** Thank you for your support

Dear Mr Burden


Thank you ever so much for your kind donation in support of The Gurkha Welfare Trust. Whilst I would have preferred to send a more formal letter of appreciation, I hope you will accept this rather brief email message of thanks.

We will use your donation to support Gurkhas facing poverty and distress. As you are aware, the focus of the Trust's work is the provision of a monthly welfare pension to 10,000 old soldiers and widows in Nepal who have no other source of income. We also provide a first class medical scheme, hardship grants and community aid projects to needy Gurkhas.

Increased numbers of Gurkhas are arriving in the UK and the Trust is ready to respond. However, we must never lose our focus on Nepal or the oldest, most frail veterans who will remain in their Hill villages and reliant on the Trust for the remainder of days.

Once again, thank you for your contribution to helping repay our debt of honour to these proud and deserving servants of the Crown.

Yours sincerely



Colonel William F Shuttlewood OBE, Director

**We confirm we have received the following**

Mr Fred Burden  
Email : nmbva@tiscali.co.uk

**Comment : Generously given by applicants of the PJM medal at a Presentation held on the 8<sup>th</sup> November 2010 at the Ramada Hotel in Kent**

**Donation Details**

Donation Type : General  
Donation Amount : £1400.00