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St. Stephen's College Preparatory School Parents Teachers Association

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Dear Sirs,

On behalf of the underprivileged children, I write to express our heartfelt gratitude to you for the generous donation of \$40,000 book vouchers and 200 books to the underprivileged children. Your generous donation and strong support enable SoCO to lend a helping hand to the underprivileged children in their hard time. Thank you so much for your support and bringing joy and hope to the underprivileged children.

In the past year, the underprivileged not only have suffered much from high inflation, but also financial crisis. According to our latest survey in May 2009, it was found that over 90% of the underprivileged families encountered wage deduction or unemployment in the past few months. Their earnings can hardly support them to have three meals a day. The number of workers with monthly income of \$5,000 or less has increased from 440,000 to 510,000 in the past two years. Children suffer the most. Now, there are about 350,000 children living under poverty line. SoCO has worked hard to advocate for supporting resources and policies to fight for employment policies and rehousing policy for the children and their parents. At the same time, SoCO has mobilized social resources to provide temporary resources and services to support the underprivileged.

It can be foreseen that it will be a harder year for the underprivileged and SoCO in the coming year. Your donation is extremely important and precious to us in such a difficult time. SoCO currently reaches out to help about 10,000 underprivileged people.

Enclosed please kindly find the leaflets and our publication, 'Our Treasure' for your reference. I am looking forward to joining hands with you again to serve the underprivileged in the days to come. If you need any further information, please feel free to contact me or our social worker, Miss SZE Lai Shan at 2713 9165 or 9152 4332 or soco@pacific.net.hk.

Wish all of you all the best!

With best wishes and warmest regards,

HO Hei Wah, BBS
Director
Society for Community Organization (SoCO)



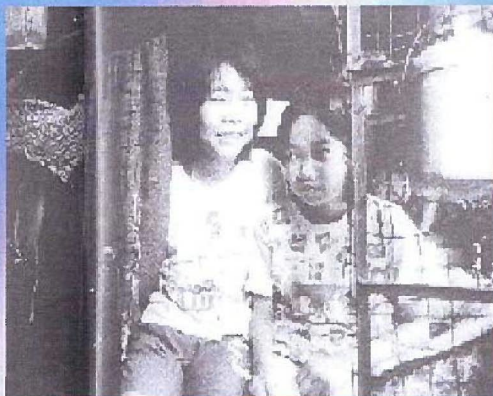
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Certificate of Appreciation

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Society for Community Organization is highly appreciate the generous donation and support of St. Stephen's College Preparatory School Parents Teachers Association to the children living in poverty in May 2010.



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