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1 We are a growing group of caring members from all over the world. Each of us donates ten euros per month. We use that money to place purchase orders with Disco Supermarkets through the Internet. Disco delivers the products to Argentine charity organizations we choose. Do you want to know more about us?

2 The members were originally a small group of friends who trusted one another entirely. Now the system is running, and we are inviting new caring members to join us.

3 Ten euros monthly seems reasonable in terms of individual contribution. Our objective is to raise funds not through big contributions but through a great number of members. The system we chose, due to its feasibility, consists in a bank account which belongs only to **diezeuros.org**. This makes it easier to monitor the income and expenses as well as to justify such movements when needed.

4 We chose Disco Supermarkets since it is the only chain in Argentina that combines two elements: it accepts purchase orders paid from abroad through credit card and it delivers the goods for a small fee.

5 The charity organizations that receive our assistance are soup kitchens and homeless shelters. It is easy to search the web for information on such institutions; Red Solidaria (www.redsolidaria.org.ar), Ser Solidario (www.sersolidario.org.ar) and Fundación La Nación keep updated lists of organizations at risk. Following said lists, we choose those organizations that combine the following conditions: being included within Disco's delivery area, being in need of goods that may be purchased in a supermarket, and having an email address, either the

organization itself or any of its members.

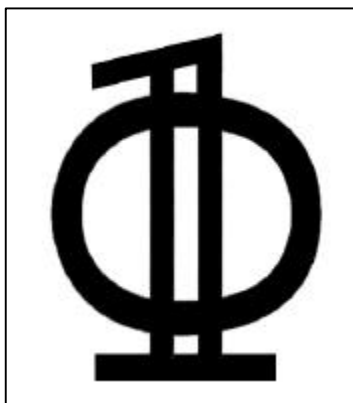
6 We are already working in many fields but looking forward to taking our next steps together with you. Our organization has been incorporated as an NGO in Spain and the corresponding TIN has been obtained. On March 2004 (once the two years required by law have elapsed) a public service statement will be issued and all contributions made to **diezeuros.org** will then be tax-deductible in Spain.

7 We have set up several email lists through which every member is kept informed (those emails sent to this "common" address are automatically forwarded to every member) as well as all institutions and volunteers in Argentina. We use said system to communicate any internal news, and in addition to this, each institution sends feedback confirming the receipt of the delivery in order for the members to know about the ongoing assistance. Our web site is constantly updated making it easy to follow.

8 We publicize through word-of-mouth asking for assistance to already existing organizations, to the press and to Argentine consulates. This way we intend to reach many prospective members who may be interested in joining us.

9 Goods are distributed providing for reliability and good planning. Each institution receives up to 100 euros per month in products. Only when we succeed in collecting a further 100 euros from new members, do we add a new charity to help.

10 We count on on-site volunteers who constitute an essential contact point in Argentina. Silvia Páez, our coordinator in Buenos Aires, is also our contact with Red Solidaria.



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