

PRESSINFORMATION

First mobile clinic of campaign "Tränchen trocknen" gets rolling in Calcutta

Regine Sixt Kinderhilfe e.V. supports Doctors for Developing Countries

Munich, August 27, 2008 – The moment finally came at the end of July. The first mobile clinic of the campaign "Tränchen trocknen" ("Drying little tears") sponsored by the Regine Sixt Kinderhilfe e.V. (children's aid organisation) was handed over to fellow employees of the organisation "Doctors for Developing Countries" in Calcutta. The vehicle, which is in operation for the women's and girls' tuberculosis hospital, now enables the German doctors to transport either one patient in a reclining position or up to nine sitting patients.

"It is simply unbelievable what the German doctors of the organisation do in their holiday time", says Regine Sixt. "It is just natural for me to help out and assist the campaign "Tränchen trocknen" by contributing to the improvement of the medical conditions in the developing countries, and I thank all those who have helped us with their donations so far."

"Doctors for Developing Countries" has been operating its own clinics in Kenya, India, the Philippines and many other countries since 1997. The campaign "Tränchen trocknen" of the Regine Sixt Kinderhilfe e.V. would like to support this "Rolling Clinics" project. The vehicles are converted into mobile medical practices and are thus able to guarantee expeditious medical care, even in the remotest corners of the world.

Anybody can become an ambassador for the campaign "Tränchen trocknen". Each cent counts when it comes to supporting the projects of the Regine Sixt Kinderhilfe e.V. in the poorest countries of the world, and thus giving children back a little smile.

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