

# DIOCESE IN EUROPE

THE CHURCH  
OF ENGLAND



## **GIFT AID DECLARATION**

I would like the Diocese in Europe to treat (tick one box only) :

- the enclosed donation of £ \_\_\_\_\_
- the donation(s) of £ \_\_\_\_\_ which I made on \_\_\_\_\_ (date)
- all donations I make from the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise
- all donations I have made for the six years prior to this year, (but no earlier than 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2003) and all donations I make from the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise NB: From 31<sup>st</sup> March 2010 this period drops to 4 years.

as Gift Aid donations for the benefit of the Costa Blanca Anglican Chaplaincy of the Diocese in Europe, my local church is .....

Cheques should be made out to the 'Diocese in Europe Board of Finance'.

Full name : \_\_\_\_\_

Full address : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Postcode : \_\_\_\_\_

### Notes :

- (1) If your declaration covers donations you may make in the future: please notify the Diocese in Europe if you change your name or address while the declaration is still in force. You can cancel the declaration at any time by notifying the Diocese in Europe – it will then not apply to donations you make on or after the date of cancellation or such later date as you specify
- (2) You must pay an amount of UK Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax at least equal to the tax that the Diocese in Europe reclaims on your donations in the tax year (currently 25p for each £1 you give). In addition, the HMRC will pay the charity 2% Transitional Relief for the tax years 2008/9 to 2010/11 to cover the change in the basic rate of Income Tax from 22% to 20% from the start of the 2008/9 tax year.
- (3) If in the future your circumstances alter and you no longer pay UK tax on your income/capital gains equal to the tax that the Diocese in Europe reclaims, you can cancel your declaration (see note 1)
- (4) If you pay at the higher rate you can claim further tax relief in your Self Assessment tax return.
- (5) If you are unsure whether your donations qualify for Gift Aid tax relief, ask the Diocese in Europe. Or refer to help sheet IR65 on the HMRC web site.

**Please return this form to 14, Tufton Street, London, SW1P 3QZ**  
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