

# Frequently asked questions

We understand that while you're thinking about writing your will, you might have some questions. Below are the answers to some of the more common ones. If there's anything else we haven't covered or you're not sure about, feel free to contact your local country office using the contact details at the bottom of your letter.



## Why should I write a will?

Without a will the government will determine how your assets are divided. This can mean that money may not go to those you wish to receive it. Writing a will gives you the peace of mind that your affairs are in order and allows you the opportunity to remember loved ones and your favourite charity.

## Can Animals Asia act as my executor?

No. As we are a small charity we would be unable to act as executors for someone's will. If we were named as an executor we would need to get legal assistance to complete this duty, so if you are unsure who to add as an executor you may wish to talk to your legal adviser about this.

## How much does it cost to have a will written?

The cost will vary depending on how complicated your estate is. Please check with your legal adviser.

## How will Animals Asia use my gift?

Animals Asia is so grateful for every legacy we receive. As we rely entirely on donations, every gift, no matter its size, has a vital impact on our work. We will spend your gift where the need is greatest at the time.

## What happens if I change my mind or my circumstances change?

You can amend your will at any time if you change your mind or if your situation changes. Keeping an up to date will is very important to ensure your wishes can still be met following a change in circumstances.



## Contact us for more information

If you have a question about leaving a gift in your will, please email Animals Asia at [leavelegacy@animalsasia.org](mailto:leavelegacy@animalsasia.org)

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