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CONSULTATION ON THE DEFINITION OF A CHARITY.

Reply to the request for "Information that will help the Board frame its recommendations to the Government".

Question 1. The name of the Organisation is the Herston and Kelvin Grove Residents Action Group Inc.
The contact details are The Secretary, Herston and Kelvin Grove Residents Action Group Inc., P.O. Box 900, Fortitude Valley, Queensland, 4006.
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Question 2. The betterment of our communities of the Herston and Kelvin Grove areas with respect to well planned housing, transport, recreation, parks, social aspects, and any other needs.

Question 3. The principal reasons for making a submission are :-
(1) The Organisation is not a "charity" in the "traditional sense" of the word, but does community related work at no cost or favour or fear, to all the people in the community regardless with no discrimination, and is a public benevolent institution.
(2) The Group is a community based self help, self funded, not-for-profit organisation, philanthropic, altruistic in outlook, and is not covered by any Government provision, and is in the "grey area" of all Departments, thus receiving no grants, no concessions, no handouts, and no assistance whatsoever.

Question 4. No. (The reasons see question 3). Not applicable. Not applicable.

Question 5. No. First question. No. second question. (for an explanation of question 3).

Question 6. No. First question. No. second question. No. third question.

Question 7. In the present circumstances, YES. This will have to be monitored in the future, and be upgraded as the situation arises. It is desirable that a review be kept on the social environment as it changes.

Question 8. NO.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. "What is a disqualifying purpose ?"

Item 1.50 "Attempting to change the Law or Government policy".

QUESTIONS. What does one do when there is no law, when there is no law or Government policy, or the Law is wrong or incorrect, or discriminatory, or runs contrary to Our Group's policy ? Does one sit and grin and bear it fearing if one does, they will loose all grants, all concessions and all favour ? I think not as this would be contrary to all ideals of the Group. We are against this provision, and is a denial of our freedom of speech.

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