

Sample Bequest Language

A gift to Human Rights Watch in your will or revocable trust proclaims your confidence that we will continue to defend the rights of people worldwide. A bequest:

- is easy to arrange,
- will not alter your current lifestyle in any way, and
- can be easily modified to address your changing needs.

Residual Bequest Language

A residual bequest comes to us after your estate expenses and specific bequests are paid:

I give and devise to Human Rights Watch (Tax ID # 13-2875808), located at 350 Fifth Avenue, 34th Floor, New York, NY 10118-3299, all (or state a percentage) of the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).

Specific Bequest Language

Naming Human Rights Watch as a beneficiary of a specific amount from your estate is easy:

I give and devise to Human Rights Watch (Tax ID # 13-2875808), located at 350 Fifth Avenue, 34th Floor, New York, NY 10118-3299, the sum of \$ (or asset) to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).

Contingent Bequest Language

Human Rights Watch can be named as a contingent beneficiary in your will or personal trust if one or more of your specific bequests cannot be fulfilled:

If (insert name) is not living at the time of my demise, I give and devise to Human Rights Watch (Tax ID # 13-2875808), located at 350 Fifth Avenue, 34th Floor, New York, NY 10118-3299, the sum of \$ (or all or a percentage of the residue of my estate) to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).