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Cyclone Phailin Disaster Relief Fund Appeal



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Cyclone Phailin, categorized as "Very Severe," hit the coastal state of Odisha, India, at over 125 mph on the night of Oct 12, 2013 causing severe damage to four districts of Ganjam, Khurdha, Puri and Jagatshingpur. In Ganjam, the worst affected district, 30 villages are submerged under water and 43 casualties were reported by 5 pm India time on Oct 14. Over 800,000 people along coastal Odisha were evacuated to safer zones before Phailin struck. Partner NGOs such as Utkal Bipanna Sahayata Samiti (UBSS) have set up eight relief centers at Berhampur, Gopalpur, and Chatrapur providing shelter to over 2,000 cyclone victims

VHP of America requests your kind contribution to help the victims and their family who are affected by this devastation. VHP of America will work with appropriate agency to ensure that the donated funds are used only to help the victims of this natural disaster.

The volunteers from our sister organizations in Bharat will visit the affected areas, assess damage, provide emergency medical relief, provide food and clothes and eventually adopt villages for rehabilitation



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Previously VHP of America has extended their help with volunteers to help in Hurricane Sandy, Katrina and 911 disasters. We raised and donated large sum of funds to the victims of Katrina, 911 attack, Haiti earth quake, Fiji Flood victims, Japan earth quake, Gujarat earth quake and numerous other disasters. During Uttaranchal floods with help from you all VHP of America had donated \$100,000 to help the victims. Please help VHPA uphold its mission of Seva (selfless service) wherein lies the very essence of Hindu dharma.

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Thank you.

Girish M Gandhi

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