啓 事

法界佛教總會萬佛聖城暨各分支道場多年來秉承 佛陀戒殺護生之慈悲本懷,定期舉辦放生法 會。本會為進一步闡揚放生法會所代表的慈悲精神與尊重生命的教義,自本日起擬擴大現有及未來 放生基金之用途,包括以下項目:(一)繼續定期舉辦放生法會。(二)出版倡導戒殺護生及推廣 素食之文章、書籍、雜誌、CD等各式媒體。(三)舉辦倡導戒殺護生、推廣素食之講座及相關活 動。(四)救濟被虐待、受傷害動物等相關活動。(五)成立或購置供放生動物棲息之處所。

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Announcement

For many years, the Dharma Realm Buddhist Association at the City of Ten Thousand Buddhas and its branches have been following the Buddha's original compassionate intent to prevent killing and protect life by conducting liberating life ceremonies at regular intervals. In order to enlarge the scope of the spirit of compassion and the teachings of regard for life embodied in the ceremonies for liberating life, starting from today the Association proposes to expand the use of present and future funds designated for liberating life to include the following items: 1) Continuing to conduct liberating life ceremonies at regular intervals; 2) Publishing various categories of media—articles, books, periodicals, compact discs and so forth—advocating prevention of killing and protection of life and encouraging vegetarianism; 3) Conducting lectures and other activities connected with advocating prevention of killing and protection of life and encouraging vegetarianism; 4) Rescuing abused /injured animals and other such related activities; 5) Creating or acquiring habitats for liberated animals.

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