

We have been asked on a number of occasions about how a little something can be left to Pussies Galore Rescue after a person passes. There are a number of ways this can be done when preparing or amending your Will, depending on which best suits your needs. Just provide the relevant wording to your solicitor or Public Trust Officer:

A percentage of your estate:

This type of bequest has the advantage of not being affected by inflation. The percentage may be any amount you choose up to 100%.

The correct wording of such a gift is "I give and bequeath X% of my estate to Pussies Galore Rescue ABN: 44464901802, for its general purposes and declare that the receipt of an executive officer at the time shall be sufficient discharge of my executor's duty".

Specific Bequests:

You can leave Pussies Galore Rescue a specified dollar amount or you can specify a particular asset, such as real estate, art, shares, jewellery, etc. The downside of leaving a particular asset is that in the event of you not having updated your Will regularly certain assets or chattels may no longer be in your possession and, unless you have specified a financial substitution, the beneficiary will receive nothing.

The correct wording of such a gift is "I give and bequeath the SUM of \$x to Pussies Galore Rescue, ABN: 44464901802, for its general purposes and declare that the receipt of an executive officer at the time shall be sufficient discharge of my executor's duty".

Residuary Bequests:

After you have looked after your family, friends and any debts, you may chose to leave what remains to Pussies Galore Rescue. This is one of the most effective types of bequests because it has the advantage of ensuring that the real dollar value of your bequest is not eroded over time by inflation over time. Additionally, you can leave the whole residual or a percentage of the residual.

The correct wording of such a gift for the whole residual is "After the fore going provisions of my Will for my family and friends have been carried out, I give the rest and residue of whatever kind of my estate remaining for the general purposes of Pussies Galore Rescue, ABN: 44464901802, and declare that the receipt of an executive officer at the time shall be sufficient discharge of my executor's duty".

Or if you are leaving a percentage of the residue, the correct working is

"I give and bequeath % of the residue of my estate to Pussies Galore ABN: 44464901802, and declare that the receipt of an executive officer at the time shall be sufficient discharge of my executor's duty".