

MEMO : TO COUNCIL
 FROM : BR. G.T. FAULKNER
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 Re : ASSISTANCE FOR CHILD MIGRANTS

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INITIAL PROPOSAL Re: CHILD MIGRANT ASSISTANCE

- Preamble
- i) Christian Brothers do not accept total responsibility for the past and/or present suffering of former child migrants.
 - ii) A number of (many?) former child migrants are currently in need of assistance
 - counselling services
 - search for family
 - funds to see families
 - iii) I believe we should contribute to the assistance they need; many are invalid pensioners.

PROPOSAL:

- i) That we consider the establishment of a Trust Fund (or similar) for assistance as outlined above
- ii) That we seek/invite contributions from other sources including Government
- iii) That our initial contribution comes from
 - a) sale of Gloster Street property
 - b) moneys contributed from Drs. Tom and Gerry Cullity
 - c) Tardun Farm
 - d) general revenue (up to \$ "x")
 - e) Kean Estate (up to \$ "x").
- iv) That the fund be independently managed and operated.

CONCLUSION: This Proposal, if seen to be possible, clearly needs refinement; it is presently no more than a testing of the idea.

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