



Union Internationale de la Marionnette

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UNIMA Emergency Aid Charter

UNIMA Emergency Help brings aid in the form of food and hygiene products, as well as unique financial support for the safeguarding of housing, to the needy puppeteers and their families who have appealed to UNIMA. They are not intended to replace social services, official or private.

The anonymity of the beneficiaries is guaranteed. The people who work within UNIMA, undertake to act in confidentiality and not to undermine the dignity of the people who seek emergency help from UNIMA.

No economic participation is requested from beneficiaries of UNIMA Emergency Aid.

Each national center, each local branch, undertakes to respect these general principles, but it organizes and acts according to the people who compose it, their strengths, local customs and mentalities. The UNIMA Cooperation Commission coordinates their activities in order to join forces, avoid duplication and share experiences.

The term "UNIMA Emergency Help" may not be used for advertising or political purposes, the promotion of events, commercial products, etc. UNIMA's Emergency Help is animated by an ideal of solidarity between the puppeteers of the world which implies the respect of an ethics. Each antenna and each national center must be aware that its action does not only involve it, but that all the other antennas, and the whole UNIMA Association, are concerned with what it does.