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 Subject: A Day for a Cause at St. Columba's - Commitment from the Parents of the Young Children - 5th February

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Reverend Madam

This is in line with our discussions with Mr. Balam on pledging of organs, we beseech your cooperation. The details of the proposed program are as under:-

- St. Columba's School is a highly acclaimed school of Delhi and amongst the best schools in the country. The alumni list comprises of national and international famous people including Deshpik Chopra, Charak Khosla, Rajat Condat, Derek O'Brien, Gajendra Mehta, Singha, Narech Jony, Lall, Sunil to name a few. It has completed 75 years and is celebrating the platinum jubilee. As a part of these celebrations, there is a large carnival where parents of around 3000 students are expected. The total foot fall expected is around 9000.
- We are a part of the PTA body and wish to make this day as an important day in the lives of people, and also for the people who are not known to us, by organizing a huge Organ Pledge Camp.
- We wish that this organ donation concept is ingrained in the minds of the young generation and these small and young students witness, and request their parents to do something for a special cause, though the parents themselves shall be coming forward to pledge the organs.
- We the Parents of the PTA body shall facilitate a space and other arrangements for your organization to set up this stall/camp, needless to state that you shall get full support of us as volunteers.
- The event is planned for 07 February, 2017, Sunday, a complete day event at the grounds of St. Columba's, Ashok Place, New Delhi.

We earnestly request your support to help us and enable us to make a difference in the life of others. Request a confirmation from your end for setting up the camp.

Don't take organs to Heaven. Heaven knows we need them here - **ORBO please help us realize this.**

Should there be any further information, please feel free to contact us.

Regards,
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St. Columba's is celebrating the platinum jubilee year. At the Carnival on 5th Feb 2017, the parents of PTA body organised an **Organ Pledge** stall for a noble cause. **Organ Retrieval Banking Organisation** from AIIMS was invited to facilitate it. The entire parent family of St. Columba's extended its support. Many volunteered and encouraged parents and other guests to come forward to pledge their organs. Through this endeavour, the PTA was able to achieve:

- 1) Over 125 pledges; to donate cornea, all organs including, Heart, lungs, kidney, liver, skin and body.
- 2) Over 2000 parents who got sensitized towards the cause.
- 3) Boys and Alumni of St. Columba's, who are now better informed about Organ donation and probably a little more compassionate and empathetic!

