

## **Project Donor Design**

Objective: To permanently solve the organ donor shortage by providing financial payment to donor beneficiaries.

The Project's Organ Donation Design:

- a. The existing mechanisms by which individuals register to be organ donors remain intact and future mechanisms are embraced. Donors sign a 3" x 5" card contract at the time of registration. Registration remains voluntary and cancelable.
- b. In keeping with the contract, the sum of \$10,000 will be paid to the donor's designated beneficiaries or other beneficiaries according to law, when one or more organs are transplanted.
- c. Payment shall be made from a fund established by the federal government and/or the health insurance industry.
- d. A law or laws should be passed wherein the donation of organs via the contract, from a registered competent person of legal age, cannot be obviated by the deceased's family nor can hospitals or hospital personnel be sued in a court of law for transplanting such organs.
- e. Acknowledgment from the U.S. Congress and/or other payers that the donor was responsible for saving and/or improving the quality of another person's life will be made to the donor's family and loved ones.

Vested Interests: *all* must be satisfied.

1. transplant patients : organs in a timely fashion
2. donor families : money, legacy, mental solace and relief of anxiety - *the donor made the decision to donate organs* and authorized same via the execution of a legal document
3. transplant centers and personnel : mental solace - patients treated and saved, time and money savings
4. federal government : money savings
5. insurance companies : money savings