SAMPLE TRANSFER INSTRUCTIONS FOR QUALIFIED IRA GIFTS TO LEHIGH

Name of Account Owner/Donor Address City, State ZIP Phone number

Date
Name of IRA administrator Address City, State ZIP
RE: Request for Direct Qualified Charitable Distribution from IRA
Dear Sir or Madam:
Please accept this letter as my request to make a direct qualified charitable distribution from my Individual Retirement Account (IRA) # as authorized under section 408(d)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC).
Please issue a check in the amount of \$, payable to Lehigh University, and send the check to the following address:
Lehigh University Lorraine Wiedorn Asst. Vice President, Planned Giving 306 S. New Street, Suite 500 Bethlehem, PA 18015-1652
The qualified charitable organization's federal tax identification number is 24-0795445.
In your transmittal to Lehigh University, please reference my name and address as the donor of record in connection with this transfer, and copy me on the transmittal.
It is my intention that this gift complies with IRC §408(d)(8). It is also my intention to have this transfer qualify during the 2020 tax year. Therefore, please be sure to postmark it no later than December 31, 2020.
If you have any questions or concerns regarding this request, I can be reached at [insert your telephone number and/or email address].
Thank you for your prompt attention to and assistance in this matter.
Sincerely,
Donor Name