Introducing the release of Bitcoin Donations, a service for charitable donations

bitFlyer, Inc. (headquarters: Minato-ku, Tokyo; CEO: Yuzo Kano), in partnership with the Japanese Red Cross Society, has released Bitcoin Donations, a service that lets users donate to charitable causes with Bitcoin. With Bitcoin Donations, users can donate to the Japanese Red Cross Society simply by sending Bitcoin from their Bitcoin wallet or bitFlyer account to a dedicated Bitcoin address. bitFlyer receives no fees for the transaction.

bitFlyer is providing this service in the hope that the act of making donations for social change can in turn help Bitcoin become more widespread as a currency. We invite you to give the service a try.

Note: Donations received from users are not donated on an individual basis. They are donated to the Japanese Red Cross Society in bulk, so we cannot provide receipts or tax exemptions.

About the Red Cross

The Red Cross got its start based on the ideals of Henri Dunant, who promoted the idea of valuing human life and the treatment of those in suffering, be
they friend or foe. Today, the Red Cross is the world’s largest humanitarian organization, with locations in 189 countries and regions. The Japanese Red Cross Society is one such organization. Its activities began with care of the wounded after the Satsuma Rebellion. Since then, the organization has been involved in relief efforts in Japan and abroad, with a wide range of activities devoted to saving those in need.

bitFlyer plans to continue improving its services in pursuit of increased security and user-friendliness, creating a safe and convenient space for the trading of Bitcoin. Thank you for your continued support of bitFlyer.

Official URLs:
BITCOIN DONATIONS: http://bitcoindonations.bitflyer.jp/
Japanese Red Cross Society web site: http://www.jrc.or.jp/english/donate/
bitFlyer corporate web site: https://bitflyer.jp/en/