

# What wording should be used to include a gift in my Will to The Royal British Legion?

All bequests should be left to The Royal British Legion and must state our registered charity number 219279, together with the correct registered address: **The Royal British Legion, Haig House, 199 Borough High Street, London SE1 1AA.**

## Residuary Legacy *(percentage of your estate)*

The recommended wording for a **Residuary Legacy** (general charitable purposes) is:

I give [.....](%) of the residue of my real and personal estate to The Royal British Legion (Registered Charity No: 219279) of Haig House, 199 Borough High Street, London SE1 1AA absolutely for its general charitable purposes and the receipt of the Honorary Treasurer or the proper officer for the time being of The Royal British Legion shall be a complete discharge to my executors.

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The recommended wording for a **Residuary Legacy** (with expression of wish) is:

I give [.....](%) of the residue of my real and personal estate to The Royal British Legion (Registered Charity No: 219279) of Haig House, 199 Borough High Street, London SE1 1AA absolutely and I request The Royal British Legion but without imposing any binding trust or legal obligation to use the legacy for [.....] and the receipt of the Honorary Treasurer or the proper officer for the time being of The Royal British Legion shall be a complete discharge to my executors.



## **Pecuniary Legacy** *(a fixed sum of money)*

### **The recommended wording for a Pecuniary Legacy (general charitable purposes) is:**

I give the sum of [...] pounds (£) free of inheritance tax to The Royal British Legion (Registered Charity No: 219279) of Haig House, 199 Borough High Street, London SE1 1AA absolutely for its general charitable purposes and the receipt of the Honorary Treasurer or the proper officer for the time being of The Royal British Legion shall be a complete discharge to my executors.

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### **The recommended wording for a Pecuniary Legacy (with expression of wish):**

I give the sum of [...] pounds (£) free of inheritance tax to The Royal British Legion (Registered Charity No: 219279) of Haig House, 199 Borough High Street, London SE 1 1AA absolutely and I request The Royal British Legion but without imposing any binding trust or legal obligation to use the legacy for [...] and the receipt of the Honorary Treasurer or the proper officer for the time being of The Royal British Legion shall be a complete discharge to my executors.

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