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Project Abstract

CharitAble - a new way to charity

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In day-to-day life it is often observed that many people throw away usable goods mindlessly, the only reason being that they do not find the right avenues to donate them. Tragically, at the same time there are so many others whose aspirations for a quality life remain unfulfilled. To bridge this gap, a web application named 'CharitAble- a new way to charity' is introduced. This is a web application that will have an user-interface similar to that of an e-commerce website, but without the burden of monetary commitment, and will only be a means for non-profit charitable purposes. A website that connects two people based on their mutual needs and without any financial transactions – purely appealing to the innate charitable quality within to donate, while encouraging other

persons to avail of the opportunity that may make a huge difference in their quality of life.

All other existing systems primarily focus on only raising funds, and most of them are for medical purposes. Till date there does not exist a system that facilitates the donor to give away goods to those in need without a middleman. Traditional methods involve donors approaching established organizations and depending on them to supply their donations to the needy. Here, we provide a platform to directly connect donors and donees facilitating independent donation/acceptance of commodities to take place. Providing a platform as this is in itself a great opportunity for 'we the team' to do our bit for the social cause that can benefit humanity in the long run.