

# Bat Conservation Trust



Use Gift Aid to make the money you give worth more!

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*If you're a UK taxpayer you can use Gift Aid to make your donations and membership subscriptions go further by completing this declaration. For every £1 that you donate to the Bat Conservation Trust (BCT), we can currently claim 25p in Gift Aid tax relief.*

*There is no extra cost to you and the process is easy – all you have to do is make a Gift Aid declaration. Just one declaration can apply to all donations that you have made to us over the past 4 years and to any future gifts you make, until you notify us otherwise.*

Tick all that apply:

- I would like to Gift Aid all future donations until further notice*
- I would like to Gift Aid all donations for BCT's current financial year and the previous four*

Forename(s)  Surname

Address

Postcode  Date:  Signature:

*To qualify for Gift Aid, you must pay an amount of UK Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax at least equal to the tax that BCT reclaims on your donations in the appropriate tax year (currently 25p for each £1 given)\**

*Tax year is 6th April to the following 5th April.*

## Notes:

- 1. You can cancel this Declaration at any time by notifying BCT*
- 2. If your circumstances change and you no longer pay enough income or capital gains tax to cover the amount claimed by BCT, you can cancel your declaration. Likewise, please notify BCT if you change your name or address*
- 3. If you pay tax at the higher rate, you can claim further tax relief via your Self-Assessment tax return (currently 25p for each pound you give)\*\**
- 4. If you pay less income tax and/or Capital Gains Tax than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all your donations in that tax year, it is your responsibility to pay the difference*

*\* Gift Aid is linked to basic rate tax which is currently 20% allowing charities to reclaim 25 pence on the pound.*

*\*\* Higher rate taxpayers can claim back the difference between basic rate and higher rate tax.*