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A Staff Member at the Organ Donation Office of the Red Cross Society of China, Shanghai Branch, Huangpu District
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Summary
The Red Cross organ donation office staff in Shanghai, Huangpu District, said that they had only begun the organ donation work in the first half of 2014. Their superiors had issued a document to launch organ donation work at the beginning of 2014, and organ donation was very difficult. There had only been five cases of organ donations in the entire Shanghai as of December 2015.

Phone Investigation Recording
Investigator: So has the Red Cross Society in Huangpu District, Shanghai received a lot of organ donations?
Red Cross staff: Not many, currently, just some, we began the pilot work last year.
Investigator: You started doing it from the beginning of this year?
Red Cross staff: From last year.
Investigator: Which month last year?
Red Cross staff: The municipal authorities assigned this task to us at the beginning of last year.
Investigator: How many cases of donations have been received up to now?
Red Cross staff: There are actually only five cases of organ donation in Shanghai.
Investigator: We actually only have five cases of organ donation in Shanghai, right?
Red Cross staff: Yes, actually only five cases of organ donation.
Investigator: So five cases of liver or kidney donation, or cornea (donation)? How many cases registered at your office?
Red Cross staff: Very few registered cases, which require some special conditions. It is not that if I want to donate, then I can immediately donate my organs, so usually it is (a death due to) a car accident, or someone’s dying in the hospital, then they would donate their organs. Now in China, it is unlike in foreign countries. If there is a traffic accident in a foreign country, the (deceased’s) organs can be donated immediately.
Investigator: How many successful donation cases? In your district?
Red Cross staff member: Only five cases in our entire city.
Investigator: Only five cases in the entire city. People rarely donate organs, here in Shanghai.
Red Cross Staff: Not so many here, only a few cases per year. For those, who have filled in the forms, they cannot donate their organs, when still being alive and well.