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**Improved
revenues with our
Gift Aid on Rags
Module**

At Nisyst we pride ourselves on continually developing and enhancing our CHARiot software, based on feedback from our valued customers.

It is estimated that around 10%* of the charity sector's income comes from rag, but with prices falling, ensuring an HMRC-recognised route to collecting Gift Aid on rag is crucial to safeguarding this revenue stream.



 **CHARiot**
TOUCH THE FUTURE

The key to developing the Gift Aid on Rags (GAoR) solution was to ensure that it was simple to use by staff and volunteers, whilst at the same time meeting HMRC requirements.

Any rag donations that have been Gift Aided by the donor are eligible for the full 25%* of the sale price in Gift Aid, thus presenting a significant income stream for charities. However, the fluctuating price of rag and the varying levels of rag collected each week make it notoriously difficult to capture this revenue.

To address these issues, Nisyst's GAoR system is operated using a hand held scanner in the backroom which allows staff and volunteers to scan only the barcodes specifically for rag bags that are being collected on that day. The correct rag price is programmed into the EPoS system by the charity's head office team, ensuring that any shop in their network, processing rag that day does so at the correct price per kilo, allowing all Gift Aid on rag to be captured in a manner that is acceptable to HMRC.

The system has now been recognised by HMRC.

"The retail charity sector makes £60m from Gift Aid per year, but finding a compliant solution to allow the sector to additionally claim Gift Aid on Rag has been a challenge. Nisyst's GAoR CHARiot solution is ground breaking in my opinion, and will have huge benefits for not just us, but to the charity retail sector as a whole."

John Donnelly, Retail Development Manager, Nightingale House Hospice

Key Features

- Easy to install and integrates with existing CHARiot system
- Simple to use by staff and volunteers
- Hand held barcode scanner enables staff to process rag collections
- Takes into account daily fluctuations in rag prices
- Ensures maximum capture of Gift Aid on rags
- HMRC-recognised
- Ongoing training and support

*Correct at the time of print

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