

Help for whales and dolphins



A NEW Monaco-based association which aims to save whales and dolphins around the world has

attracted members in the south of France and wants to reach out to people of all nationalities in France, the rest of Europe and the world.

The Animal Fund (TAF) has been set up by Berit Legrand (pictured) who is Danish and has lived in Monaco for 17 years. A former stockbroker and Pilates instructor as well as a champion water-skier, Mrs Legrand said: "I look over the sea every day and cannot understand why anyone would want to do anything to destroy it.

"The plight of the dolphins and whales has troubled me for many years and I am pleased by the progress we are already making in our new association.

"We have ambitious plans for saving these beautiful mammals and already have the support, infrastructure and determination to make a difference."

Number one priority is the slaughter of whales and dolphins: "Whale-hunting continues in many countries despite the fact it is forbidden by law and reports show dolphins are needlessly killed in tuna fishing nets." Number two on the list is the growing amount of plastic waste in the oceans and number three is those parts of the cosmetic industry which use whale products. Find out more at theanimalfund.net