# The Apostolic Nunciature Holy See - Vatican Embassy

Accounts for the year To 31st December 2018

Registered Charity no 254540

CHARITY COMMISSION FIRST CONTACT

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#### The Apostolic Nunciature

#### Holy See - Vatican Embassy Charity

Trustees' Report for the year to 31st December 2018

Charity Registration number

254540

The Registered Address for the Charity is:

54, Parkside, Wimbledon, SE19 5NE

The Trustees are:

The Most Reverend Archbishop Edward Adams

The Reverend Monsignor Nicholas Rothon

The Reverend Martin McCarthy

The Bankers are:

**HSBC** 

69, Pall Mall

London SW1Y 5EY

The Solicitors are

Wansbroughs Willey Hargrave

Drury House Russell Street

London WC2B 5HA

The accounts are prepared by Monsignor Nicholas Rothon who serves as Secretary to the Trust.

The Trust was constituted by a Deed dated 15<sup>th</sup> December 1953. The power of appointing Trustees rests with the Apostolic Nuncio for the time being. The main purposes of the Charity is to hold property and to receive donations, in accordance with English Civil Law and on behalf of the Holy See for the purposes of the Apostolic Nunciature (Holy See: Vatican Embassy). At present the Trust holds the property at 54, Parkside, Wimbledon. The advancement of the Roman Catholic religion in England requires the appointment of a Nuncio as the official diplomatic representative of the Holy Father and the Trust holds the property for this purpose.

The property at 54, Parkside has not been valued for the purpose of these accounts. The property remains in functional use for the purposes of the Trust and the Trustees do not consider that cost of a formal valuation would be justified.

The property is fully maintained and renovation works are undertaken regularly. Full Insurance cover is provided. The Trustees consider that no further Risk Assessment works are required.

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## Opening balance at 1st January 2018

£1702.48

Income £0

Expenditure £1702.48

### Closing balance at 31st December 2018

The Trustees agreed that there was no need to retain a cash balance in the account for the work of the Trust.

Signed

Monsignor Nicholas Rothon

Trustee and Secretary to the Trustees.

8<sup>th</sup> March 2020