Charity number: 254837

Guru Nanak Gurdwara( Sikh Temple )

Trustees' report and financial statements

for the year ended 31 December 2019

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### Legal and administrative information

#### **Status**

Trustees Ajmer Singh Basra

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Charity number 254837

Accountants Mr P.Gola

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## Trustees' report for the year ended 31 December 2019

#### Charitable objects

The main object of the Gurdwara is to provide religious services to the congregation and its members. These include daily morning and evening prayers attended by visiting Sikh preachers (saints, keertani Jathas and Kathakars, Dhadis). The Gurdwara offers services at the time of weddings, deaths etc. Recitings of Guru Granth the holy scriptures of the Sikhs are also held. Gurdwara celebrates all Gurpurbs which includes birthdays of Gurus, Martyrdom days and Vaisakhi festival. The Gurdwara organises Amrit sanchar (Baptism ceremony) for initiation of new members to the Khalsa faith twice a year. The Gurdwara takes part in jointly organised religious processions (Nagar Kirtan) to celebrate Vaisakhi and Guru Nanak Birthday Gurpurb. The Gurdwara broadcasts via a community radio station in April and during Guru Nanak Birthday Gurpurb.

#### Review of activities and achievements

Religious programmes were conducted daily at the Gurdwara which include two main diwans, one in the morning and one in the evening. World famous Sikh priests/preachers attended the Gurdwara from time to time. To further the teachings of Sikhism, use of local community radio was made. Daily religious programmes are being broadcast direct from the Gurdwara on Sabras radio in turn with other Gurdwaras. Amrit Sanchar as in past years has been conducted and Nagar Kitan processions were held at Vaisakhi and Guru Nanak Dev Ji's Gurpurb. A fireworks displays was held at the time of Guru Nanak Dev Ji's Gurpurb.

The Gurdwara continued to fund the Guru Nanak Panjabi School, but at a reduced level.

The Committee members were not paid any salaries or expenses for the performance of their duties.

#### Statement of trustees' responsibilities

Charity law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity at the year end and of its incoming resources and resources expended during that year. In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act . They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The trustees recommend that Mr P.Gola remain in office until further notice.

This report was approved by the trustees on 10 February 2021 and signed on its behalf by

Ajmer Singh Basra

Independent examiner's report to the trustees on the unaudited financial statements of Guru Nanak Gurdwara( Sikh Temple ).

**Charity Number: 254837** 

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Guru Nanak Gurdwara( Sikh Temple ) for the year ended 31 December 2019.

#### Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts, you consider that the audit requirement of section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 (the Act) does not apply. It is my responsibility to state, on the basis of procedures specified in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners under section 145(5)(b) of the Act, whether particular matters have come to my attention.

#### Basis of independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

#### **Independent examiner's statement**

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

- (1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements
  - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the Act; and
  - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and to comply with the accounting requirements of the Act

have not been met; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Mr P.Gola Chartered Certified Accountants 31 Oakthorpe Avenue Leicester Leicestershire

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**10 February 2021** 

#### Statement of financial activities

## For the year ended 31 December 2019

Notes	Unrestricted funds £	2019 Total £	2018 Total £
Incoming resources			
Donations 2	255,562	255,562	303,586
Gift aid 3	42,193	42,193	46,688
Total incoming resources	297,755	297,755	350,274
Resources expended			
Staff costs	64,579	64,579	62,783
Rent, rates and service charge	3,158	3,158	3,135
Insurance	4,392	4,392	3,904
Light and heat	20,679	20,679	22,479
Cleaning	3,445	3,445	3,262
Repairs and maintenance	22,188	22,188	20,540
Printing, postage and stationery	897	897	632
Advertising	1,257	1,257	725
Telephone	965	965	953
Motor expenses	2,500	2,500	2,695
Legal and professional	8,620	8,620	13,121
Accountancy fees	2,200	2,200	1,750
Panjabi school education	13,250	13,250	9,990
Siropas, Kirtan, Deg & Langer	36,928	36,928	28,637
Sports & promotion activities	11,111	11,111	13,940
General expenses	2,242	2,242	2,560
Depreciation & amortisation	-	-	1,272
Interest and charges	166	166	7,906
Total resources expended	(198,577)	(198,577)	(200,284)
Net movement in funds	99,178	99,178	149,990
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Total funds brought forward	1,689,936	1,689,936	1,539,947
Total funds carried forward	1,789,114	1,789,114	1,689,937

## Balance sheet as at 31 December 2019

		20	19	201	8
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	8		1,711,124		1,711,124
Current assets					
Cash at bank and in hand		84,002		24,042	
		84,002		24,042	
Creditors: amounts falling					
due within one year	9	(6,015)		(45,230)	
Net current assets/(liabilities)			77,987		(21,188)
Net assets			1,789,111		1,689,936
Funds					
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Unrestricted funds	11		1,789,111		1,689,936
			1,789,111		1,689,936
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The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on 10 February 2021 and signed on its behalf by

Ajmer Singh Basra

## Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019

#### 1. Accounting policies

#### 1.1. Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with all applicable accounting standards, as modified by the Statement of Recommended Practice for Accounting and Reporting issued by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales. (revised June 2008) (The SORP). The accounts have been drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008.

#### 1.2. Incoming resources

Voluntary income is received by way of donations and gifts and is included in full in the Statement of Financial Activities when receivable. Gifts donated for resale are included as income when they are sold. Donated assets are included at the value to the charity where this can be quantified and a third party is bearing the cost. The value of services provided by volunteers has not been included.

#### 1.3. Resources expended

Resources expended are recognised in the year in which they are incurred.

Support costs are those costs incurred directly in support of expenditure on the objects of the charity and include project management.

Management and administration costs are those incurred in connection with administration of the charity and compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements.

#### 1.4. Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Fixtures, fittings

and equipment - 10% straight line Motor vehicles - 10% straight line

#### 1.5. Pensions

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contribution payable by the charity during the year.

#### 2. Donations

	Unrestricted funds	2019	2018
	£	£	£
Ins - donations 1	255,562	255,562	303,586
	255,562	255,562	303,586

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019

3.	Gift aid	Unrestricted	2019	2018
		funds		
		£	£	£
	Gift aid	42,193	42,193	46,688
		42,193	42,193	46,688
4.	Support costs		2010	2010
			2019 £	2018 £
	Staff costs		64,579	62,783
	Rent, rates and service charge		3,158	3,135
	Insurance		4,392	3,904
	Light and heat		20,679	22,479
	Cleaning		3,445	3,262
	Repairs and maintenance		22,188	20,540
	Printing, postage and stationery		897	632
	Advertising		1,257	725
	Telephone		965	953
	Motor expenses		2,500	2,695
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	Accountancy fees		2,200	1,750
	Panjabi school education		13,250	9,990
	Siropas, Kirtan, Deg & Langer		36,928	28,637
	Sports & Promotion activities		11,111	13,940
	General expenses		2,242	2,563
	Depreciation and amortisation		-	1,272
	Interest and charges		166	7,906
			198,577	200,287
5.	Management and administration			
J.	rranagement and administration		Year	Year
			ended	ended
			2019	2018
			£	£
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# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019

#### 6. Employees

Number	of	empl	loyees
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The average monthly numbers of employees (including the trustees) during the year were:		2019 Number	2018 Number
Gianis		9	8
<b>Employment costs</b>			
	Charitable expenditure	2019 £	2018 £
Wages and salaries Other pension costs	63,889 690	63,889 690	62,358 425
o mer pension cons	64,579	64,579	62,783
	Unrestricted £	2019 £	2018 £
Wages and salaries	63,889	63,889	62,358
Other pension costs	690	690	425
	64,579	64,579	62,783

#### 7. Pension costs

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme in respect of the employees. The scheme and its assets are held by independent managers. The pension charge represents contributions due from the company and amounted to £690 (2018 - £425).

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019

8.	Tangible fixed assets	Land and buildings freehold £	Fixtures, fittings and equipment £	Motor vehicles £	Total £
	Cost				
	At 1 January 2019	1,711,122	219,306	34,015	1,964,443
	At 31 December 2019	1,711,122	219,306	34,015	1,964,443
	Depreciation				
	At 1 January 2019	-	219,305	34,014	253,319
	At 31 December 2019		219,305	34,014	253,319
	Net book values				
	At 31 December 2019	1,711,122	1	1	1,711,124
	At 31 December 2018	1,711,122	1	<u> </u>	1,711,124

## 9. Creditors: amounts falling due

2019	2018
£	£
-	39,594
1,882	2,162
2,098	139
2,035	3,335
6,015	45,230
	2,098 2,035

### 10. Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted funds £	Total funds £
Fund balances at 31 December 2019 as represented by:		
Tangible fixed assets	1,711,124	1,711,124
Current assets	84,002	84,002
Current liabilities	(6,015)	(6,015)
	1,789,111	1,789,111

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019

11.	Unrestricted funds	1 January	Incoming	31 December
		£	£	£
	Unrestricted Fund	1,689,936	99,178	1,789,114
		1,689,936	99,178	1,789,114