

Charity Registration No. 1123509

Company Registration No. 06504815 (England and Wales)

**MS FOUNDATION LIMITED**  
**ANNUAL REPORT AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020**

# MS FOUNDATION LIMITED

## LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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<b>Trustees</b>	S L Orenstein Mrs M C C R Orenstein A A P Orenstein
<b>Secretary</b>	Mrs M C C R Orenstein
<b>Charity number</b>	1123509
<b>Company number</b>	06504815
<b>Principal address</b>	PO Box 643 Edgware Middlesex HA8 4GQ
<b>Independent examiner</b>	S Cymerman FCA Chartered Accountant 2nd Floor 38 Warren Street London W1A 6AE
<b>Bankers</b>	HSBC UK Bank Plc Lloyds Bank Plc
<b>Investment advisors</b>	HSBC UK Bank Plc Brooks Macdonald

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# **MS FOUNDATION LIMITED**

## **TRUSTEES' REPORT (INCLUDING DIRECTORS' REPORT)**

### **FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020**

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The trustees present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2020.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the accounts and comply with the charity's Memorandum and Articles of Association, the Companies Act 2006 and "Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)" (as amended for accounting periods commencing from 1 January 2016)

#### **Objectives and activities**

The charity's objectives are the advancement of the Orthodox Jewish faith and religious education and the relief of poverty and sickness amongst members of the Jewish faith. There has been no change in these objectives during the year.

The trustees and directors have paid due regard to guidance issued by the Charity Commission in deciding what activities the charity should undertake.

These objectives are achieved by the payment of grants to relevant organisations.

The trustees and directors have kept in mind the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing the charity's aims and objectives. An indication of this is the number of grants made to participating organisations during the year.

#### **Achievements and performance**

The trustees consider that the performance of the charity during the period has been satisfactory and the present level of funding is adequate to support the continuation of the objects of the charity.

The Trust Deed governs the trustees' powers. Grants are made at the discretion of the trustees and in accordance with the principal objectives of the charity. The charity is not limited to making payments to organizations or institutions.

#### **Financial review**

The Statement of Financial Activities shows a deficit for the year of £230,528 (2019 - surplus of £12,287). 49 charitable donations were made during the year totalling £49,367 (2019 - 50 totalling £95,834) and there were net reserves at 31 March 2020 of £2,002,549 (2019 - £2,233,077).

The charity has retained its portfolio of investments managed by HSBC UK Bank Plc and Brooks Macdonald Asset Management Limited.

It is the policy of the charity that unrestricted funds are maintained at a level which the trustees and directors think appropriate after considering the future commitments of the charity. The trustees considers that reserves at this level will ensure that, in the event of a significant drop in funding, they will be able to continue the charity's current activities while consideration is given to ways in which additional funds may be raised. This level of reserves has been maintained throughout the year.

The trustees have assessed the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate exposure to the major risks.

#### **Structure, governance and management**

The charity is a company limited by guarantee, and is therefore governed by its Memorandum and Articles of Association, dated 8th February 2008. The Company registration number is 6504815 and the Charity Commission Registration number is 1123509.

The trustees, who are also the directors for the purpose of company law, and who served during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were:

# **MS FOUNDATION LIMITED**

## **TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)(INCLUDING DIRECTORS' REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020**

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S L Orenstein  
Mrs M C C R Orenstein  
A A P Orenstein

The Board is empowered to appoint additional directors as it considers fit or to fill a casual vacancy.

None of the trustees has any beneficial interest in the company. Each of the trustees are members of the company and guarantee to contribute £1 in the event of a winding up.

The trustees meet regularly to manage the Charity's affairs and to consider applications for grants.

The trustees' report was approved by the Board of Trustees.



**S L Orenstein**  
Trustee and director  
Dated: 13 April 2021

# **MS FOUNDATION LIMITED**

## **INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT**

### **TO THE TRUSTEES OF MS FOUNDATION LIMITED**

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I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of MS Foundation Limited (the charity) for the year ended 31 March 2020.

#### **Responsibilities and basis of report**

As the trustees of the charity (and also its directors for the purposes of company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 (the 2006 Act).

Having satisfied myself that the financial statements of the charity are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of the charity's financial statements carried out under section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act). In carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

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

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

- 1 accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
- 2 the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
- 3 the financial statements do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a true and fair view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination; or
- 4 the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the financial statements to be reached.

S Cymerman FCA  
Chartered Accountant

2nd Floor  
38 Warren Street  
London  
W1A 6AE

Dated: 14 April 2021



# MS FOUNDATION LIMITED

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

		Unrestricted funds 2020 £	Total 2019 £
	Notes		
<b><u>Income from:</u></b>			
Voluntary income	3	-	25,000
Investments	4	57,498	49,820
<b>Total income</b>		57,498	74,820
<b><u>Expenditure on:</u></b>			
Raising funds	5	19,048	14,176
Charitable activities	6	53,859	98,949
<b>Total resources expended</b>		72,907	113,125
Net gains/(losses) on investments	11	(215,119)	50,592
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		(230,528)	12,287
Fund balances at 1 April 2019		2,233,077	2,220,790
<b>Fund balances at 31 March 2020</b>		2,002,549	2,233,077

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The statement of financial activities also complies with the requirements for an income and expenditure account under the Companies Act 2006.

# MS FOUNDATION LIMITED

## BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 MARCH 2020

	Notes	2020 £	£	2019 £	£
<b>Fixed assets</b>					
Investments	12		1,645,251		1,839,931
<b>Current assets</b>					
Debtors	13	71,939		59,180	
Cash at bank and in hand		291,684		343,682	
		<u>363,623</u>		<u>402,862</u>	
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due within one year</b>	14	<u>(6,325)</u>		<u>(9,716)</u>	
Net current assets			357,298		393,146
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>			<u>2,002,549</u>		<u>2,233,077</u>
<b>Income funds</b>					
Unrestricted funds			2,002,549		2,233,077
			<u>2,002,549</u>		<u>2,233,077</u>

The company is entitled to the exemption from the audit requirement contained in section 477 of the Companies Act 2006, for the year ended 31 March 2020.

The trustees' acknowledge their responsibilities for ensuring that the charity keeps accounting records which comply with section 386 of the Act and for preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on 13 April 2021



S L Orenstein  
Trustee

Company Registration No. 06504815



# MS FOUNDATION LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

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### 1 Accounting policies

#### Charity information

MS Foundation Limited is a private company limited by guarantee incorporated in England and Wales. The principal office address is PO Box 643, Edgware, Middlesex, HA8 4GQ and the registered office is PO Box 7010, 2nd Floor, 38 Warren Street, London W1A 2EA.

#### 1.1 Accounting convention

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the charity's Memorandum and Articles of Association, the Companies Act 2006 and "Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)" (as amended for accounting periods commencing from 1 January 2016). The charity is a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The charity has taken advantage of the provisions in the SORP for charities applying FRS 102 Update Bulletin 1 not to prepare a Statement of Cash Flows.

The accounts are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of investments and certain financial instruments at fair value. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

#### 1.2 Going concern

At the time of approving the financial statements, the trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus the trustees continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements.

#### 1.3 Charitable funds

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of their charitable objectives unless the funds have been designated for other purposes.

#### 1.4 Incoming resources

Income is recognised when the charity is legally entitled to it after any performance conditions have been met, the amounts can be measured reliably, and it is probable that income will be received.

Investment income is recognised when received.

#### 1.5 Resources expended

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis, inclusive of any VAT which cannot be recovered. Governance costs comprise the cost of running the charitable trust not directly related to its charitable activities.

#### 1.6 Fixed asset investments

Fixed asset investments are initially measured at transaction price, and are subsequently measured at fair value at each reporting date. Changes in fair value are recognised in net income/(expenditure) for the year.

#### 1.7 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

### 1 Accounting policies

(Continued)

#### 1.8 Financial instruments

The charity has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the charity's balance sheet when the charity becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

##### **Basic financial assets**

Basic financial assets, which include debtors and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial assets classified as receivable within one year are not amortised.

##### **Basic financial liabilities**

Basic financial liabilities, including creditors and bank loans are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial liabilities classified as payable within one year are not amortised.

Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of operations from suppliers. Amounts payable are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities. Trade creditors are recognised initially at transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

##### **Derecognition of financial liabilities**

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the charity's contractual obligations expire or are discharged or cancelled.

#### 1.9 Foreign exchange

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction.

#### 1.10 Funds structure

All funds held are unrestricted income funds.

### 2 Critical accounting estimates and judgements

In the application of the charity's accounting policies, the trustees are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

### 3 Voluntary income

	Unrestricted funds	Total
	2020 £	2019 £
Donations and gifts	-	25,000

### 4 Investments

	Unrestricted funds	Total
	2020 £	2019 £
Income from listed investments	10,816	10,735
Income from unlisted investments	29,072	25,514
Interest receivable	17,610	13,571
	<u>57,498</u>	<u>49,820</u>

### 5 Raising funds

	2020 £	2019 £
Investment management	19,048	14,176
	<u>19,048</u>	<u>14,176</u>

### 6 Charitable activities

	Donations and grants 2020 £	Donations and grants 2019 £
Grant funding of activities (see note 7)	49,367	95,834
Share of governance costs (see note 8)	4,492	3,115
	<u>53,859</u>	<u>98,949</u>



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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

### 7 Grants payable

	2020 £	2019 £
Grants to institutions	49,367	95,834

Institutions receiving significant grants during the year were:

Hatzola Edgware - £5,000 (2019 - £10,000)  
 Chai-Lifeline Cancer Care - £5,000 (2019 - £5,000)  
 Camp Simcha - £5,000 (2019 - £Nil)  
 Hasmonian High School - £4,475 (2019 - £4,475)  
 Yazamut Vechadshanut Bechinuch - £3,440 (2019 - £Nil)  
 Kehilat Shir Chadash - £nil (2019 - £50,000)  
 Independent Jewish Day School - £nil (2019 - £7,000)

### 8 Support costs

	Support costs £	Governance costs £	2020 £	2019 £
Administration	-	451	451	-
Accountancy	-	4,020	4,020	3,064
Bank charges	-	21	21	51
	-	4,492	4,492	3,115
Analysed between Charitable activities	-	4,492	4,492	3,115

### 9 Trustees

None of the trustees (or any persons connected with them) received any remuneration during the year.

### 10 Employees

There were no employees during the year.

### 11 Net gains/(losses) on investments

	2020 £	2019 £
Revaluation of investments	(215,119)	50,592

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

### 12 Fixed asset investments

	£
<b>Cost or valuation</b>	
At 1 April 2019	1,839,931
Additions	874,260
Valuation changes	(215,119)
Disposals	(853,821)
At 31 March 2020	1,645,251
<b>Carrying amount</b>	
At 31 March 2020	1,645,251
At 31 March 2019	1,839,931

	2020 £	2019 £
Investments at fair value comprise:		
UK Equities	527,778	507,690
International Equities	329,042	680,301
UK Fixed Interest	80,612	116,036
International Fixed Interest	224,848	286,053
Alternative Investments	482,971	249,851
	1,645,251	1,839,931

### 13 Debtors

	2020 £	2019 £
<b>Amounts falling due within one year:</b>		
Trade debtors	30	-
Other debtors	71,909	59,180
	71,939	59,180

### 14 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2020 £	2019 £
Other creditors	459	459
Accruals and deferred income	5,866	9,257
	6,325	9,716



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## **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

***FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020***

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### **15 Related party transactions**

There were no disclosable related party transactions during the year (2019 - none).