ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

## CHARITY NUMBER: 1152116

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### THE AB DAVID CHARITY TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

The A B David Charity is registered with the Charity Commissioners, Charity Registration Number 1152116.

It is constituted by Trust Deed, dated 14 March 2013, amended on 16 December 2013.

The following served as trustees during the period:

Mr Anton Brooke Shellim Mr Michael Shellim Mrs Valerie Flora Collis Mr Damian Paul Bloom

The Trust holds accounts at:

NatWest, St John's Wood Branch 102 St John's Wood High Street London NW8 7SL

The accounts were examined by:

Rickard Luckin Limited First Floor, County House, 100 New London Road, Chelmsford, Essex, CM2 0RG

### THE AB DAVID CHARITY TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023 (Continued)

### Charity's objects

The objects of the charity are to advance, promote or carry out such charitable purposes as the trustees in their absolute discretion from time to time think fit. The charity will have a particular emphasis on the advancement of education and health.

### Structure, Governance and Management

The Charity is governed by its trust deed dated 14 March 2013 as amended by deed dated 16 December 2013.

The trustees that held office during the year are listed above.

New trustees are appointed by the board of trustees and are given an induction pack which includes the trust deed and guidelines on how to perform their duties as a trustee. Additional training is given as and when necessary.

## Activities and Achievements

The charity was first registered on 21 May 2013.

During the period, the charity received no donations but made a number of donations to various charitable projects totalling £276,000.

The trustees have had regard to guidance published by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

#### **Financial review**

The Charity made a deficit of £91,981 in the year ended 5 April 2023, meaning year end reserves are £98,299. The principal funding source is receipts from non-monetary investments and dividends.

#### Policies

#### Reserves

It is the policy of the trustees to maintain reserves in the Charity at a level to enable it to be administered efficiently, to meet its short term expenditure requirements and to have adequate resources to fund its charitable objectives. Current year end reserves are £98,299.

The Charity's cash reserves are held in an account with NatWest Bank PIc, and in accounts managed as part of the Charity's investment portfolio by Veritas Investment Management,

#### Investments

The Charity's investments are held in a portfolio managed by Veritas Investment Management.

Mrs Valerie Collis

Trustee On behalf of the Board of Trustees Date:

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### STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The Charities Act 2011 and the Trust Deed requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year.

The trustees have, as permitted, prepared the financial statements on a receipts and payments basis in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011, the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and the Charities SORP (FRS102).

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Trust and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Trust and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

#### INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF

### THE AB DAVID CHARITY

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of The AB David Charity ('the charity') for the year ended 5 April 2023 which comprise the summary of receipts and payments and the statement of assets and liabilities.

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with section 145 of the Charities Act 2011. My work has been undertaken so that I might state to the charity's trustees those matters I am required to state to them in this report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for my work, for this report, or for the opinions I have formed.

#### Responsibilities and basis of report

As the trustees of the charity you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2011 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

An independent examination does not involve gathering all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently does not cover all the matters that an auditor considers in giving their opinion on the financial statements. The planning and conduct of an audit goes beyond the limited assurance that an independent examination can provide. Consequently I express no opinion as to whether the financial statements present a 'true and fair' view and my report is limited to those specific matters set out in the independent examiner's statement.

### Independent Examiner's Statement

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

- accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the Act; or
- 2. the accounts do not accord with those records;

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 accounts to be reached.

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Janine Mansfield FCA

RICKARD LUCKIN LIMITED

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS First Floor, County House, 100 New London Road, Chelmsford, Essex, CM2 0RG

Date: 2/10/2023

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## RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

|  | 2023<br>£                               | 2022<br>£                             |
|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| RECEIPTS<br>Donations<br>Receipts from non-monetary investments<br>Dividends<br>Interest<br>Other  | -<br>185,622<br>16,922<br>11,459<br>172 | 25,060<br>17,713<br>8,862             |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS   | 214,175                                 | 51,635                                |
| <b>PAYMENTS</b><br>Donations to charitable activities<br>Management fees<br>Payments to acquire non-monetary investments<br>Legal and professional fees<br>Other | 276,000<br>18,613<br>-<br>11,370<br>173 | 23,000<br>19,395<br>-<br>8,100<br>302 |
| TOTAL PAYMENTS   | 306,156                                 | 50,797                                |
| Net Receipts/(Payments)  | (91,981)                                | 838                                   |
| Bank balances at 6 April 2022  | 190,280                                 | 189,442                               |
| Bank balances at 5 April 2023  | 98,299                                  | 190,280                               |

All receipts and payments are unrestricted funds

# STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS AT 5 APRIL 2023

|   | 2023                            | 2022                             |   |
|---|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| Cash funds  | £                               | £                                |   |
| NatWest current account<br>Veritas capital accounts<br>Veritas income accounts<br>Veritas USD account | 6,455<br>88,765<br>2,928<br>151 | 6.175<br>181,757<br>2,176<br>172 | • |
|   | 98,299                          | 190,280                          |   |
| Investments assets  | 2023                            | 2022                             |   |
|   | £                               | £                                |   |
| Veritas portfolio at market value   | 2,382,570                       | 2,628,056                        |   |
|   |                                 |                                  |   |
| Liabilities   | 2023                            | 2022                             |   |
|   | £                               | £                                |   |
| Accrued accountancy fees  | 4,920                           | 4 740                            | , |
|   | 4,320                           | 4,740                            |   |

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Mrs Valerie Collis Trustee Signed on behalf of the board of Trustees

Date: 28 9 23

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