## Report of the Trustees and Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2015 for CABMEN'S SHELTER FUND

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#### Report of the Trustees for the Year Ended 31 December 2015

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2015. The trustees have adopted the provisions of Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (the FRSSE) (effective 1 January 2015).

#### **OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES**

#### **Objectives and aims**

The Fund's main objective is to supply Cabmen with shelters in which they can have protection from wind and rain, snow and frost in winter and from the sun in summer.

## Significant activities

The Charity maintains and upkeeps thirteen shelters throughout Central London. The shelters are made of wood and require regular upkeep and maintenance. The shelters are occupied by tenants who provide food, refreshment and shelter to cab drivers during the day and, in respect of some of the shelters, during the night. The tenants pay a weekly contribution to the charity out of their income. The contribution received is used to cover the ongoing costs of the shelter, such as rates and repairs. The charity also provides the shelter with basic equipment, such as refrigerators, microwaves, etc. The tenants that operate from the shelters cover the electrically and gas bills from their own income.

The shelters are a unique feature of London's heritage and need to be protected and maintained for future generations of cab drivers and the general public.

#### ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE

#### **Review of activity**

During the year the shelter tenants contributed £84,280 towards the maintenance of the shelters. Donations received amounted to £796.

The maintenance and upkeep of the shelters amounted to £75,198 and expenditure on governance of the Fund was £3,588.

#### FINANCIAL REVIEW

#### Reserves policy

The unrestricted funds of the Charity amounted to £44,072 at the balance sheet date. The Charity's policy is to build up sufficient reserves to enable it to hold a minimum of one year's charitable expenditure. By holding this level of reserves, the Trustees are of the opinion that this will enable the charity to meet unforeseen repairs and fluctuations in contributions from shelter tenants.

#### STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

## **Governing document**

The Fund was established in 1875 and is currently governed by a Trust Deed dated September 1949.

#### REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

## **Registered Charity number**

236108

#### Principal address

Feeder Park

Newell Road

Hounslow London

TW6 2DL

## Trustees

C Evans

M Calvey

L Fox

J Jenkins

## Report of the Trustees for the Year Ended 31 December 2015

## REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Independent examiner

Neil Wilkinson FCA Knox Cropper Chartered Accountants 153 -155 London Road Hemel Hempstead Hertfordshire HP3 9SQ

Approved by order of the board of trustees on 27 May 2016 and signed on its behalf by:

M Calvey - Trustee

I report on the accounts for the year ended 31 December 2015 set out on pages four to seven.

#### Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under Section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act)) and that an independent examination is required.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under Section 145 of the 2011 Act
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission (under Section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act); and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

#### Basis of the independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. 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 no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statements below.

#### **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 2011 Act; and
  - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and to comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011 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.

Neil Wilkinson FCA Knox Cropper Chartered Accountants 153 -155 London Road Hemel Hempstead Hertfordshire HP3 9SQ

27 May 2016

# Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 31 December 2015

	Notes	2015 Unrestricted fund £	2014 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM Donations and legacies Charitable activities	1.000	796	2,090
Maintence and upkeep of shelters		84,280	77,887
Investment income Other income	2	<u>-</u>	33 4,555
Total		85,076	84,565
EXPENDITURE ON Charitable activities Maintence and upkeep of shelters NET INCOME		78,786 6,290	75,924 8,641
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		34,194	25,553
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		40,484	34,194

The notes form part of these financial statements

## Balance Sheet At 31 December 2015

	Notes	Un £	2015 restricted fund £	2014 Total funds £
CURRENT ASSETS Cash at bank			44,241	38,064
<b>CREDITORS</b> Amounts falling due within one year	5		(3,757)	(3,870)
NET CURRENT ASSETS			40,484	34,194
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			40,484	34,194
NET ASSETS			40,484	34,194
<b>FUNDS</b> Unrestricted funds	6		40,484	34,194
TOTAL FUNDS			40,484	34,194

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees on 27 May 2016 and were signed on its behalf by:

M Calvey -Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2015

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of preparing the financial statements**

The financial statements of the charity have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRSSE) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (the FRSSE) (effective 1 January 2015)', the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2015) and the Charities Act 2011. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

#### Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

#### **Expenditure**

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

#### **Taxation**

The charity is exempt from tax on its charitable activities.

#### **Fund accounting**

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

#### 2. INVESTMENT INCOME

	Deposit account interest	2015 £	2014 £ 33
3.	TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS		
	Trustees' salaries	2015 £ 6,240	2014 £ 6,240

#### Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 December 2015 nor for the year ended 31 December 2014.

#### 4. STAFF COSTS

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:

	2015	2014
Administration	1	1

No employees received emoluments in excess of £60,000.

## 5. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2015 £	2014 £
Taxation and social security	-	28
Other creditors	3,757	3,842
	3,757	3,870

## 6. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

		Net movement in	
	At 1.1.15	funds £	At 31.12.15
Unrestricted funds General fund	34,194	6,290	40,484
TOTAL FUNDS	34,194	6,290	40,484

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds General fund	85,076	(78,786)	6,290
TOTAL FUNDS	85,076	(78,786) ====	6,290

## 7. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 December 2015.

# **Detailed Statement of Financial Activities** for the Year Ended 31 December 2015

	2015 £	2014 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
<b>Donations and legacies</b> Donations	796	2,090
Investment income Deposit account interest	-	33
Charitable activities Contributions from shelter tenants	84,280	77,887
Other income Insurance claim	-	4,555
Total incoming resources	85,076	84,565
EXPENDITURE		
Charitable activities Rates and water Repairs and maintenance	2,497 56,349	2,340 53,540
	58,846	55,880
Support costs Management Trustees' salaries Insurance Postage and stationery Accountancy Sundries Legal & professional fees	6,240 6,736 55 750 209 2,362	6,240 7,260 89 690 112 2,063 16,454
Governance costs Independent examiner's review	3,588	3,590
Total resources expended	78,786	75,924
Net income	6,290	8,641

This page does not form part of the statutory financial statements