# The Inlight Trust

# TRUSTEES' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2016

Charity Number: 236782

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#### THE INLIGHT TRUST

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2016

The Trustees present their Report and Accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31 March 2016.

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 governing document, applicable law and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP), "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" issued in March 2005.

#### 1. STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

The Inlight Trust is an unincorporated Trust created by a Trust Deed dated 12th June 1957. It is a Registered Charity, number 236782.

The Trustees who served the Charity during the year were as follows:

Sir T Lucas Bt., Senior Trustee Mrs S Knight, Honorary Treasurer Mrs W Collett Mrs J Hayward Mr R Ross Ms J Dunham – (Elected 30<sup>th</sup> June 2015)

The Inlight Trust's Trustees are elected by a majority vote of all the Trustees. In the past ten years our policies and procedures for induction and training of our Trustees have been called into play in five cases.

In general, our policy is to seek potential Trustees who; a) come highly recommended by more than one referee already known to the Trustees, or b) are known already to one or more Trustees to be like-minded in terms of our objectives and activities (see 2 below) and who at the same time are able to contribute their knowledge and experience of the areas from where our income is derived (see 4 below).

The procedure is for the potential trustee to be first interviewed by the senior trustee and the treasurer and then, after discussion of the issues and accountabilities relating to our part of the charity world, he or she will be invited - subject to mutual agreement - to attend our next three or four quarterly meetings as our guest. The Trustees will then discuss the appointment and vote on it. Provided the majority are in favor the Senior Trustee will then invite our guest to formally attend our next meeting and complete the necessary documentation as a new Trustee. In terms of training and getting familiar with our work, they are referred to the Trust Deed, we have developed a "Trustee's questions" letter, and we recommend that all Trustees should visit the Charity Commission's website at <a href="https://www.charitycommission.gov.uk">www.charitycommission.gov.uk</a> from time to time to acquaint themselves with the guidelines for Trustees, the public character of charity, the emergence of new charitable purposes, charities for the relief of sickness, etc. In addition, we try to make opportunities for a new trustee to "shadow" a more experienced trustee, possibly alongside our professional advisors, as we are constantly seeking to optimise particular aspects of our operations (see 2, 3, 4 and 5 below)

#### 2. OBJECTIVES, ACTIVITIES, RISK MANAGEMENT AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The Trust's purpose is the furtherance of charitable religious activities and organisations on an undenominational basis.

There has been no material change in the Trust's grant making policy. It continues to be directed towards Charities concerned with religious and spiritual development, healing and growth on an undenominational basis.

The routine business of the Trust continues to be carried out on a voluntary basis by the Senior Trustee and the Honorary Treasurer. A part-time Administrator assists them, and one other named Trustee re the professional management of the Trust's properties. There are currently six Trustees in total. Decisions on Grants and the management of the Trust's assets continue to be made by the Board of Trustees as a whole at quarterly meetings.

As Trustees of The Inlight Trust we are duty bound to demonstrate not only competence, challenge, and knowledge of charity affairs, but to make ourselves aware of any significant risks which the Charity may face on a regular basis and to ensure that the annual review of our financial and operational affairs carried out through our internal discussions and audit programme will provide sufficient resources to deal with any adverse conditions.

As to any fresh and significant risks and responsibilities which the Charity may face in the future, we have been concerned that "digital continuity" of documents (that is the ability to use our information in the way we need, for as long as we need) and the availability of two signatures re cheques and other legal documents can both be put at risk by death, accident, changes in organisation, management, processes, technology, holidays, or travel. In practical terms, our information is only usable if we can find it, open it, work with it, understand it and trust it.

In order therefore for us to maintain information continuity and the ability to do our business, we , ensure that our Administrator acts as a hub for all information, and in case of accident that her information system will be understood and accessible to at least one named trustee.

The Trustees have assessed the disclosures made in the Trustee's report and consider that these sufficiently detail the significant activities undertaken in order to carry out the charity's aims for the public benefit. When planning the Charity's activities, the Trustees have given regard to the Charity Commissions guidance on public benefit.

#### 3. ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

In the year ending 31 March 2016, The Inlight Trust made:

• 17 grants totaling £243,000 giving an average of £14,294 per grant (compared to the year ending 31 March 2015: 19 grants totaling £250,000 giving an average of £13,157 per grant).

A detailed list of grants made in the year is included in note 5 of the attached accounts.

The Trustees feel that their objectives have been adequately met this year.

However the Trustees are aware that there are external factors which could affect the achievements of their objectives. In respect of investments these are dependent on the general performance of the UK markets. In order to minimize this, the Trustees have set prudent investment policies and place reliance on the technical expertise and foresight of the investment managers to monitor and advise on necessary investment changes and suitable asset allocations.

There are no restrictions on the Charity's power to invest. The investment strategy is set by the Trustees and takes into account income requirements, the risk profile and the investment managers view of the market prospects in the medium term. The overall investment policy is to maximize total return.

The charity has portfolios of investments managed by Schroders and Black Rock, with a market value as at 31 March 2016 of £3,072,676 (2015: £3,282,836).

Overall the investment portfolio has performed well and the investment managers continue to invest in accordance with the Trustees' investment policy set out above.

The Trustees are satisfied with the overall performance of the investments and remain satisfied that their investment objectives are being met and their policy is being achieved.

#### 4. FINANCIAL REVIEW

The Trust's strategic income policy is to increase both the capital value wherever possible and the income of its assets and to achieve the maximum distribution of income consistent with prudent management. As an endowed Charity, the Trust has never made an appeal for funds. The Trust's income continues to derive from residential properties, from charitable common investment funds and from bank interest.

In recent years the government reduced our dividend income by taxation and introduced legislation that has steadily added to our residential property costs over and above inflation, and thus to the level of reserves required to maintain the Properties both to a satisfactory standard and to ensure that they meet current regulatory requirements. Accordingly, we continue to carefully review the performance of our residential properties (see 5 below), and whilst we keep informed about our Investment Fund Managers' policies we continue to be satisfied with their overall performance.

The Trustees confirm that all the Trust's investments are intra vires, being in ethical common investment funds, and the Trustees have been advised by their Fund Managers that our indirect exposure is less than 5% in areas of concern e.g. tobacco, armaments etc.

After making appropriate enquiries, the Trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. For this reason they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

#### 5. PLANS FOR FUTURE PERIODS

During the year under review we have continued the previously established reviews of the individual, and collective, Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats, particularly relating to our residential properties, in conjunction with our investment fund managers and our residential property manager. We have therefore continued our hands-on approach to our property portfolio, and as the residential property market has changed, and bearing in mind the situations of our elderly tenants, we have continued our programme of strategically replacing certain elderly properties.

#### 6. STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The charity's Trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and UK accounting standards (UK Generally Accepted Principles).

The law applicable to charities in England and Wales 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 and of the incoming resources and application of resources for the charity for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP);
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;

- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material 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 operation.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at the time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011 and the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. The Trustees 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.

#### 7. DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

In so far as the Trustees are aware:

- there is no relevant audit information of which the charity's auditors are unaware; and the
   Trustees have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make
- themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditors are aware of that information.

Signed on behalf of the Trustees of The Inlight Trust by

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# Independent Auditor's report to the Trustees of the The Inlight Trust for the year ended 31 March 2016

We have audited the financial statements of The Inlight Trust for the year ended 31 March 2016 set out on pages 8 to 14 which have been prepared on the basis of the accounting policies set out on page 10. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom accounting standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

This report is made solely to the charity's Trustees as a body, in accordance with Section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and the regulations made under Section 154 of that Act. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's trustees those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's Trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### Respective responsibilities of Trustees and Auditor

As explained more fully in the statement of Trustees' Responsibilities, the Trustees are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view.

We have been appointed as auditor under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and report in accordance with regulations made under section 154 of that Act. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's ethical standards for auditors.

#### Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the group's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the Trustees; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. We read all the information in the report of Trustees to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

#### Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Charity's affairs as at 31 March 2016 and of the Charity's incoming resources and application of resources, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011.

#### Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Charities Act 2011 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- the information given in the report of Trustees is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements:
- · sufficient accounting records have not been kept;
- · the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns and
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Paul Branston Adams (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on Behalf of Branston Adams

**Statutory Auditors and Chartered Certified Accountants** 

**South Street** 

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30 Navember 2016

Date .

# Statement of Financial Activities For the year ended 31 March 2016

For the year ended 31 March 2016		2016	2015
		£	£
INCOMING RESOURCES	Note		
Investment income	2	132,067	137,888
Interest Receivable	3	231	397
Rental Income		185,681	160,372
TOTAL INCOMING RESOURCES		317,979	298,657
RESOURCES EXPENDED			
Costs of generating funds:			
Rental expenses	4	54,549	66,794
Charitable activities	5	243,000	250,000
Governance costs			
Management and adminisration	6	32,701	26,117
TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED		330,250	342,911
NET RESOURCES EXPENDED BEFORE ASSET DISPOSAL		(12,271)	(44,254)
Gains/(Loss) on disposals of property assets		-	-
Gains/(Loss) on disposals of investment assets		-	-
NET RESOURCES EXPENDED BEFORE REVALUATIONS		(12,271)	(44,254)
Gains/(Loss) on revaluations of property assets			(700,292)
Gains/(Loss) on revaluations of investment assets		(210,160)	139,056
NET MOVEMENT IN FUNDS FOR THE YEAR		(222,431)	(605,490)
Total funds at 1 April 2015		7,159,341	7,764,831
TOTAL FUNDS AT 31 MARCH 2016		6,936,910	7,159,341

# Statement of Financial Position As at 31 March 2016

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•	Note	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets Investments	9 10		3,805,000 3,072,676 6,877,676		3,805,000 3,282,836 7,087,836
CURRENT ASSETS				·	
Debtors Cash	· 11	50,391 12,516 62,907	-	47,136 28,049 75,185	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	12	(3,673)		(3,680)	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			59,234		71,505
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			6,936,910		7,159,341
THE FUNDS OF THE CHARITY					
Unrestricted income funds			6,936,910		7,159,341
TOTAL FUNDS			6,936,910		7,159,341

Mrs Judy Hayward

#### Notes to the financial statements For the year ended 31 March 2016

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Accounting Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities (SORP 2005), issued in May 2008, UK Accounting Standards and the Charities Act 2011.

#### b) Incoming resources

Income comprises gross investment income, deposit interest and property revenue.

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities when the charity has entitlement to the funds, certainty of receipt and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability.

#### c) Resources expended

Resources expended are included in the Statement of Financial Activities on an accruals basis, inclusive of any VAT which cannot be recovered. All expenditure has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Costs that cannot be directly attributed to particular headings have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with use of resources.

Grants payable are only recognised in the accounts when a commitment has been made and there are no conditions to be met relating to the grant which remain in the control of the charity.

#### d) Fund accounting

Funds held by the charity are unrestricted general funds, which are available for use in accordance with the charitable objects at the discretion of the Trustees.

#### e) Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Freehold investment properties are professionally valued every five years, which is in accordance with recommended practice. In intervening periods, investment properties are shown at market value based on the trustee's review.

The last professional valuation was on 8 June 2015.

Leasehold properties are shown at market values allowing for the length of term remaining on the lease and are professionally valued every five years. The last valuation was on 8 June 2015.

No depreciation is provided on freehold or leasehold properties as they are held as investment properties and recorded at market value.

# f) Investments

Investments are stated at market value at the balance sheet date. The statement of Financial Activities includes the net gains and losses arising on revaluations, additions and disposals throughout the year.

# g) Assets and liabilities

Current assets are included at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Liabilities are generally recognised as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to the expenditure. Liabilities are included at their settlement value.

# 2. INVESTMENT INCOME

		2016 £	2015 £
	UK quoted investments	132,067	137,888
3.	INTEREST RECEIVABLE		
		2016 £	2015 £
	Interest receivable	231	397
4.	RENTAL EXPENDITURE		
		2016 £	2015 £
	Community charges and general rates Agent's fees Repairs and maintenance Service charges Light & heat and insurance Valuation and legal fees	805 24,272 11,595 8,661 9,216 0 54,549	997 20,802 33,350 3,845 6,868 932 66,794
5.	GRANTS PAYABLE		
		2016 £	2015 £
	Grants	243,000	250,000
	Grants were made as follows in the year ended 3	1 March 2016:	
	30th June 2015 meeting	£	
	Field of Merit	5,000	

L'Arche Spiritual Companions Trust The Rokpa Trust Brighton & Hove City Mission West Midlands Quaker Peace Education Project The Meditation Centre	5,000 10,000 6,000 5,000 7,500 7,500 46,000	, ,
23rd September 2015 meeting		
Gladstone's Library West Somerset Area Quaker Meeting The Rokpa Trust	10,000 40,000 15,000 65,000	
25th November 2015 meeting HCPT Inclusive Church The White Eagle Loadge The Rokpa Trust	2,500 2,500 16,000 16,000 37,000	
16th March 2016 meeting		
The Lendrick Trust The White Eagle Lodge The Rokpa Trust	20,000 25,000 50,000 95,000	
6. GOVERNANCE COSTS		
Management and administration costs	2016 £	2015 £
Professional and legal fees Accountancy fees Audit fees Staff salaries Travel, stationery, postage and office expenses	6,835 2,070 2,340 15,310 6,146 32,701	2,232 2,218 2,652 13,837 5,178 26,117

# 7. TRUSTEES

None of the Trustees or any persons connected with them received any remuneration during the period. Six Trustees and one employee were reimbursed a total of £3,048 (2015 - £5,178) for travel, stationery, postage and office expenses.

# 8. STAFF

The average number of person's employed during the year was 1 (2015-1)

2016	2015
£	£

# Staff costs were as follows:

Staff salaries	14,436	13,122
Social security costs	874	715
-	15,310	13,837

No Employee or Trustee received emoluments above £60,000.

#### 9. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Freehold and leasehold investment property	2016 £	2015 £
As at 1 April 2015	3,805,000	3,815,292
Additions Disposals Revaluations	- - -	690,000 - (700,292)
Balance as at 31 March 2016	3,805,000	3,805,000

Properties are freehold and leasehold and were last professionally valued on 8 June 2015 on an open market value basis subject to the tenancies subsisting at the valuation date and the leasehold terms remaining.

Trustees have confirmed that the value shown accurately reflects the properties at market value, in accordance with the charity's accounting policy.

#### **10. INVESTMENTS**

Investments Valuation	2016 £	2015 £
Market value as at 1 April 2015	3,282,836	3,878,569
Additions Disposals Revaluations	· - (210,160)	- - (595,733)
Market value as at 31 March 2016	3,072,676	3,282,836

The Charity held the following material UK investment portfolios as at 31 March 2016:

	2016
Material UK Investments	£
Schroder Income Maximiser Fund	429,216
Schroder Charity Multi-Asset Fund	1,204,146
Black Rock Charinco Common Fund	326,313
Black Rock Charishare Common Fund	1,113,001
Market value as at 31 March 2016	3,072,676

#### 11. DEBTORS

	2016 £	2015 £
Trade debtors Loans to Charities Other debtors	1,391 44,000 5,000	2,136 40,000 5,000
Other debiors	50,391	47,136
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year		

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,	2016 £	2015 £
Accruals	3,68	3,680

# 13. FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

At 31 March 2016 the charity had no financial commitments (2015 - £Nil)

#### 14. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

There were no related party transactions in the year. (2015 - £Nil)

# **15. TAXATION**

The Inlight Trust is a registered charity and therefore is not liable to income tax or corporation tax on income derived from its charitable activities, as it falls within the various exemptions available to registered charities.