Report of the Trustees and
Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2016
for
CABMEN'S SHELTER FUND

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Report of the Trustees for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2016. 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 applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (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 £88,531 towards the maintenance of the shelters. Donations received amounted to £5,000

The maintenance and upkeep of the shelters amounted to £92,663, which included governance costs of £3,080.

# FINANCIAL REVIEW

# Reserves policy

The unrestricted funds of the Charity amounted to £41,354 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 2016

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Independent examiner Neil Wilkinson FCA Knox Cropper Chartered Accountants 153 -155 London Road Hemel Hempstead

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Approved by order of the board of trustees on 23

M Calvey - Trustee

I report on the accounts for the year ended 31 December 2016 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.

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# Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

Notes INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	2016 Unrestricted fund £	2015 Total funds £
Donations and legacies	5,000	<b>79</b> 7
Charitable activities  Maintence and upkeep of shelters	88,531	84,280
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Total	93,531	85,077
EXPENDITURE ON Charitable activities Maintence and upkeep of shelters	92,663	78,785
NET INCOME	868	6,292
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS		
Total funds brought forward	40,486	34,194
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	41,354	40,486

CONTINUING OPERATIONS
All income and expenditure has arisen from continuing activities.

# Balance Sheet At 31 December 2016

		2016 Unrestricted	2015 Total
	Notes	fund £	funds £
CURRENT ASSETS Cash at bank		44,578	44,241
CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year	4	(3,224)	(3,755)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		41,354	40,486
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIE	ES	41,354	40,486
NET ASSETS		41,354	40,486
FUNDS Unrestricted funds	5	41,354	40,486
TOTAL FUNDS		41,354	40,486

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees on 237 2 and were signed on its behalf by:

M. Calvey -Trustee

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charity, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) '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) (effective 1 January 2015)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Charities Act 2011. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

### Financial reporting standard 102 - reduced disclosure exemptions

The charity has taken advantage of the following disclosure exemption in preparing these financial statements, as permitted by FRS 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland':

the requirements of Section 7 Statement of Cash Flows.

### 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. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

	2016	2015
	£	£
Trustees' salaries	6,240	6,240
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### Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 December 2016 nor for the year ended 31 December 2015.

### 3. STAFF COSTS

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

	2016	2015
Administration	1	1
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No employees received emoluments in excess of £60,000.

# 4. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

•	2016	2015
	£	£
Other creditors	3,224	3,755
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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

# 5. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

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Unrestricted funds General fund	40,486	868	41,354
TOTAL FUNDS	40,486	868	41,354
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Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:			
	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds
Unrestricted funds	-	-	
General fund	93,531	(92,663)	868
TOTAL FUNDS	93,531	(92,663)	868

# 6. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 December 2016.