Report of the Trustees and
Unaudited Financial Statements for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017
for
The Cynara Foundation

## The Cynara Foundation

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## Reference and Administrative Details for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

TRUSTEES Ms V Eng (appointed 11.11.15)

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REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER 1165220

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## Report of the Trustees for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017. 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 objects of the Charity, under the terms of the Trust Deed;

- The prevention or relief of global poverty by providing grants to individuals in need and/or charities or organisations working to prevent or relieve poverty

- Must use income and may use the capital of the charity in promoting the Objects. .

#### Public benefit

The Trustees confirm that they referred to the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing the Trust's aims and objectives and in planning future activities and setting grant making policy for the year.

#### Grantmaking

Details of grants made during the period are detailed in note 4 to the financial statements.

## FINANCIAL REVIEW

#### Financial position

#### Unrestricted funds

Incoming resources for the year amounted to £28,548. Grants of £100,000 were made and support costs amounted to £4,630. The deficit has been made good by transfer from the expendable endowment fund.

#### Expendable endowment

The expendable endowment stood at £3,067,980 at the balance sheet date.

#### Principal funding sources

The principal funding source comprises gifts from the trustees of the charity and from investment income.

## Investment policy and objectives

The trustees have agreed a medium risk profile.

#### Reserves policy

The trustees aim to maintain the endowment fund at a level to provide a sufficient capital base to generate an income level sufficient to maintain the level of grantmaking planned in the future. The trustees are satisfied with the current level of reserves.

## STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

#### Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust, and constitutes an unincorporated charity.

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## Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

New trustees may be appointed by the existing trustees by virtue of a power contained within the trust deed. A minimum of three trustees is required by the trust deed.

#### Organisational structure

The charity is governed by its Trustees who may exercise all the powers contained in the trust deed. Veronica Eng, Christopher Snowden and James Snowden are appointed for life and Peter Gibbs for a term of 5 years.

The Trustees must hold at least two ordinary meetings each year. At those meetings, the Trustees agree broad strategy and activity for the Trust, including consideration of grant making, investments and reserves.

#### Report of the Trustees for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

#### STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

#### Induction and training of new trustees

On appointment, new trustees must expressly acknowledge his or her acceptance of office of Trustee of the Charity. In selecting new Trustees, the Trustees must have regard to the skills, knowledge and experience needed for effective administration of the charity. New Trustees are provided with a copy of the trust deed and a copy of the Charity's latest report and accounts.

#### Risk management

The trustees have a duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error.

#### COMMENCEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

The charity commenced to operate on 11 November 2015 being the date of its formation by trust deed.

#### STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES RESPONSIBILITIES

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Report of the Trustees and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England and Wales, the Charities Act 2011, Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and the provisions of the trust deed 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, including the income and expenditure, of the charity for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charity SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

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

J Snowden - Trustee

C Snowden

#### Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of The Cynara Foundation

## Independent examiner's report to the trustees of The Cynara Foundation

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the The Cynara Foundation (the Trust) for the period ended 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017.

## Responsibilities and basis of report

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

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

#### Independent examiner's statement

Since your charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 your examiner must be a member of a listed body. I can confirm that I am qualified to undertake the examination because I am a registered member of FCA which is one of the listed bodies

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material 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 Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
- the accounts do not accord with those records; or
- the accounts do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out
  in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 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.

I confirm that there are no other matters to which your attention should be drawn to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

A S Robinson FCA J P B Harris & Co. Chartered Accountants Harmile House 54 St Marys Lane Upminster Essex RM14 2QP

Date:	

## The Cynara Foundation

## Statement of Financial Activities for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Endowment fund £	Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM Donations and legacies		5,000	3,005,000	3,010,000
Investment income	2	23,548	-	23,548
Total		28,548	3,005,000	3,033,548
EXPENDITURE ON Raising funds Charitable activities	3		6,874	6,874
Charitable activities		100,000	*	100,000
Other	5	4,630		4,630
Total		104,630	6,874	111,504
Net gains/(losses) on investments		-	157,024	157,024
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		(76,082)	3,155,150	3,079,068
Transfers between funds	10	87,170	(87,170)	
Net movement in funds		11,088	3,067,980	3,079,068
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		11,088	3,067,980	3,079,068

## **CONTINUING OPERATIONS**

All income and expenditure has arisen from continuing activities.

## Balance Sheet At 5 April 2017

FIXED ASSETS	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Endowment fund £	Total funds £
Investments	7		3,067,980	3,067,980
CURRENT ASSETS Debtors	8	175		
Cash at bank	Ü	12,863	•	175 12,863
		13,038		13,038
CREDITORS				
Amounts falling due within one year	9	(1,950)	-	(1,950)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		11,088	*	11,088
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		11,088	3,067,980	3,079,068
NET ASSETS		11,088	3,067,980	3,079,068
FUNDS Unrestricted funds Endowment funds	10		_	11,088
				3,067,980
TOTAL FUNDS				3,079,068

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees on \_\_\_31/o1/18 and were signed on its

J Snowden - Trustee

C Snowden

#### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

#### 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 with the exception of investments which are included at market value, as modified by the revaluation of certain assets.

#### 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.

Grants offered subject to conditions which have not been met at the year end date are noted as a commitment but not accrued as expenditure.

#### **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.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

#### **FOREIGN CURRENCIES**

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating result,

#### INVESTMENTS

Investments are shown at market value at the balance sheet date. All gains or losses on revaluation or on disposal are included in the Statement Of Financial Activities.

Investment income is recognised as receivable.

# Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

## 2. INVESTMENT INCOME

TTV Income	<b>*</b> ***********************************	£
UK Income	Interest	6,291
	Gilts	1,841
	Unit Trust Interest	875
Overseas Income	Unit Trust Dividends Dividends	283
		14,258
		23,548

## 3. RAISING FUNDS

## Investment management costs

Portfolio management	<b>1</b>
rottono management	6,874
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## 4. GRANTS PAYABLE

Charitable activities

The total grants paid to institutions during the period was as follows:	
Against Malaria Foundation Schistosomiasis Control Strong Minds Living Goods	£ 70,000 10,000 10,000 10,000
	100,000

100,000

#### 5. OTHER

C	£
Support costs	4,630

Support costs include the independent examiners fee of £1,200.

## 6. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the period ended 5 April 2017.

### TRUSTEES' EXPENSES

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the period ended 5 April 2017.

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## Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

## 7. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

Shares Portfolio Cash			£ 2,659,818 408,162 3,067,980
Additional information as follows;			Listed
MARKET VALUE Additions Disposals Revaluations At 5 April 2017			£ 4,633,682 (2,130,888) 157,024 2,659,818
NET BOOK VALUE At 5 April 2017			2,659,818
Investment assets outside the UK amounted to £1,398,50	2 at the balance sheet date.		
Investments (neither listed nor unlisted) were as follows:			
Portfolio Cash			£ 408,162
DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN O	ONE YEAR		
Tax			£ 175
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN	NONE YEAR		
Accrued expenses			£ 1,950
MOVEMENT IN FUNDS			
	Net movement in funds £	Transfers between funds	At 5.4.17
Unrestricted funds General fund	(76,082)	87,170	11,088
Endowment funds Expendable Endowment	3,155,150	(87,170)	3,067,980
TOTAL FUNDS	3,079,068	•	3,079,068

# Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

## 10. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

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

Unrestricted funds	Incoming resources	Resources expended £	Gains and losses	Movement in funds
General fund	28,548	(104,630)	l <del>a</del>	(76,082)
Endowment funds Expendable Endowment	3,005,000	(6,874)	157,024	3,155,150
TOTAL FUNDS	3,033,548	(111,504)	157,024	3,079,068

The endowment fund is to provide assets with which to generate an income to fund the charity's grant making activities. The endowment is expendable and the capital can be used to fund the charitable activities over and above the income arising in any year.

## TRANSFERS BETWEEN FUNDS

The transfer from the expendable endowment to unrestricted funds represents the funding of the grants made in excess of the income in the period under review.

## 11. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the period ended 5 April 2017.

# Detailed Statement of Financial Activities for the Period 11 November 2015 to 5 April 2017

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INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS	
Donations and legacies Gifts Gift aid	2,409,000 601,000
	3,010,000
Investment income Other fixed asset invest - FII Deposit account interest	18,004 5,544
	23,548
Total incoming resources	3,033,548
EXPENDITURE	
Investment management costs Portfolio management	6,874
Charitable activities Grants to institutions	100,000
Support costs Finance	
Bank charges	430
Administration and Trust Accounting Independent Examination	3,000 1,200
	4,630
Total resources expended	111,504
Net income before gains and losses	2,922,044
Realised recognised gains and losses	
Realised gains/(losses) on fixed asset investments	157,024
Net income	3,079,068

