



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Smethwick Bangladeshi Muslim Welfare Association

No 1003212

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	Period start date	To	Period end date
	1 January 2023		31 December 2023

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations, legacies and grants	46,747	38,598	-	85,345	131,445
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	46,747	38,598	-	85,345	131,445
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	46,747	38,598	-	85,345	131,445
A3 Payments					
Wages and national insurance	12,720	-	-	12,720	11,671
Repairs and maintenance	1,774	-	-	1,774	5,069
Light and heat	7,125	-	-	7,125	4,569
Bank charges	93	61	-	154	431
Water and sewerage	1,088	-	-	1,088	882
Insurance	942	-	-	942	908
Legal and professional	75	-	-	75	9,519
Rates	61	-	-	61	82
Costs of events	8,870	-	-	8,870	5,500
Stationery	-	-	-	-	90
Telephone	150	-	-	150	-
Scanners	529	-	-	529	370
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	33,427	61	-	33,488	39,091
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Building capital works	-	29,466	-	29,466	-
CCTV	3,050	-	-	3,050	-
Sub total	3,050	29,466	-	32,516	-
Total payments	36,477	29,527	-	66,004	39,091
Net of receipts/(payments)	10,270	9,071	-	19,341	92,354
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	175,434	83,238	-	258,672	166,318
Cash funds this year end	185,704	92,309	-	278,013	258,672



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
Smethwick Bangladeshi Muslim Welfare Association

**On accounts for the year
ended**

31 December 2023

**Charity no
(if any)**

1003212

Set out on pages

1 and 2 above.

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31 December 2023.

**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 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

**Independent
examiner's statement**

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

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed: Mohammed Yaseen

Mohammed Yaseen (Oct 24, 2024 16:30 GMT+1)

Date: 18 October 2024

Name: Mohammed Yaseen

**Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body:**

ACCA

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

Period start date		Period end date					
From	1	January	2023	To	31	December	2023

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name Smethwick Bangladeshi Muslim Welfare Association

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any) 1003212

Charity's principal address

253 Halfords Lane
 Smethwick
 Birmingham
 Postcode B66 1BD

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
Malikur Rahman			Charity Members

Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document
(eg. trust deed, constitution)

Constitution

How the charity is constituted
(eg. trust, association, company)

Association

Trustee selection methods
(eg. appointed by, elected by)

Trustees are elected by the charity members at the Annual General Meeting, at any General Meeting or at any Special General Meeting.

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

Section C Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

The charity's activities are governed by its Constitution. The charity's objects laid down in the Constitution include:

- (a) the advancement and preservation of the Islamic faith;
- (b) the advancement of education including instruction in the Islamic faith;
- (c) to provide facilities for recreation or other leisure-time occupation in the interests of social welfare with the object of improving the conditions of life for the inhabitants of the area of Smethwick;
- (d) to advance and cater for the religious needs and educational activities;
- (e) to undertake the day-to-day management of the Association in accordance with the Constitution; and
- (f) to foster goodwill and harmonious relations.

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

In conducting the charity's activities, the Trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit.

The main activities include catering for the religious needs of the community and the provision of educational activities.

The Mosque is a centre for worship and activities connected to the Islamic faith. The Mosque is open to members of public from outside of Smethwick.

Educational activities are open to children and adults. Activities range from basic classes to tutorials on everyday manners to help create goodwill in public.

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

Section D

Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

The charity received donations of £85,345 during the year. It has been an encouraging year with increasing members of the public using the charities facilities.

At the time of writing, the charity has commenced major renovation works to the charity building. This should provide the public with improved facilities and services. Of the donations collected, £38,598 has been specifically donated for the renovation work. The charity users and the public in general have been very generous in donating towards this project. We thank all those who have supported the charity and hope to achieve continuing donations to progress with the project.

The charity held a number of conferences during the year which had attendees from various parts of the Midlands. The topics included the importance of family values, education, and good manners in society.

On Fridays, an increasing number of the public from outside Smethwick are using the charity's services.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves	<p>There is no set policy on the level of unrestricted reserves other than to maintain any surpluses left from donations for the furtherance of its Objects.</p> <p>A separate restricted reserve was set up for future renovation work to the charity property.</p>
Details of any funds materially in deficit	N/A

Further financial review details (Optional information)

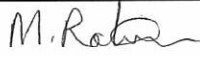
<p>You may choose to include additional information, where relevant about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising); • how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity; • investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted. 	<p>The Trustees are satisfied with the financial position of the charity at the period end. There are sufficient cash funds and relatively small liabilities.</p> <p>At 31 December 2023 there were total unrestricted reserves of £491,675. Restricted reserves at this date were £92,309.</p>
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Section F Other optional information

Section G Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Malikur Rahman	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Trustee	
Date	18 October 2024	