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REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1076598

MISSION INDIA
(A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES AND
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

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**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2021.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The objects for which the company is established are the advancement of the Christian religion in particular but not exclusively by :-

- a) Providing materials to Christians in India to accomplish their goals in ministry;
- b) Providing educational and training programmes that enable these individuals to plant worshipping groups;
- c) Obtaining income generation grants that enable these individuals and their supporting workers to become self-sustaining in material distribution and the planting of worshipping groups.

The main activity is to fundraise throughout the UK in order to carry out the main objectives in India. Fundraising activities are undertaken mostly through mail to existing donors with regular giving encouraged through the use of standing orders. The council seek to expand the donor list through targeted mailings as well as promotions through personal contact.

Three main programmes are supported in India :-

- Children's Bible Clubs
- Adult Literacy Classes
- Church Planter Training

Public benefit

When considering what projects to support, the council have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

Volunteers

All council members are volunteers. In addition a number of donors provide their time and effort in a voluntary manner to promote awareness of Mission India and its objectives.

The contribution of volunteers is greatly valued.

ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE

During this year the charity has continued to see an increase in its donations for its three major programmes. This is due to the raising of awareness of the charity by the employees and trustees and as a result of successful advocacy campaigns, highlighting the raising levels of persecution in India and a relief programme specific to the impact of COVID-19 in India.

During the year donations totalling £122,838 were sent to projects in India, this has enabled more Indian children and their families to receive the Good News of Jesus and for new worshipping groups to be established. India's Christians are passionate about sharing the Christian message in their communities but most lack the tools and training to effectively reach the nation. Mission India has assisted these men and women through our Training Programme. We also sent £177,316 to India for the Relief Fund. This was for production and distribution of Relief Kits.

More detail of the individual projects supported is given in note 14 of the accounts.

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FINANCIAL REVIEW

The results for the year are reported in the Statement of Financial Activities on Page 6. There is an overall surplus of Income during the year of £39,769. Campaigns targeted at the specific projects have been particularly successful with an increase in restricted donations of over £217,000 on last year. This, and the relief effort, has enabled a total of £300,154 to be sent to India.

The Council prepare an annual budget which is monitored at their quarterly meetings. This year, taking into account the day to day running costs and future funding requirements, it was decided that £50,000 was a reasonable figure to hold in reserves, equating to approximately six months of anticipated expenditure.

Unrestricted Reserves at the year end were £120,213. Any unrequired excess will be transferred to India in the next donation.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The company was incorporated on 21 December 1998 as a private company limited by guarantee, with the liability of each member limited to £1. It is governed by a Memorandum and Articles of Association. It is also registered with the Charity Commission.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

Members are elected by ordinary resolution as a matter of ordinary business. The minimum number of members is three, but there is no limit on the number of members. Every member shall either sign a written consent to become a member or sign the register of members on becoming a member.

The affairs of the company are managed by a Council whose number shall be not less than three. At every annual general meeting one third of the council shall retire by rotation, but if the vacancy is not filled, the retiring member shall if willing to act be deemed to be reappointed.

The council shall elect from their number a Chairman who shall hold office for three years. Any member of the council who has previously held office as Chairman shall be eligible for re-election to that office but shall not consecutively hold that office for more than two terms.

The council meets formally at least four times a year with regular financial reporting on a monthly basis.

One member of the council is an executive with our sister organisation based in Michigan, USA, also called Mission India. The council works closely with the US organisation, as they have set up all the necessary systems and procedures to oversee the work in India and this enables the council to monitor the proper use of their grants. All members of the council have been to see the work in India and the office of the local partner, who assesses all applications to run the individual programmes, ensures proper training of volunteers and teachers and oversees the production of the teaching materials. Proper accountability and reporting procedures have also been implemented for each programme so the council are confident that all grants from the UK are properly used in carrying out the supported programmes.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Company number

03686616 (England and Wales)

Registered Charity number

1076598

Registered office

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**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

Trustees

The directors of the charitable company (the charity) are its trustees for the purpose of Charity Law and throughout this report are collectively referred to as 'the trustees'.

The directors who served during the year were:-

D E Bustraan
C M Spyrou
S H Butler
F M Waterer
G M Brocklebank
L E Brocklebank
E A de Leyser

Independent Examiner

Denise Balch
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STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The trustees (who are also the directors of Mission India for the purposes of company law) 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).

Company law 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 charitable company and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable company 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 charitable company 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 charitable company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The trustees are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the charitable company's website.

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**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Approved by order of the board of trustees on 19 July 2021 and signed on its behalf by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Carrie Spyrou". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Carrie Spyrou - Trustee

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF MISSION INDIA

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Mission India ('the Company')

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2021.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees of the Company (and also its directors for the purposes of company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act').

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the Company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of your charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5) (b) of the 2011 Act.

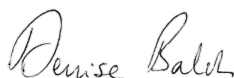
Independent examiner's statement

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 ACA which is one of the listed bodies.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Company as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act 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; or
4. the accounts have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities (applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)).

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



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19 July 2021

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
(INCORPORATING AN INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2021 Total funds £	2020 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM					
Donations and legacies	2	195,143	312,465	507,608	235,963
Investment income	3	11	-	11	55
Total		195,154	312,465	507,619	236,018
EXPENDITURE ON					
Raising funds	4	62,702	80,188	142,890	95,252
Charitable activities	5				
Charitable Activities		110,010	214,075	324,085	119,594
Governance costs		875	-	875	847
Total		173,587	294,263	467,850	215,693
NET INCOME		21,567	18,202	39,769	20,325
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward		98,646	11,712	110,358	90,033
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		120,213	29,914	150,127	110,358

CONTINUING OPERATIONS

All income and expenditure has arisen from continuing activities.

The notes form part of these financial statements

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BALANCE SHEET
31 MARCH 2021

	Notes	2021 £	2020 £
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash at bank		152,270	112,422
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	12	(2,143)	(2,064)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>150,127</u>	<u>110,358</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>150,127</u>	<u>110,358</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>150,127</u>	<u>110,358</u>
FUNDS	14		
Unrestricted funds		120,213	98,646
Restricted funds		29,914	11,712
TOTAL FUNDS		<u>150,127</u>	<u>110,358</u>

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 March 2021.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2021 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- (a) ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to charitable companies subject to the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 19 July 2021 and were signed on its behalf by:



Carrie Spyrou - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

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**CASH FLOW STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

	Notes	2021 £	2020 £
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	1	39,848	20,641
Net cash provided by operating activities		39,848	20,641
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the reporting period		39,848	20,641
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting period		112,422	91,781
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period		152,270	112,422

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**NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

1. RECONCILIATION OF NET INCOME TO NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	2021	2020
	£	£
Net income for the reporting period (as per the Statement of Financial Activities)	39,769	20,325
Adjustments for:		
Increase in creditors	<u>79</u>	<u>316</u>
Net cash provided by operations	<u>39,848</u>	<u>20,641</u>

2. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET FUNDS

	At 1/4/20	Cash flow	At 31/3/21
	£	£	£
Net cash			
Cash at bank	<u>112,422</u>	<u>39,848</u>	<u>152,270</u>
	<u>112,422</u>	<u>39,848</u>	<u>152,270</u>
Total	<u>112,422</u>	<u>39,848</u>	<u>152,270</u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charitable company, 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 2019)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006. 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.

Governance costs

Governance costs comprise all costs involving public accountability of the charity and its compliance with regulation and good practice.

Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation 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.

Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The charitable company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the charitable company's pension scheme are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities in the period to which they relate.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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2. DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

	2021	2020
	£	£
Donations and gifts	462,763	212,135
Income tax reclaimed	44,845	23,828
	<u>507,608</u>	<u>235,963</u>

3. INVESTMENT INCOME

	2021	2020
	£	£
Interest received	<u>11</u>	<u>55</u>

4. RAISING FUNDS**Raising donations and legacies**

	2021	2020
	£	£
Staff costs	34,850	36,667
Employee expenses	1,223	7,091
Direct mailing costs	9,684	10,710
Fundraising costs	89,637	33,148
Office administration	7,496	7,636
	<u>142,890</u>	<u>95,252</u>

5. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES COSTS

	Direct Costs (see note 6)	Support costs (see note 7)	Totals
	£	£	£
Charitable Activities	324,085	-	324,085
Governance costs	-	875	875
	<u>324,085</u>	<u>875</u>	<u>324,960</u>

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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6. DIRECT COSTS OF CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	2021	2020
	£	£
Staff costs	14,931	15,714
Donations to projects	300,154	95,000
Office administration	1,744	5,546
Bank charges	144	100
Postage	1,063	860
Subscriptions	783	1,011
Miscellaneous	1,976	839
Recruitment costs	790	524
Prayer mobilisation	2,500	-
	<u>324,085</u>	<u>119,594</u>

7. SUPPORT COSTS

	Governance costs
	£
Governance costs	<u>875</u>

8. NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)

Net Income is stated after charging :

	2020	2019
	£	£
Independent Examiner's fees for reporting on the accounts	487	460
Paid to the Independent Examiner for payroll services	360	350

9. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 March 2021 nor for the year ended 31 March 2020.

Trustees' expenses

No amounts were paid to trustees for expenses during the year. In the previous year £167 of expenses were reimbursed to a trustee or paid directly to a third party for travel and subsistence.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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10. STAFF COSTS

	2021	2020
	£	£
Wages and salaries	48,706	50,851
Other pension costs	1,075	1,530
	<u>49,781</u>	<u>52,381</u>

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

	2021	2020
	1	1
Fundraising	1	1
Administration	1	1
	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>

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

11. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies	140,682	95,281	235,963
Investment income	55	-	55
Total	140,737	95,281	236,018
EXPENDITURE ON			
Raising funds	61,062	34,190	95,252
Charitable activities			
Charitable Activities	49,594	70,000	119,594
Governance costs	847	-	847
Total	111,503	104,190	215,693
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)	29,234	(8,909)	20,325
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward	69,412	20,621	90,033
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u>98,646</u>	<u>11,712</u>	<u>110,358</u>

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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12. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2021 £	2020 £
Other creditors	293	327
PAYE owing	1,340	1,262
Accruals	510	475
	<u>2,143</u>	<u>2,064</u>

13. ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS

	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2021 Total funds £	2020 Total funds £
Current assets	122,356	29,914	152,270	112,422
Current liabilities	(2,143)	-	(2,143)	(2,064)
	<u>120,213</u>	<u>29,914</u>	<u>150,127</u>	<u>110,358</u>

14. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1/4/20 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/3/21 £
Unrestricted funds			
Unrestricted Funds	98,646	21,567	120,213
Restricted funds			
Childrens Bible Club	4,037	7,919	11,956
Church Planter Training	7,675	(3,966)	3,709
Adult Literacy Classes	-	5,121	5,121
Bibles	-	9,128	9,128
	<u>11,712</u>	<u>18,202</u>	<u>29,914</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>110,358</u>	<u>39,769</u>	<u>150,127</u>

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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14. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

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

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
Unrestricted Funds	195,154	(173,587)	21,567
Restricted funds			
Childrens Bible Club	42,203	(34,284)	7,919
Church Planter Training	23,634	(27,600)	(3,966)
Adult Literacy Classes	8,421	(3,300)	5,121
Bibles	16,818	(7,690)	9,128
Relief	221,389	(221,389)	-
	<u>312,465</u>	<u>(294,263)</u>	<u>18,202</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u><u>507,619</u></u>	<u><u>(467,850)</u></u>	<u><u>39,769</u></u>

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 1/4/19 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/3/20 £
Unrestricted funds			
Unrestricted Funds	69,412	29,234	98,646
Restricted funds			
Childrens Bible Club	11,586	(7,549)	4,037
Church Planter Training	7,555	120	7,675
Adult Literacy Classes	89	(89)	-
Bibles	1,391	(1,391)	-
	<u>20,621</u>	<u>(8,909)</u>	<u>11,712</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u><u>90,033</u></u>	<u><u>20,325</u></u>	<u><u>110,358</u></u>

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14. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Comparative net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
Unrestricted Funds	140,737	(111,503)	29,234
Restricted funds			
Childrens Bible Club	31,979	(39,528)	(7,549)
Church Planter Training	30,120	(30,000)	120
Adult Literacy Classes	12,323	(12,412)	(89)
Bibles	20,859	(22,250)	(1,391)
	<u>95,281</u>	<u>(104,190)</u>	<u>(8,909)</u>
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>236,018</u>	<u>(215,693)</u>	<u>20,325</u>

Restricted Funds

Mission India supports Indian Christians in planting new worshipping groups throughout the nation of India in systematic and measurable ways. By providing financial resources and oversight from the United Kingdom, Mission India completes its ministry through local partners in India, Mission India is interdenominational working with indigenous Indian churches denominations and outreach organisations in the following four areas:

Children's Bible Club

A children's bible club programme is a two week educational event and often continues throughout the year with ongoing worshipping groups. The clubs are led by Indian christian volunteers who serve in their local communities. These leaders are trained and provided with curriculum printed in India's major languages

Church Planter Training

A church planter training programme develops and prepares Indian christians to become Church Planters. Training involves in-class bible lessons, provision of scriptures, tools and supervised field experience..

Adult Literacy Classes

An adult literacy class runs for 52 weeks, held each evening , five days per week. Literacy programmes use primers available in all of India's main languages; lesson materials and lessons on health, self-sustenance and community issues. Basic classroom supplies, such as chalkboards and lanterns are also provided.

Relief Fund

During 2020 and into 2021, India has been devastated by the COVID-19 Pandemic. The rapid spread of the virus has caused considerable suffering to those who were already extremely poor. Many have not been able to find work at all. Those who have, faced decisions on working to feed their families, but with the threat of catching the virus and most likely dying, or not working and facing starvation. Our relief effort provides our ministry partners in India with the funds to produce a Relief Kit containing food, medicines and PPE, which can feed a family and help them to stay safe, and distribute these kits as quickly as possible.

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15. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

No payments to related parties were made in the current year.

During the previous year £506 was paid to the sister organisation Mission India USA , for database and website services.