

BEREGA RELIEF EQUIPMENT AND DEVELOPMENT TRUST

England & Wales · Charity number 1091256

Details

Other names	BREAD
Status	Registered
Legal form	Other
Registered	2002-03-21
Register	View on the Charity Commission register

Contact

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Activities

Objects: 1. THE RELIEF OF SICKNESS AND DISEASE, PARTICULARLY BY SUPPORTING BEREGA HOSPITAL THROUGH THE PROVISION OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AS WELL AS FUNDING NEW BUILDINGS, MAINTENANCE AND RENOVATION OF EXISTING STRUCTURES AND TRAINING COURSES TO ENSURE ONGOING STAFF EDUCATION AND DEVELOPMENT; 2. THE RELIEF OF POVERTY THROUGH SUPPORT OF THE LOCAL ORPHANAGE AND THROUGH THE PROVISION OF GRANTS AND FUNDS FOR HOMELESS AND NEEDY PEOPLE AND THOSE UNABLE TO AFFORD BASIC HEALTH CARE OR EDUCATION; AND 3. THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE CHRISTIAN RELIGION THROUGH PROVISION OF COURSES AND FACILITIES FOR THE TRAINING OF CHURCH LEADERS AND TEACHERS IN THE CHRISTIAN MINISTRY.

Activities: BREAD raises funds and makes grants to projects run by the Diocese of Morogoro in Tanzania in four main ways: Berega Hospital (serving a wide surrounding area), Berega Orphanage, Berega Institute of Health Sciences (BIHeS) and Bishop Chitemo Primary and Secondary Schools. We also support various village related projects and elective visits by international volunteers.

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Human Resources, Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space
- **What:** Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Overseas Aid/famine Relief, Accommodation/housing, Religious Activities, Economic/community Development/employment
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** THE ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF MOROGORO, CENTRAL TANZANIA, EAST AFRICA, MAINLY, BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY, IN THE VILLAGE OF BEREGA, MAGOLE WARD, KILOSA DISTRICT.
- Tanzania

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-09-30	£34,931	£28,270	-	-
2024-09-30	£42,165	£21,845	-	-
2023-09-30	£48,218	£47,711	-	-
2022-09-30	£30,653	£30,931	-	-
2021-09-30	£41,021	£44,063	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
GARY MANN	Chair	
Dr DAVID CURNOCK		2013-04-10
Emma Louise Stanley		2022-12-10
Karen Jane Platten		2022-12-10
Kathleen Rudman		2018-11-10
MIKE MYTTON		2012-03-21
Robert Cleave		2019-11-23

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CHARITY ACCOUNTS

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for the year ended 30th September 2025



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Name of Charity

Berega Relief Equipment and Development Trust

Governing Instrument

Trust Deed dated 17th November 2001

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The trustees shall hold the trust fund and its income upon trust to apply them for the following objects in the Anglican Diocese of Morogoro, central Tanzania, East Africa, mainly, but not exclusively, in the village of Berega, Magole Ward, Kilosa District:

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Names of Trustees

Gary Mann (Chairman)
Robert Cleave (Treasurer)
Michael Mytton (Secretary)
Dr David Curnock
Kathy Rudman
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Trustees' Report

Our annual report covers the financial year ending in September 2025. However, to put the year into its proper context, it is necessary to also report on developments that have occurred in the last quarter of the calendar year 2025.

Normally, in writing this report, we have the benefit of information gained from a visit by Trustees. Such a visit was scheduled for November. To coincide with the 15th anniversary celebrations of BIHES and Bishop Chitemo Junior School. Unfortunately, this visit was cancelled due to political unrest and violence throughout Tanzania.

As described in the financial report, our water project has been the main focus of Trustees' attention this year. After lengthy studies and negotiations, we have finally agreed to fund the revamping of an existing borehole, together with required distribution system that will provide water for the whole campus run by the Morogoro Diocese (the schools, hospital and health college). Work will start in March 2026. This will use up all the money that we have built up in our bank account. A partner charity, the Anglican Relief and Development Fund Australia, have agreed to contribute US\$10,000 to the project and we are very grateful for this help.

With regard to our partners in Berega:

- Bishop Chitemo primary school have successfully launched their secondary school, with the first students starting in January 2025. We continue to sponsor 30 local children at the primary school. They are children whose families would otherwise be unable to afford the fees, but who have the ability to benefit from the education.
- BIHeS (Berega Institute of Health Sciences) continues to work well. They currently have 189 students on three courses: Nursing and midwifery, Clinical medicine and Pharmaceutical sciences.
- Because of the cancellation of the Trustees visit, we do not have first hand information about the hospital. However on 2nd January 2026 Bishop Godfrey of Morogoro emailed the Trustees about the hospital, and the difficulties it has gone through in recent years, and The Bishop wrote "We are currently very encouraged, and I am happy to inform you that our hospital is making good progress."

The membership and roles within the Trustees have not changed this year. We have continued to hold meetings on Zoom, and by shared emails.

The Accounting Report

The accounts are summarised later in this report. They have been prepared on the Receipts and Payments basis¹. As will be seen we have spent £27,667 directly in Berega. The breakdown of this expenditure is shown below. It excludes bank charges paid in the UK.

The main focus this year has again been on the water project. The supply of water in Berega has been impacted by climate change and is causing serious problems to the hospital, the village and to agriculture.

SAWA our water engineering company based in Dar es Salaam has carried out water quality testing and surveying of the area to identify the best place for a borehole with minimal salinity and drawn up project plans to develop a new borehole and pump the water to the hospital, BIHeS and the schools.

The, for us, significant sum of money in our bank account at the year-end is for this project. In fact, all these funds are either restricted (e.g. for school sponsorship and the epilepsy project), or are designated for the expenditure expected on the bore hole.

Department	Projects	Expenditure/£
Hospital	Cholera medicines Epilepsy project	6,524
Bishop Chitemo Primary and Senior School	Pupil sponsorship. Support for the building of classrooms for the new senior school.	8,495
Water Project	Water quality testing, survey work and drawing up plans.	8,553
CCMP	CCMP worker's salary St Michael's, Berega, church roof.	4,095
Total		27,667

We raised £6,661 more than we spent, and our funds in the bank increased from £27,815 to £34,476. The use of this money was agreed and prioritised at a number of Trustees meetings. We have also had a number of Zoom meetings with our partners in Berega and SAWA, the Dar es Salaam based water engineering company, to better understand immediate issues and progress the water project.

We collect Gift Aid, where appropriate, in the year following that in which donations were made.

We keep separate funds that have been given for particular purposes. These specific funds are: pupil sponsorship at the primary school, the epilepsy project, Morogoro Church Community Transformation and dental equipment.

We were again subject to a Barclays compliance audit which we were able to satisfactorily complete by providing the requested evidence and explanations. Barclays is extremely slow at reviewing evidence, the annual audit taking 5 months. For a small charity such as BREAD this is time consuming and Barclays places restrictions on the account until the audit is complete.



For and on behalf of the Trustees
Gary Mann, Chairman
February 2026

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Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Berega Relief Equipment and Development Trust

I report on the accounts of the Trust for the year ended 30th September 2025, which are set out on the following page.

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 needed. 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 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 statement 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 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.

C. M. Langton 08/02/2026

Christine Langton
Nottingham

February 2026

BEREGA RELIEF EQUIPMENT AND DEVELOPMENT TRUST

Receipts and Payments Account

For the year ended 30th September 2025

	2025	2024
Receipts		
Donations Received	29,354	35,582
Tax Reclaimed	5,577	6,583
	<u>34,931</u>	<u>42,165</u>
Payments		
Direct Charitable Expenditure		
Grants to Berega	27,667	21,695
Other payments	375	-
	<u>28,042</u>	<u>21,695</u>
Administration		
Printing, postage & stationery		
Bank Charges	228	150
	<u>228</u>	<u>150</u>
Total Payments	<u>28,270</u>	<u>21,845</u>
Net Income/(Deficit) for the year	6,661	20,320
Cash and Bank Balances at beginning of year	27,815	7,495
Cash and Bank Balances at end of year	34,476	27,815

I have prepared the accounts set out above and confirm that, as far as I am aware, they fully reflect the activities of the Trust.


Robert Cleave
Treasurer
February 2026

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2024

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Trustees' Report

Our annual report covers the financial year ending in September 2024. During this time, Robert Cleave, our Treasurer, and David Curnock, our Medical Trustee, visited the village. They were pleased with the progress being made at the Hospital, Bishop Chitemo Primary School, the Berega Institute of Health Sciences, and the Patmos Orphanage. They noted that the academic results at the school remain very good, and that a recent Government inspection of the hospital led to an improvement in its grade.

The one big problem for these institutions, and for the village as a whole, is the lack of reliable, clean water. Over the past two financial years we have spent a lot of money on refurbishing the rainwater collection systems. This is a very useful supplement, but the water table is lower than it was (probably due to climate change) and there is still a need for a new pump. The situation is complicated and we have retained Tanzanian water and sanitation consultants (SAWA) to help us to proceed properly, and to make sure we cater for the long term.

As you will see in the financial report we have accumulated funds to allow us to carry out this work and have been encouraged by an offer of a matching grant from the Anglican Relief and Development Fund, Australia. We very much hope that we will be able to spend this money during 2025.

With regards to the institutions we support, the following developments are important:

- The Government of Tanzania is working hard in the area of education. They are encouraging all primary schools to expand and create secondary schools. The school in Berega is doing this and will be open to pupils in 2025. This is a big step and it will require significant investment.
- The hospital has had to contend with a cholera outbreak this year. As far as we can tell, it has handled this well. The incidence is now declining rapidly.
- The Berega Institute of Health Sciences has also had an interesting year. It continues to grow and this academic year it will have over 200 students. The first clinical medicine students have now graduated. They also are hoping to invest: in classrooms, dormitories and housing for lecturers.

Our partners are doing well and are certainly ambitious to bring about good changes in the village and for Tanzania!

The Trustees continue to meet online and closely follow the happenings in the village. Two of our Trustees have resigned this year and we thank them for their involvement. One was Dr Alastair Stanley: a paediatrician who has worked in the maternity ward several times. The other is Dr Jonathan Northway – the founder of the charity, and previously the doctor in charge in Berega. He is now working in a boys boarding school in the UK. We are extremely grateful to them and for all their work.

The Accounting Report

The accounts are summarised later in this report. They have been prepared on the Receipts and Payments basis¹. As will be seen we have spent £21,695 directly in Berega. The breakdown of this expenditure is shown below. It excludes bank charges paid in the UK.

There was one visit by Trustees to Berega this financial year.

The main focus again this year has been on the water project. The supply of water in Berega has been impacted by climate change and is causing serious problems to the hospital, the village and to agriculture.

The refurbishment of water collection pipes and storage tanks in and around the hospital, school and orphanage has been of great benefit. Unfortunately the main village borehole which also supplied water to the hospital and school has stopped working, suspected of drying up. A new borehole is desperately needed.

The, for us, significant sum of money in our bank account at the year-end is for this. SAWA our water engineering company based in Dar es Salaam are currently surveying to determine the best location for drilling a new borehole.

Department	Projects	Expenditure/£
Hospital	Creation of a dental room and dental equipment, including a dental chair. Epilepsy project	7,826
Bishop Chitemo Primary School	Pupil sponsorship plus books for the library.	8,419
Water Project	Refurbishment of water collection pipes and storage tanks in and around the hospital, school and orphanage.	4,211
Other	Morogoro Church Community Transformation	1,239
Total		21,695

We raised £20,320 more than we spent, and our funds in the bank increased from £7,495 to £27,815. The use of this money was agreed and prioritised at a number of Trustees meetings. We have also had a number of Zoom meetings with our partners in Berega to better understand immediate issues.

We collect Gift Aid, where appropriate, in the year following that in which donations were made.

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We were again subject to a Barclays compliance audit which we were able to satisfactorily complete by providing the requested evidence and explanations.



For and on behalf of the Trustees
Gary Mann, Chairman
February 2025

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Basis of independent examiner's report

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February 2025

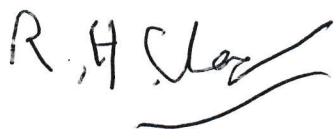
BEREGA RELIEF EQUIPMENT AND DEVELOPMENT TRUST

Receipts and Payments Account

For the year ended 30th September 2024

	2024	2023
Receipts		
Donations Received	35,582	43,070
Tax Reclaimed	6,583	5,358
	<u>42,165</u>	<u>48,428</u>
Payments		
Direct Charitable Expenditure		
Grants to Berega	21,695	47,711
Other payments		
	<u>21,695</u>	<u>47,711</u>
Administration		
Printing, postage & stationery		
Bank Charges	150	216
	<u>150</u>	<u>216</u>
Total Payments	<u>21,845</u>	<u>47,927</u>
Net Income/(Deficit) for the year	20,320	501
Cash and Bank Balances at beginning of year	7,495	6,994
Cash and Bank Balances at end of year	27,815	7,495

I have prepared the accounts set out above and confirm that, as far as I am aware, they fully reflect the activities of the Trust.



Robert Cleave
Treasurer
February 2025

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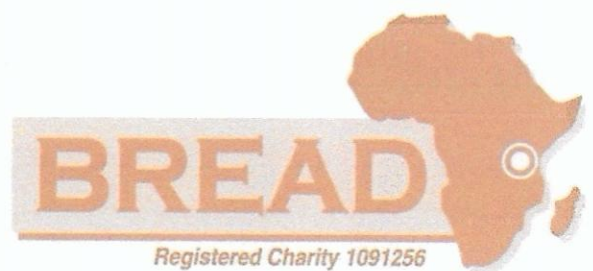
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Trustees' Report

As travel conditions return to normal, two groups of Trustees have visited the village of Berega during this financial year. It is good to have better contact with our partners there. Furthermore, Isaac Mgego, the Director of the hospital, visited the UK recently and met with many of the Trustees.

As described in the Treasurer's report, much of our money this year has been spent on renovating and renewing the rainwater harvesting system at the hospital, the orphanage, and the Institute of health Sciences. Unusually for us, we held a special appeal to raise money for this work. (Our last appeal was in 2014 to help us buy a second-hand Land Rover.)

The institutions we help, continue to function and are doing well. In particular:

- Bishop Chitemo School is building new classrooms and other facilities in order to reach it's planned size: that is 2 classes in each of the 7 year-groups. They are doing this with a loan from a local bank. Once this loan is repaid, they will be in a much stronger financial position and should start to generate funds for improvements in the education they provide.
- Last year, the Institute for health Sciences was given permission to start new courses. As a result, they have recruited many more students and hope to be able to break even financially soon. This is encouraging for us, because we have invested heavily in new facilities to help these courses get off the ground.

The orphanage and the hospital continue to operate well. In particular, the epilepsy outreach worker (funded through us, by a Development Trust) is working hard and finding many new patients to treat.

This year we have also become a little involved in a government primary school located in the village. It needed a new classroom and the parents had started to build it. We have added to their funds in a small way and are hoping that it will be enough to get the classroom built.

The Trustees team has remained the same this year as last year. We have met several times online.

The Accounting Report

The accounts are summarised later in this report. They have been prepared on the Receipts and Payments basis¹. As will be seen we have spent £47,711 directly in Berega. The breakdown of this expenditure is shown below. It excludes bank charges paid in the UK.

There were two visits by Trustees and other volunteers to Berega this financial year, the first since the pandemic.

The main focus this year has been on the water project. For which we have had a special appeal. The supply of water in Berega has been impacted by climate change and is causing serious problems to the hospital, the village and to agriculture.

Department	Projects	Expenditure/£
Hospital	Incinerator and epilepsy project	5,732
Berega Institute of Health Sciences	Setting up of new healthcare courses (IT equipment and laboratories) and Health Ministry course audit fees.	9,200
Bishop Chitemo Primary School	Pupil sponsorship	10,575
Water Project	Refurbishment of water collection pipes and storage tanks in and around the hospital, school and orphanage.	19,764
Other	Mkondo school new classroom and Morogoro Church Community Transformation	2,440
Total		47,711

We raised £501 more than we spent, and our funds in the bank increased from £6,994 to £7,495. The use of this money was agreed and prioritised at a number of Trustees meetings. We have also had a number of Zoom meetings with our partners in Berega to better understand immediate issues.

We collect Gift Aid, where appropriate, in the year following that in which donations were made. This year, for the first time, we made use of the Gift Aid Small Donations scheme.

We keep separate funds that have been given for particular purposes. These specific funds are: pupil sponsorship at the primary school, the epilepsy project, the water project, Morogoro Church Community Transformation and dental equipment.

This year we were subject to a Barclays compliance audit which we were able to satisfactorily complete by providing the requested evidence and explanations.



For and on behalf of the Trustees
Gary Mann, Chairman
December 2023

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Christine Langton
Nottingham

December 2023

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Receipts and Payments Account

For the year ended 30th September 2023

	2023	2022
Receipts		
Donations Received	43,070	26,522
Tax Reclaimed	5,358	4,131
	<u>48,428</u>	<u>30,653</u>
Payments		
Direct Charitable Expenditure		
Grants to Berega	47,711	30,721
Other payments		
	<u>47,711</u>	<u>30,721</u>
Administration		
Printing, postage & stationery		
Bank Charges	216	210
	<u>216</u>	<u>210</u>
Total Payments	<u>47,927</u>	<u>30,931</u>
Net Income/(Deficit) for the year	501	-278
Cash and Bank Balances at beginning of year	6,994	7,272
Cash and Bank Balances at end of year	7,495	6,994

I have prepared the accounts set out above and confirm that, as far as I am aware, they fully reflect the activities of the Trust.



Robert Cleave
Treasurer
December 2023

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2022

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Registration Number

1091256

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Names of Trustees

Gary Mann (Chairman)
Dr Jonathan R Northway
Robert Cleave (Treasurer)
Michael Mytton (Secretary)
Dr David Curnock
Kathy Rudman
Dr Alastair Stanley (*)
Emma Stanley (*)
Karen Platten (*)

(*) Appointed during this financial year.

Trustees' Report

In October 2022 – just at the end of the financial year – two Trustees visited the village. This was the first time we had been there, since COVID started.

The situation we found is as follows:

- The hospital continues its work, and has, at last, been given more staff by the Government. This is welcome for the staff themselves, but also because it demonstrates that the Government remains interested in supporting the network of Christian and Muslim hospitals. There are still financial difficulties and quite large arrears in staff salaries. With many changes occurring in the health service in Tanzania, the hospital needs to better find its place within this, so that it can thrive and serve the people of the local area.
- New courses have started at Berega Institute of Health Sciences: in particular pharmacy and a course for junior doctors. The Institute has also been accredited to teach social work, and it is hoped that the first course will start in March 2023. Student numbers are still quite low, however: insufficient at the moment for the college to financially break even.
- The Orphanage continues its work and is well used. It is run by a Tanzanian man and his American wife. They are working hard to make the Orphanage more self-sufficient: keeping cows, goats, pigs and chickens. The sunflower seed press supplied by Bread in previous years, is now working well, and is a good resource for small local farmers, as well as the Orphanage.
- Bishop Chitemo Primary School continues to grow and now has 360 students. It is starting to be more reliant on its own generated finance to fund its expansion. Its Standard 7 exam results continue to be very good. BREAD continues to sponsor around 35 local students who would not otherwise be able to afford the fees.
- Rising demand, climate change, and the limitations of the village bore hole have led us to develop a significant water project. We are paying for Tanzanian water specialists to refurbish the entire rainwater harvesting system. The first phase of the work is now completed and we are raising funds to complete the second phase.

Trustee news

We have recruited three new Trustees this financial year. They are younger and we are hoping that they will eventually take over the work of the charity. One of them, Karen, came on the visit mentioned above and was introduced to our partners in the village. Other Trustees are expected to visit in 2023. Such visits mean we are more knowledgeable of the opportunities and challenges when asked for assistance.

The Accounting Report

The accounts are summarised later in this report. They have been prepared on the Receipts and Payments basis¹. As will be seen we have spent £30,721 directly in Berega. The breakdown of this expenditure is shown below. It excludes bank charges paid in the UK.

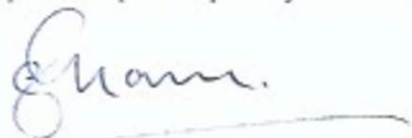
There were no visits to Berega this financial year due to the pandemic, but as described above, one was made in October 2022. It is hoped that more Trustees will go to the village in 2023.

A significant new project was commenced this year to improve the supply of water in Berega, especially to the hospital.

Department	Projects	Expenditure/£
Hospital	Medicines and epilepsy project	7,779
Berega Institute of Health Sciences (School of Nursing)	Setting up of healthcare courses	1,000
Bishop Chitemo Primary School	Pupil sponsorship, school infrastructure improvements.	10,636
Bible School	Student sponsorship	840
Water Project	Water engineer consultancy and refurbishment of water collection pipes and storage tanks	10,466
Total		30,721

We raised £278 less than we spent, and our funds in the bank decreased from £7,272 to £6,994. The use of this money was agreed and prioritised at a number of Trustees meetings.

We collect Gift Aid, where appropriate, in the year following that in which donations were made. We keep separate funds that have been given for particular purposes. Currently there are two of these specific funds: pupil sponsorship at the primary school and, money specially given for the epilepsy project.



For and on behalf of the Trustees
Gary Mann, Chairman
March 2023

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I report on the accounts of the Trust for the year ended 30th September 2022, which are set out on the following page.

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 needed. 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 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 statement below.

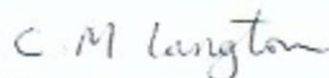
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Christine Langton
Nottingham

March 2023

Receipts and Payments Account*For the year ended 30th September 2022*

	2022	2021
Receipts		
Donations Received	26,522	36,008
Tax Reclaimed	4,131	5,318
	<u>30,653</u>	<u>41,326</u>
Payments		
Direct Charitable Expenditure		
Grants to Berega	30,721	44,063
Other payments		
	<u>30,721</u>	<u>44,063</u>
Administration		
Printing, postage & stationary		
Bank Charges	210	285
	<u>210</u>	<u>285</u>
Total Payments	<u>30,931</u>	<u>44,348</u>
Net Income/(Deficit) for the year	-278	-3,022
Cash and Bank Balances at beginning of year	7,272	10,294
Cash and Bank Balances at end of year	6,994	7,272

I have prepared the accounts set out above and confirm that, as far as I am aware, they fully reflect the activities of the Trust.



Robert Cleave
Treasurer
March 2023

BEREGA RELIEF EQUIPMENT AND DEVELOPMENT TRUST

England & Wales - Charity number 1091256

Accounts

BEREGA RELIEF EQUIPMENT AND DEVELOPMENT TRUST

2021

CHARITY ACCOUNTS

Registered Charity No. 1091256

for the year ended 30th September 2021



Name of Charity

Berega Relief Equipment and Development Trust

Governing Instrument

Trust Deed dated 17th November 2001

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Trustees' Report

As was the case last year, the Trustees have not been able to visit Berega during the year under review. We communicate by email but it is not the same as the in-person discussions.

As we understand it, the situation in Berega during the past year is as follows:

- With respect to COVID, there has been a complete change in the attitude of the Government. It is now recognized as a major threat and vaccinations have started. Vaccinations have already taken place in the hospital, and so far, the number of serious cases in the village appears to be small. The hospital continues its work and we continue to support it. The epilepsy project continues to function and is doing good work in the villages around the hospital.
- The introduction of new courses at Berega Institute of Health Sciences has been slower than we hoped, but the training of Clinical Officers has now started. It is still hoped that the pharmacy courses will be accredited in time for a March 2022 admission. Student numbers are still too low for the Institute to break even but the proposed pharmacy course would rectify this.
- The Bible School, which was situated in Berega, has now been moved to Morogoro: to the same campus as the Diocesan Bible College. The work remains the same: equipping lay Christians for church service as children's workers, evangelists, and leaders of small congregations. Between ourselves and another UK charity, International Teams, we pay half the fees of these students. They come from small village churches and would not be able to afford it otherwise.
- The Orphanage continues its work and is well used. It is run by a Tanzanian man and his American wife. She has had health difficulties, however, and at the moment is back in the USA. As will be seen below, we have spent money providing the Orphanage with a sunflower seed press. This is useful for local farmers, and supplies cattle feed for the Orphanage herd of cattle. This is part of an effort by the Orphanage to make itself more self-sufficient.
- Bishop Chitemo Primary School continues to grow and now has over 250 students. It is starting to be able to maintain and build its own classrooms, and has developed a farm in order to increase its income. Its Standard 7 exam results continue to be very good. BREAD continues to sponsor around 30 local students who would not otherwise be able to afford the fees.
- With the many activities carried out in what is still a rural village, water has become an issue. BREAD is hoping to commission a study into ways that this could be improved to the benefit of the whole village.

Our partners in Berega are working hard but, apart perhaps from the school, they are finding life very difficult, partly because of COVID, but particularly financially. We ourselves have received less money than usual, and so have not been able to provide as much support as we would like.

The Accounting Report

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There were no visits to Berega this year due to the pandemic. A number of planned visits were cancelled.

A number of donations were made to help support staff at the school and the Berega Institute of Health Sciences who were not being paid as these institutions were closed due to covid restrictions. Similarly support was provided for medicines at the hospital. A special fundraising from supporters was run for this.

Department	Projects	Expenditure/£
Hospital	Covid medicines and support, Oxygen concentrators, epilepsy project	14,963
Berega Institute of Health Sciences (School of Nursing)	New building, covid salaries	16,925
Bishop Chitemo Primary School	Pupil sponsorship, building of a new dormitory, covid salaries, library	9,175
Orphanage	Sunflower press	3,000
Total		44,063

We raised £3,022 less than we spent, and our funds in the bank decreased from £10,294 to £7,272. The use of this money was agreed and prioritised at a number of Trustees meetings.

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February 2022

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Christine Langton
Nottingham

February 2022

BEREGA RELIEF EQUIPMENT AND DEVELOPMENT TRUST**Receipts and Payments Account***For the year ended 30th September 2021*

	2021	2020
Receipts		
Donations Received	36,008	46,565
Tax Reclaimed	5,318	4,208
	<u>41,326</u>	<u>50,773</u>
Payments		
Direct Charitable Expenditure		
Grants to Berega	44,063	51,175
Other payments		
	<u>44,063</u>	<u>51,175</u>
Administration		
Printing, postage & stationary		
Bank Charges	285	240
	<u>285</u>	<u>240</u>
Total Payments	<u>44,348</u>	<u>51,415</u>
Net Income/(Deficit) for the year	-3,022	-642
Cash and Bank Balances at beginning of year	10,294	10,936
Cash and Bank Balances at end of year	7,272	10,294

I have prepared the accounts set out above and confirm that, as far as I am aware, they fully reflect the activities of the Trust.



Robert Cleave
Treasurer
February 2022