

Charity registration number 1115366

Company registration number 03678612 (England and Wales)

NATIONAL BEEF ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL REPORT AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

NATIONAL BEEF ASSOCIATION

LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Trustees	Mr S Heenan Mr A Laughton Mr A Watson Mr D Mitchell Dr J Capper Mr G Boyes Mr R Venner Mrs S Tomlinson Mr P Sneyd Mr B Harman	(Appointed 30 May 2023) (Appointed 16 February 2023)
Chief Executive Officer	Mr N Shand	
Charity number	1115366	
Company number	03678612	
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TRUSTEES' REPORT (INCLUDING DIRECTORS' REPORT)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

The Trustees present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the financial statements and comply with the charity's governing document being the charity's Memorandum and Articles of Association, the Companies Act 2006 and "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).

Objectives and activities

The principal objectives of the Association are:

- Preserve and improve for the benefit of the public the general standards of cattle, especially beef cattle, in the United Kingdom and elsewhere, by promoting and encouraging breeding of beef cattle.
- Improve general standards in the management, transport, slaughter and treatment of cattle, especially beef cattle, and otherwise improve the quality and safety of beef, by the education of farmers and farm managers, veterinarians, auctioneers, hauler's, the managers of abattoirs, processors and retailers of food and the general public.
- Promote agriculture and work for the protection of the environment by encouraging, where appropriate, the grazing of cattle.
- Carry out such other charitable purposes including the relief in cases of need or hardship of beef farmers and their employees and the dependents of beef farmers and their employees, as the board of management think fit.
- Improve the health and welfare of beef cattle.
- Improve transparency in the food chain.

The Trustees confirm that they have referred to the directions contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing the Association's aims and objectives and in the planning of future activities to achieve the Trust's objectives to preserve and improve for the benefit of the public the general standards of cattle, especially beef cattle, in the United Kingdom and elsewhere, by promoting, improving and encouraging the breeding, health, transport and slaughter of beef cattle.

The Trustees have paid due regard to guidance issued by the Charity Commission in deciding what activities the charity should undertake.

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Achievements and performance

Review of 2022

The Covid postponed Beef Expo finally took place at Darlington Livestock Market on the 28th May. The UK 's leading technical event saw a record attendance. Speakers included the UK Chief Vet - Christine Middlemiss, Defra Agriculture sectors policy lead John Powell and Labour Shadow Defra Minister Daniel Zeichner.

A section of the Animal Justice Project attempted to disrupt the event but failed.

The Association remained fully engaged both with Government at Westminster and all the devolved administrations. The SBA continued to lead the discussions successfully with the Scottish Executive.

The Association was represented at numerous virtual meetings and continued to make a concerted effort to re-establish itself as a major voice in the industry, ensuring the food chain from farmer level was represented at numerous forums across the UK.

Association staff and members have been engaged in discussions with Governments and other parties on many topics, including meat hygiene, food security, beef labelling, giving appropriate shelf space to UK products, forward contracts for cattle, TB policy, etc. Research projects and strategies have been discussed with research organisations and those funding research projects; it remains a critical topic as cattle keepers strive for greater efficiency in order to maintain a viable business.

The decision to leave the EU has added to the work of the NBA as we represent the beef industry to Government. We have been involved in providing evidence to committees in both the Commons and House of Lords. The NBA have been heavily involved in work towards provision of a new cattle database and the proposed introduction of EID.

The organisations CEO continued to lead a task and finish group focusing on resolving the live trade barrier for breeding animals resulting from Brexit.

The NBA continue to believe the way forward is for an Ombudsman to be created to ensure the relationship between the primary producer, processor and retailer is one of fairness and transparency.

The Association has continued to provide a facility for breeding cattle to be transported across the English Channel in a healthy environment with high standards of animal welfare, via the organisations' subsidiary, National Beef Services Limited. Animal nutrition is important in animal welfare, economic production, and carbon gas emissions. Cattle health has also been an important topic in meetings and journals, with considerable emphasis on Bovine Viral Diarrhoea, Johnes Disease and Liver Fluke.

Members are sent a weekly newsletter by e-mail keeping them abreast of market trends in the UK and across the world. The newsletter also covers rule changes for animal keepers, disease, and nutrition news and other subjects of relevance to cattle. Via the Newsletter, the Association has been able to keep cattle owners informed of the moving cattle price enabling them to better sustain their cattle business.

The Association continues to publish its own magazine the "National Beef Association Magazine" a quarterly publication containing industry insights, technical information, and NBA updates. The Magazine has proved itself to be well received by all aspects of industry.

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Financial review

The association showed a surplus for the year of £10,788 (2021 - deficit of £54,212) which has resulted in reducing the deficit fund balance position at the year end, the details of which have been set out in more detail in the reserves policy note below.

Going concern

The Trustees have considered the going concern assumption in light of the results noted above. The conclusions on going concern have been set out in the accounting policy in note 1 to the financial statements.

Reserves policy

The board of Trustees' aim is to maintain enough in the Association's reserves to provide against a sudden and unpredicted fall in future income.

Unrestricted reserves as at 31 December 2022 were in deficit of £6,315 (2021 - deficit £17,103).

In 2021 the conclusion of the HMRC VAT enquiry resulted in a liability of output VAT, leading to a prior year adjustment in the 2021 accounts. The Trustees intend to continue rebuilding the reserves now the liability has been discharged.

Structure, governance and management

The charity is a company limited by guarantee . The members of the National Beef Association have no shareholding but in the event of a winding up each has undertaken to contribute to the payment of liabilities such an amount as may be required not exceeding a total of £1.

The Trustees, who are also the directors for the purpose of company law, and who served during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were:

Mr S Heenan

Mr A Laughton

Mr E Ritchie

(Resigned 30 May 2023)

Mr W Walton

(Resigned 5 April 2022)

Mr A Watson

Mr D Mitchell

Dr J Capper

Mr G Boyes

Mr R Venner

Mrs S Tomlinson

Mr B Turner

(Resigned 26 February 2022)

Mr P Sneyd

(Appointed 30 May 2023)

Mr B Harman

(Appointed 16 February 2023)

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

Trustees are voted and elected at board meetings as required in line with the Association's governing document.

The Trustees' report was approved by the Board of Trustees.

AR Laughton

Andrew Laughton (Dec 20, 2023, 1:52pm)

Mr A Laughton

Trustee

20 Dec 2023

Date:

NATIONAL BEEF ASSOCIATION

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT

TO THE TRUSTEES OF NATIONAL BEEF ASSOCIATION

I report to the Trustees on my examination of the financial statements of National Beef Association (the charity) for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the Trustees of the charity (and also its directors for the purposes of company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 (the 2006 Act).

Having satisfied myself that the financial statements of the charity 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 the charity's financial statements carried out under section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act). In carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiner's statement

Since the charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 your examiner must be a member of a body listed in section 145 of the 2011 Act. I confirm that I am qualified to undertake the examination because I am a member of FCCA, 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 that in any material respect:

- 1 accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
- 2 the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
- 3 the financial statements 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 financial statements 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 financial statements to be reached.

W A Hubbard

Wende Hubbard (Dec 20, 2023, 2:00pm)

W A Hubbard FCCA
Burgis & Bullock
23 25 Waterloo Place
Leamington Spa
CV32 5LA

20th December 2023

Dated:

NATIONAL BEEF ASSOCIATION

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

		Unrestricted funds 2022	Unrestricted funds 2021
	Notes	£	£
<u>Income from:</u>			
Voluntary income	3	139,253	92,758
Charitable activities	4	185,486	52,675
Investments	5	8	4
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Total income		324,747	145,437
		<hr/>	<hr/>
<u>Expenditure on:</u>			
Raising funds	6	30,188	23,532
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Charitable activities	7	283,771	176,117
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Total expenditure		313,959	199,649
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Net income/(expenditure) for the year/ Net movement in funds		10,788	(54,212)
Fund balances at 1 January 2022		(17,103)	37,109
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Fund balances at 31 December 2022		(6,315)	(17,103)
		<hr/>	<hr/>

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The statement of financial activities also complies with the requirements for an income and expenditure account under the Companies Act 2006.

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BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2022

	Notes	2022 £	£	2021 £	£
Fixed assets					
Investments	12		1		1
Current assets					
Debtors	13	77,637		60,965	
Cash at bank and in hand		42,314		111,444	
		<u>119,951</u>		<u>172,409</u>	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	15	(101,245)		(160,602)	
Net current assets			18,706		11,807
Total assets less current liabilities			18,707		11,808
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	16		(25,022)		(28,911)
Net liabilities			<u>(6,315)</u>		<u>(17,103)</u>
Income funds					
Unrestricted funds			(6,315)		(17,103)
			<u>(6,315)</u>		<u>(17,103)</u>

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BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED)

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2022

The company is entitled to the exemption from the audit requirement contained in section 477 of the Companies Act 2006, for the year ended 31 December 2022.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

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

20 Dec 2023

The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on

AR Laughton

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Andrew Laughton (Dec 20, 2023, 1:52pm)

Mr A Laughton

Trustee

Company registration number 03678612

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

1 Accounting policies

Charity information

National Beef Association is a private company limited by guarantee incorporated in England and Wales. The registered office is Concorde House, 24 Warwick New Road, Leamington Spa, Warwickshire, CV32 5JG.

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the charity's Memorandum and Articles of Association, the Companies Act 2006, FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" ("FRS 102") and the Charities SORP "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). The charity is a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The charity has taken advantage of the provisions in the SORP for charities not to prepare a Statement of Cash Flows.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

1.2 Going concern

The Association's activities were affected in previous years by the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic and also as a result of the HMRC VAT enquiry as set out in the Trustee's Report. At the time of approving the financial statements, the Trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future despite the deficit reserves position at the year end. This is reliant on the continued support of the members and the organisation has taken advantage of the UK Government business support schemes available to assist with any imminent cashflow issues. Thus the Trustees continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements.

1.3 Charitable funds

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the Trustees in furtherance of their charitable objectives.

Restricted funds are subject to specific conditions by donors as to how they may be used. The purposes and uses of the restricted funds are set out in the notes to the financial statements.

Endowment funds are subject to specific conditions by donors that the capital must be maintained by the charity.

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1 Accounting policies

(Continued)

1.4 Income

Income is recognised when the charity is legally entitled to it after any performance conditions have been met, the amounts can be measured reliably, and it is probable that income will be received.

Cash donations are recognised on receipt. Other donations are recognised once the charity has been notified of the donation, unless performance conditions require deferral of the amount. Income tax recoverable in relation to donations received under Gift Aid or deeds of covenant is recognised at the time of the donation.

Legacies are recognised on receipt or otherwise if the charity has been notified of an impending distribution, the amount is known, and receipt is expected. If the amount is not known, the legacy is treated as a contingent asset.

Membership income is recognised over the period to which it relates.

Warranty income is recognised at the point of sale.

Advertising income is recognised in the period to which it relates.

1.5 Expenditure

Expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to transfer economic benefit to a third party, 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 classified by activity. The costs of each activity are made up of the total of direct costs and shared costs, including support costs involved in undertaking each activity. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs which contribute to more than one activity and support costs which are not attributable to a single activity are apportioned between those activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources. Central staff costs are allocated on the basis of time spent, and depreciation charges are allocated on the portion of the asset's use.

1.6 Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost or valuation, net of depreciation and any impairment losses.

Depreciation is recognised so as to write off the cost or valuation of assets less their residual values over their useful lives on the following bases:

Fixtures and fittings	33% straight line
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The gain or loss arising on the disposal of an asset is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying value of the asset, and is recognised in the statement of financial activities.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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1 Accounting policies

(Continued)

1.7 Fixed asset investments

Fixed asset investments are initially measured at transaction price excluding transaction costs, and are subsequently measured at fair value at each reporting date. Changes in fair value are recognised in net income/(expenditure) for the year. Transaction costs are expensed as incurred.

A subsidiary is an entity controlled by the charity. Control is the power to govern the financial and operating policies of the entity so as to obtain benefits from its activities.

1.8 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

1.9 Financial instruments

The charity has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the charity's balance sheet when the charity becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Basic financial assets

Basic financial assets, which include debtors and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial assets classified as receivable within one year are not amortised.

Basic financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including creditors and bank loans are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial liabilities classified as payable within one year are not amortised.

Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of operations from suppliers. Amounts payable are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities. Trade creditors are recognised initially at transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

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1 Accounting policies

(Continued)

Derecognition of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the charity's contractual obligations expire or are discharged or cancelled.

1.10 Employee benefits

The cost of any unused holiday entitlement is recognised in the period in which the employee's services are received.

Termination benefits are recognised immediately as an expense when the charity is demonstrably committed to terminate the employment of an employee or to provide termination benefits.

1.11 Retirement benefits

Payments to defined contribution retirement benefit schemes are charged as an expense as they fall due.

2 Critical accounting estimates and judgements

In the application of the charity's accounting policies, the Trustees are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

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3 Voluntary income

	Unrestricted funds	Unrestricted funds
	2022	2021
	£	£
Government grants	-	875
Membership fees	96,116	56,676
Gift aid	21,893	22,670
Corporate subscriptions	12,914	4,182
Breed society subscriptions	8,330	8,355
	<u>139,253</u>	<u>92,758</u>

The Coronavirus Bounce Back Loan was a government initiative to help UK small and medium sized businesses affected by coronavirus to access finance. The interest element shown for 2021 above represents the interest that the government paid on the charity's behalf.

4 Charitable activities

	Advertising and warranties	Beef Expo	Total	Advertising and warranties
	2022	2022	2022	2021
	£	£	£	£
Cattle warranty sales	13,709	-	13,709	10,122
Stands and sponsorship	-	136,173	136,173	-
Other income	-	-	-	3,604
Advertising income	35,604	-	35,604	38,949
	<u>49,313</u>	<u>136,173</u>	<u>185,486</u>	<u>52,675</u>

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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5 Investments

	Unrestricted funds	Unrestricted funds
	2022	2021
	£	£
Interest receivable	8	4

6 Raising funds

	Unrestricted funds	Unrestricted funds
	2022	2021
	£	£
<u>Fundraising and publicity</u>		
Advertising	30,188	23,532
	30,188	23,532

7 Charitable activities

	Members services	Beef expo	Total	Members services
	2022	2022	2022	2021
	£	£	£	£
Other event costs	3,425	114,929	118,354	804
Motor and travel expenses	11,804	-	11,804	7,983
	15,229	114,929	130,158	8,787
Share of support costs (see note 8)	35,161	35,160	70,321	90,019
Share of governance costs (see note 8)	41,646	41,646	83,292	77,311
	92,036	191,735	283,771	176,117

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8	Support costs	Support Governance		2022		Support Governance		2021	
		costs	£	costs	£	costs	£	costs	£
	Staff costs	39,225	-	-	39,225	47,801	-	47,801	-
	Premises	11,248	-	-	11,248	12,419	-	12,419	-
	Light & heat	-	-	-	-	(170)	-	(170)	-
	Insurance	1,060	-	-	1,060	1,172	-	1,172	-
	Communications & IT	6,661	-	-	6,661	13,128	-	13,128	-
	General office	8,172	-	-	8,172	11,684	-	11,684	-
	Depreciation	-	-	-	-	44	-	44	-
	Bank charges	1,895	-	-	1,895	1,307	-	1,307	-
	Meetings	1,288	-	-	1,288	1,195	-	1,195	-
	Finance costs	772	-	-	772	1,439	-	1,439	-
	Accountancy fees	-	14,538	14,538	-	-	14,770	14,770	-
	Legal and professional	-	68,754	68,754	-	-	62,541	62,541	-
		70,321	83,292	153,613	90,019	77,311	167,330		
	Analysed between								
	Charitable activities	70,321	83,292	153,613	90,019	77,311	167,330		

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8 Support costs	(Continued)
Included in accountancy fees are Independent Examiners fees of £8,000 (2021 - £8,000).	
Support and governance costs are allocated based on the time spent by staff on each charitable activity.	

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9 Trustees

During the year the daughter and wife of trustee Gareth Boyes were paid a total of £300 for assisting at the Beef Expo. No other trustees (or any persons connected with them) received any remuneration or benefits from the charity during the year.

Trustees' expenses during the year totalled £685 (2021: £1,575).

10 Employees

The average monthly number of employees during the year was:

	2022 Number	2021 Number
	2	2
	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Employment costs	2022	2021
	£	£
Wages and salaries	38,170	46,604
Social security costs	63	30
Other pension costs	992	1,167
	<u>39,225</u>	<u>47,801</u>
	<u>39,225</u>	<u>47,801</u>

There were no employees whose annual remuneration was more than £60,000.

11 Taxation

The charity is exempt from tax on income and gains falling within section 505 of the Taxes Act 1988 or section 252 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992 to the extent that these are applied to its charitable objects.

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12 Fixed asset investments

	Other investments
Cost or valuation	
At 1 January 2022 & 31 December 2022	1
Carrying amount	
At 31 December 2022	1
At 31 December 2021	1

	Notes	2022 £	2021 £
Other investments comprise:			
Investments in subsidiaries	19	1	1

13 Debtors

	2022 £	2021 £
Amounts falling due within one year:		
Trade debtors	35,263	23,604
Amounts owed by subsidiary undertakings	20,186	18,136
Other debtors	-	1,964
Prepayments and accrued income	22,188	17,261
	77,637	60,965

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14 Loans and overdrafts

	2022 £	2021 £
Bank loans	28,912	32,801
Payable within one year	3,890	3,890
Payable after one year	25,022	28,911

The above loan relates to a Covid Bounce Back Loan which is accruing interest at 2.5% and is repayable over 10 years.

15 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	Notes	2022 £	2021 £
Bank loans	14	3,890	3,890
Other taxation and social security		2,014	38,063
Trade creditors		26,276	24,775
Other creditors		12,180	2,489
Accruals and deferred income		56,885	91,385
		101,245	160,602

Included in other creditors are defined benefit pension creditor of £605 (2021 - £713).

16 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year

	Notes	2022 £	2021 £
Bank loans	14	25,022	28,911

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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17 Operating lease commitments

At the reporting end date the charity had outstanding commitments for future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases, which fall due as follows:

	2022 £	2021 £
Within one year	14,088	13,940
Between two and five years	2,071	5,917
	<u>16,159</u>	<u>19,857</u>

18 Related party transactions

During the year £66,000 plus VAT of consultancy fees was paid to CEO for their services as key management personnel.

19 Subsidiaries

These financial statements are separate charity financial statements for National Beef Association. Due to the size of the charity and the group there is no requirement to prepare group accounts and therefore group accounts have not been prepared.

National Beef Services Limited is a wholly owned subsidiary of the National Beef Association. The directors of National Beef Services Limited have approved the donation of the company's annual profits each year, where applicable, to the National Beef Association under the corporate gift aid scheme.

Details of the charity's subsidiaries at 31 December 2022 are as follows:

Name of undertaking	Registered office	Nature of business	Class of shares held	% Held	
				Direct	Indirect
National Beef Services Limited	England & Wales	Import and export of livestock	Ordinary	100.00	
Scottish Beef Association	England & Wales	Dormant	Limited by Guarantee		100.00