



Zam Zam Charitable Trust

(UK Registered Charity No. 1132716)

Annual Report for the year ended 31 December 2023

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Report of the Trustees for the year ended 31 December 2023

Assalamu alaikum wa rahmatullahi wa barakatu

The Trustees present the annual report for Zam Zam Charitable Trust (“**Zam Zam**” or the “**Charity**”) for the year ended 31 December 2023 and confirm it complies with the Charities Act 1993, as amended by the Charities Act 2006; the Charity’s trust deed dated 15 October 2009 (the “**Trust Deed**”); and the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice 2005.

Administrative information

Charity Name	Zam Zam Charitable Trust
Charity Registration Number	1132716
Principal Office	1 LIANNE GROVE LONDON SE9 4AD
Bangladesh Office	23 Moushumi Mirabazar Sylhet
Trustees	Moyeen Uddin Ahmed Chowdhury (Chairman) A.M. Choudhury M.A. Mohaimin Chowdhury
Auditors	Miah & Company (London) Ltd 16A Well Hall Parade London SE9 6SP
Bankers	HSBC Bank 184 High Street Bromley Kent BR1 1HE

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Structure, governance and management

Governing document

Zam Zam is constituted a charitable trust by and governed under the Trust Deed. It was formed in the UK in 2003 and registered with the UK Charity Commission on 15 November 2009 under charity number 1132716.

Organisational structure

The Trustees are responsible for the general control and management of the Charity. The Trustees give their time for free and receive no remuneration or other financial benefit for their services to the Charity.

The Trustees meet as often as is required but not less than 2 times a year and minutes of the proceedings of Trustees' meetings are kept.

Appointment of trustees

New trustees are appointed by a resolution of the Trustees at a special meeting called under the provisions of the Trust Deed.

Induction of trustees

New trustees are provided with a copy of the Trust Deed and any amendments made to it and a copy of the Charity's latest report and accounts.

Our objectives

The Charity's primary objectives are:

- relief of financial need and suffering among victims of natural and other kinds of disasters
- prevention or relief of poverty for the public benefit.

We seek to achieve these objectives through:

- the advancement of health or saving of lives
- the prevention or relief of poverty
- providing accommodation and housing.

We operate through making grants to Zam Zam Bangladesh, which is a non-governmental voluntary development organization registered under the NGO Affairs Bureau of the Government of Bangladesh, with registration no. 2090.

We operate for the benefit of the general public and our main geographic area of activity at present is Bangladesh.

The Trustees periodically review the Charity's objectives to ensure they comply with the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit.

Main activities undertaken in the year

Zam Zam provides the following:

- monthly allowance to the old and widows
- promotion and extension of education facilities

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- medical help through regular medical camps
- house-building and repairing programme
- grants to install or improve sanitation service
- interest free loans
- emergency relief
- distribution of iftar items in mosques during the holy month of Ramadan
- training programme for women in washing and shrouding of female dead bodies
- self-employment generation programme (by distribution of CNG auto-rickshaws, rickshaws, rickshaw-vans, sewing machines, etc.)
- assisting street working children

In selecting beneficiaries, we prioritise the following beneficiaries:

- widows and women-headed households
- orphans
- special needs persons
- destitute women, children and men
- elderly men and women

Partnerships

Zam Zam seeks to partner with other charitable organisations in cases where it can add value.

We actively seek partners who we can work with to maximize the benefit to beneficiaries.

Financial review

Policy on reserves

The Trustees do not consider that a reserves policy is required at this time and the Charity therefore has no such policy at present.

Principal funding sources

Zam Zam is principally funded by donations from individuals and charitable and other organisations. Donations are made both on a one-off basis and by regular standing order payments.

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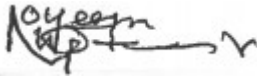
Zakat

Funds donated by way of zakat are segregated from general donations. A zakat committee has been established in Bangladesh to ensure zakat funds are utilised only in accordance with the rules of zakat.

Investment policy and cash management

The Trustees do not consider it necessary, at present, to make investments on behalf of the Charity. All funds of the Charity are held in sharia'a compliant accounts and Zam Zam does not pay or receive any interest.

Approved by the Trustees on 9 June 2024 and signed on their behalf by:



Moyeen Uddin Ahmed Chowdhury
Chairman

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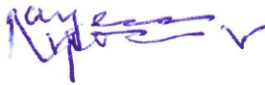
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Approval statement

I approve these accounts which comprise the Receipts and Payments Account, Balance Sheet and related notes. I acknowledge my responsibility for the accounts, including the appropriateness of the accounting basis as set out in note 1, and for providing all the information and explanations necessary for their compilation.



M U Chowdhury

28.03.2024

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Accountants' report on the accounts to ZAM ZAM CHARITABLE TRUST

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Charity commission registration: 1132716
Receipts and payments accounts
for the year ended 31 December 2023

	2023	2022
	-	-
Receipts	164,518	173,352
Payments		
Donation and charities	193,748	119,496
Advertising, promotion and entertainment	-	34,895
Bank charges	1,891	1,625
Other expenses	-	4
	<u>195,639</u>	<u>156,020</u>
Net of receipts/(payments)	<u>(31,121)</u>	<u>17,332</u>

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Balance Sheet
as at 31 December 2023

	2023	2022
	-	-
Assets		
Loan given (korjee hasana)	2,500	2,500
Bank/building society balances	165,754	196,875
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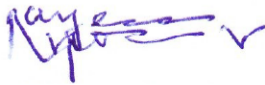
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