



Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/ members of	Zimbabwe Pensioners Support Fund		
On accounts for the year ended	31/3/2025	Charity no (if any)	1161646
Set out on pages	1-2		

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 of the Charities Act 2011 (the Charities Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act,
- to follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the Charities Act, and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's statement

My examination was carried out in accordance with 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 the 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 Charities Act; and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities 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.

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Signed: P B P  Date: 1 December 2025

Name: Peter B Phillips

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material problems.

The anticipated income and expenditure of the Charity show it to be effectively considered as a "going concern" for all its purposes and objectives.

ZIMBABWE PENSIONERS SUPPORT FUND		
INCOME AND OUTGOINGS	Year ended 31 March 2025	
BARCLAYS		WISE GBP
Opening balance	£150.75	Opening Balance £0.00
Donations Barclays	£94,164.34	Tfr from Barclays £93,210.00
Donations other	£392.25	Other income £388.10
	£94,707.34	£93,598.10
Less expenses	£78.70	Less bank charges £786.29
	£94,628.64	£92,811.81
Less bank charges	£131.62	Less tfr to SA £92,811.81
	£94,497.02	Closing balance £0.00
Less Transfr to Wise	£93,210.00	
Closing Balance	£1,287.02	
Income		Income and Outgoings
		Outgoings
Donations Barclays	£94,164.34	Admin Expenses £78.70
Donations other	£392.25	Bank charges Barclays £131.62
Donations Wise	£388.10	Bank charges Wise £786.29
		Transfer to SA £92,811.81
		Charitable activity £1,136.27
	£94,944.69	£94,944.69



Zimbabwe Pensioners Support Fund
Charity No: 1161646



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ANNUAL REPORT OF ZIMBABWE PENSIONERS SUPPORT FUND UK BRANCH
YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

It has been a pleasure to once again report on the activities of our ZPSF branch for this financial year ending March 2025.

In the midst of a growing time of price rises and financial insecurity we are blessed to have our faithful supporters who give generously as they can. We get a large income boost towards the Christmas run for the frail destitute pensioners. We, as trustees, would really like to thank each person who gives the smallest amount to large donations. Each donation is of special importance. It is with great pleasure to mention the group of Rhodesians World Wise, Kent Branch, who have a monthly get together and raise significant amounts of money. They have a good social time together and also raise money for the Trust. This financial year they have donated in excess of £3200. We as a Board of trustees are so grateful for their enthusiasm and help. We again received a substantial donation from the annual Zimfest held in Derby and their donation of £2000 was gratefully received.

We have finally sorted out the gift aid problem we had and received our first refund from HMRC which came in the next financial year.

Anne Tourle has been of immense help to Beti-Ann as she recovered from her health issues. They are both now sharing the load for the finances.

We had a clean bill of health from a Barclays Business review, and they are satisfied on our financial controls.

We have this year managed to send just over £81,000 to South Africa towards food etc for the pensioners. This is down compared to last year but using the Wise accounts in various countries has helped people in the diaspora send money easily. I am sure our good Rhodesian/Zimbabwean spirit will keep the flames alive to support our pensioners.

We were sad to lose one of our trustees in 2025, Marshall Grieve, for personal reasons. He was a tremendous asset to the trustees in the time he served. We thank him for his dedication and help over the years.

We are very grateful to our auditor, Peter Philips, for his continuing support and help in ensuring we keep our accounts up to date and accurate.

With grateful thanks to all the trustees for their support and help over the last year.

B. A. McLean

Beti-Ann McLean
Treasurer/Trustee