

Oromia Support Group (OSG) Annual General Meeting (AGM) 2022/2023

Venue: Zoom

Date & Time: 30th July 2024 (15:00–17:00)

General Meeting Agenda:

1. Performance Review of the Organization
2. Election of Officers
3. Financial Report and Approval

Discussions and Resolutions:

1. Performance Review of the Organization

The organization has been commended for its exceptional research, reporting, and advocacy on human rights issues in Ethiopia. OSG has continued to raise awareness on human rights violations through various speeches and presentations. It has published detailed and objective reports based on empirical data, including photographic evidence. Periodic press releases have also been issued on related topics.

Key reports published during the year include:

- **Report 59** (April 4, 2022): "Beware Genocide" [Link](#)
- **Press Release** (July 5, 2022): "Slaughter and Slander Intensifies with the 'Tole Massacre'" [Link](#)
- **Press Release** (May 31, 2022): "War in Oromia Damages Property, Threatens Stability and Democracy in the Horn of Africa" [Link](#)
- **Report 60** (August 2, 2022): "Death, Distraction, and Detention in Oromia: Disinformation as a Tool of Abuse" [Link](#)
- **Press Release** (August 2022): "Citizens Pay the Price as Terror Reigns in Oromia: Time for a Change in Western Foreign Policy" [Link](#)
- **Press Release** (December 8, 2022): "Pillaging and Ethnic Cleansing in Horro Guduru and Eastern Wallaga Zones by Fano and Amhara Militia" [Link](#)

- **Comment on Agamsa Massacre Report** (August 30, 2022): "The Facts Behind the Agamsa Massacre" [Link](#)
- **Report 61** (January 25, 2023): "Abuse in Ethiopia and Egypt: Accounts from 83 Oromo Refugees in Cairo" [Link](#)

During the meeting, Dr. Trevor Trueman, Chair of OSG, was recognized for his outstanding contributions, including preparing the above reports and leading advocacy efforts. He was honored by the Oromo Studies Association for his significant work.

Attendees emphasized the need for increased efforts in the coming year to continue the organization's vital work.

2. Election of Officers and Resolutions

After discussions, the following officers were elected:

1. **Dr. Trevor Trueman** was re-elected as Chair.
2. **Mr. Abdulwasi Ahmed** was elected as Secretary.
3. **Mr. Abebe Iticha** was re-elected as a Trustee.
4. **Mr. Mirkana Abdata** was elected as Treasurer.

3. Financial Report

The financial report for the year was presented, discussed, and unanimously approved by the members.

Additionally, it was resolved that all trustees would work diligently to enhance the organization's capabilities in data collection, research, reporting, and awareness-raising

End of Meeting: 17:00

The Annual General Meeting for the upcoming year is scheduled for 27th December 2024.



Dr Trevor Trueman 9 September 2024



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

OROMIA SUPPORT GROUP

Charity No.
1164292

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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	06-Apr-22	To	05-Apr-23
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Section A Receipts and payments

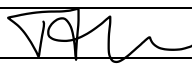
	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	-	-	-	-	-
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	-	-	-	-	-
A3 Payments					
Facilities hire (conferences)	-	-	-	-	-
Website development and operation	-	-	-	-	-
Stationery and printing	-	-	-	-	-
Fundraising costs	-	-	-	-	-
Advocacy and research costs	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	-	-	-	-	-
Net of receipts/(payments)	-	-	-	-	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	886	-	-	886	2,074
Cash funds this year end	886	-	-	886	2,074

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds *	Cash in bank	886	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	886	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities *		Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

* Cash in bank was the only asset the charity owned at the end the financial year. The charity owed no liabilities at end of the financial year

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Dr T. Trueman	09-Sep-24