



Child Redress International  
*Registered Charity Number:*  
**1170039**

## **Child Redress International**

**Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2022**

**Child Redress International****Report of the Trustees for the year ended 31 March 2022**

The trustees present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2022 and confirm they comply with the Charities Act 1993, as amended by the Charities Act 2006, the CIO Constitution and the Charities SORP 2005.

**Reference and Administrative Information**

Charity Name:	Child Redress International
Charity Registration Number:	1170039
Principal office:	85 Great Portland Street, First Floor, London, W1W 7LT

**Board of trustees:**

Emma Day - *Chair*

Shireen Irani

David Wotherspoon

James Marsh

Lisa Cox - *Secretary*

Seena Saini

Francois Xavier-Souchet

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**Board of Advisers:**

Silvia Nicolaou Garcia

Zubier Yazdani

Monica Bulger

Jedrek Ng

Mariya Ali

## **Child Redress International**

### **Report of the Trustees for the year ended 31 March 2022**

## **Structure, governance and management**

### **Governing document**

Child Redress International (hereinafter “Child Redress”) is constituted as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation registered with the Charity Commission in April 2016 under charity number 1170039. It is governed by a Constitution last updated January 9, 2019.

### **Organisational structure**

The charity trustees are responsible for the general control and management of the charity. The trustees give their time freely and receive no remuneration or other financial benefits.

As a newly constituted charity, Child Redress is currently in a start-up phase, and does not have any paid staff. Due to the transnational legal nature of Child Redress International’s work, the trustees are all legal experts, except for one who is a UK registered accountant. The trustees are based in the UK, Portugal, Canada and the United States. For this reason board meetings are convened as and when necessary and are chaired by the chair of trustees. Minutes are taken by the secretary of trustees.

### **Recruitment and appointment of trustees**

All of the trustees appointed at the time of Child Redress’ constitution were appointed for a term of 4 years, until April 2020. The board agreed to extend the appointment of the trustees because of Covid-19. All subsequent trustees will be appointed for a term of three years by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees. The only persons eligible to members of the CIO are its charity trustees.

### **Plans for Future Periods**

The joint research study that was discussed in December 2021 with Leiden University who run one of the most well regarded international child rights law programs in the world, was delayed, and will now start in April 2023. The study will include law students from Leiden University who will update research carried out by CRI in 2016 into procedural laws in different countries related to claiming compensation for child victims of sexual exploitation and abuse. We will then convene an online expert meeting on compensation for child victims to discuss the research finding and make recommendations. We hope to produce a publication including this updated research by the end of 2023.

Child Redress has been working with Blue Dragon in Vietnam and a pro bono lawyer in Paris since 2014, on behalf of seven child victims of a French paedophile who abused multiple boys in Hanoi over the course of several years. Child Redress worked with the pro bono

lawyer to have the Vietnamese boys added as *partie civiles* to the French criminal case which was due to come to trial in March 2022. However, the accused managed to escape and so the trial was rescheduled for November 2022, and Child Redress were able to support the Vietnamese boys to write witness statements and seek compensation at this trial. Further details on this case will follow in the 2023 annual report.

## Statement of Financial Activities for the year ending 31 March 2022

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
<b>Current Assets</b>					
Cash	£1,397	£1,397	£1,397	£1,397	£1,397
Investments	0	0	0	0	0
Inventories	0	0	0	0	0
Accounts receivable	0	0	0	0	0
Expenses	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>
<b>Fixed Assets</b>					
Property and equipment	0	0	0	0	0
Leasehold improvements	0	0	0	0	0
Equity and other investments	0	0	0	0	0
Less accumulated depreciation (Negative Value)	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Other Assets</b>					
Charity					
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>
<b>Current Liabilities</b>					
Accounts payable	0	0	0	0	0

Accrued wages	0	0	0	0	0
Expenses	0	0	0	0	0
Income taxes payable	0	0	0	0	0
Unearned revenue	0	0	0	0	0
Other					
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

<b>Total</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>	<b>£1,397</b>
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**Signed by: Emma Day (Chair of Trustees)**  
**Date: 15 January 2023**