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SECCA UK & SECCA MALAWI

FUND ACCOUNTABILITY STATEMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st December 2023



ACCOUNTANTS BACKGROUND:

The accounts have been prepared by a part qualified for CIMA accountant, holding an advanced diploma in management accounting and a Bachelors' Honours degree in Accounting and Finance. She has 178years' experience of working in NHS Finance, in

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Financial accounting, Capital accounting, Intercompany accounting and Management accounts.

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TRUSTEES REPORT

The year 2023 has been very challenging in several ways. Firstly, Malawi faced the worst cyclone in history of the country. Cyclone Freddy resulted in a number of deaths and a lot of families were displaced. To date, some people still remain unaccounted for. The Malawi government declared a state of disaster appealing to donors to support those affected by the cyclone. Following this, SECCA-UK launched a Cyclone Freddy appeal through go Fund and to our well-wishers. SECCA-UK was also in receipt of donations from other charities to support in its appeal to the Cyclone and these deserve a special mention. Baby Beat charity donated material support to the victims and Men4Real donated funds worth £800 and these funds were used to build a house for one of the victims that lost a house in the cyclone. In total our Cyclone Freddy Appeal managed to raise up to £7352.51. These funds were used for the purchase of food packages and transportation logistics of materials in an operation coordinated by our counterparts SECCA MALAWI in conjunction with the Ministry of Disaster and Preparedness. The Trustees would like to thank each donor that responded generously to our cause.



Despite the challenges of Cyclone Freddy, SECCA-UK did not carry much charitable activities as previously planned due to the change in focus of the target projects. We have previously supported small projects within Malawi but going forward it was the wish of the Trustees to see more projects implemented within Malawi under the umbrella of SECCA Malawi. Other projects supported in the year were

1. **Tikonze Women group** -£300- This was for a small project in livestock production where beneficiaries were provided with goats with as a source of income, nutrition & assets. It is well known that goat production is environmentally friendly, require less capital, water, land and feed. Hopefully once these goats reproduce they can be recycled to other beneficiaries within the group long term.

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2. **Holistic Care Orphanage**-£150
3. **Fees for Needy Students** -£170

As for 2024, it remains the wish and the vision of the Trustees to see a more rejuvenated and vibrant SECCA UK. We plan to build a warehouse in Malawi for SECCA which will act as a central point for coordinating and supporting SECCA activities. This will help in fulfilling the vision and the primary objective of SECCA in assisting widows, orphans and the elderly. We would like to thank all our partners, volunteers and well-wishers for all the support rendered to SECCA to enable us achieve our goals.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS 2023:

Income:

| | Not e | Funds £ | Funds £ |
|--|----------|------------|------------------|
| Balance as at December 2022 | | | 3,026.52 |
| Contributions from Well wishers for Cyclone Freddy | 1 | | 3,455.57 |
| Contributions from Trustees | 2 | | 1,260.00 |
| Amazon | 3 | | 25.15 |
| Paypal towards Cyclone Freddy | 4 | | 1,362.81 |
| Paypal Benefits | 5 | | 9.55 |
| Donations from Well wishers | 6 | | 1,734.13 |
| Men4Real | 6 | | 800.00 |
| | | | 11,673.73 |

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Expenditure:

| | | |
|---|----|-----------------|
| Secca UK Cyclone | 7 | 5,046.00 |
| Tikonze Project | 8 | 300.00 |
| holistic care | 9 | 150.00 |
| Fees for student | 10 | 170.00 |
| Dusk Commercials | 11 | 1,680.00 |
| | | 7,346.00 |
| Balance in Bank as at 31st December 2023 | | 4,327.73 |

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTABILITY STATEMENT:

1. Contributions from well wishers towards the devastating Cyclone Freddy in Malawi
2. Trustees contributions
3. Amazon account benefits towards the charity
4. Donations made on Paypal towards cyclone Freddy
5. Paypal account benefits towards charity
6. Donations to charity from well wishers

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7. Donations made to Malawi towards Cyclone Freddy

8. Tikonze Project: Womens group used donations for livestock production

9. Holistic Care- To support the activities at an orphanage that look after orphans as a results of the HIV/AIDS pandemic.

10. Fees for needy students

11. Cost of shipping donations of assorted clothes for new born babies in Malawian hospitals and clothes for vulnerable adults and children, mainly from Baby Beat Charity in Preston

Dr Aubrey Makhalira
SECCA-UK Chairman



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