

**Charity Number: 1175024**

**FIRDOUS FOUNDATION  
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2024**

# FIRDOUS FOUNDATION

## LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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# **FIRDOUS FOUNDATION**

## **FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

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The trustees present their financial statements of the charity for the 12 months to the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2024. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out on page 6 and comply with the charity's trust deed and applicable law.

### **Statement of the Trustees' Financial Responsibilities**

The trustees are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

The trustees are required to prepare financial statements for each financial period in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). The financial statements are required by law to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of Firdous Foundation and of its incoming resources and application of resources of the charity for that period. In preparing the financial statements, the trustees should follow best practice and:

- Select suitable accounting policies and apply these consistently
- Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent
- Prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that Firdous Foundation will continue their activities.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure the financial statements comply with the applicable law, regulations and the trust deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees

Idris Mussa Bapu (Chair)

**DATE: 1st February 2025**

# FIRDOUS FOUNDATION

## INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2024

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I report on the accounts of the Trust for 12 months up to the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024, which are set out on pages 3 to 8.

### **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(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed by a qualified person falling under the section 145(4).

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioner under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

### **Basis of independent examiners' report**

My examination has been carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioner. 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 the seeking of explanations from you as 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 examiners' statement**

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

- which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements:
  - (a) to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act; and
  - (b) to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and to comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011 Act have not been met; or
- to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

**DATE: 1<sup>st</sup> February 2025**

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# FIRDOUS FOUNDATION

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2024

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	Notes	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total 2024	Total 2023
<b>Incoming Resources</b>		£	£	£	£
Charitable Activities Income	2	182,550	-	182,550	174,473
Other Income		-	-	-	-
<b>Total Incoming Resources</b>		<u>182,550</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>182,550</u>	<u>174,473</u>
<b>Resources Expended</b>					
Cost of Generating Funds Charitable Activities	3	182,525	-	182,525	174,453
Management and Administration	4	4	-	4	29
<b>Total Resources Expended</b>		<u>182,529</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>182,529</u>	<u>174,482</u>
Net (expenditure)/income for the year		21	-	21	(9)
Transfers between funds		-	-	-	-
<b>Net movements in Funds</b>		21	-	21	(9)
Total Funds Brought Forward		<u>0</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9</u>
<b>Total Funds Carried Forward</b>		<u><u>21</u></u>	<u><u>-</u></u>	<u><u>21</u></u>	<u><u>0</u></u>

The notes on pages 5 to 8 form part of these accounts.

# FIRDOUS FOUNDATION

## BALANCE SHEET FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2024

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			2024		2023
	Notes	£	£	£	£
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>					
Tangible Assets	5		0		0
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>					
Debtors		0		0	
Cash at Bank and in hand	6	<u>21</u>		<u>0</u>	
		21		0	
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>					
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	7	<u>(0)</u>		<u>(0)</u>	
Net Current Assets			<u>21</u>		<u>0</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>			<u>21</u>		<u>0</u>
<b>FUNDS</b>					
Unrestricted Funds	8		<u>-</u>		<u>9</u>

Approved by the Board of Trustees and signed on their behalf by:

Idris Mussa Bapu  
Trustee

**DATE: 1<sup>st</sup> February 2025**

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# FIRDOUS FOUNDATION

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2024

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### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 1.1 Basis of accounting

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards using the historical cost convention.

The financial statements reflect the requirements of the Statements of Recommended Practice and 'Reporting and Accounting by Charities' issued in October 2005.

#### 1.2 Fund Accounting

Unrestricted Funds are funds which are available for the use of discretion of the Trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the charity and have not been put aside for other purposes.

Restricted Funds are funds which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions which have been raised by the charity for a specific purpose. The cost of raising and administering such funds are charged against the specific fund.

#### 1.3 Incoming resources

Voluntary income is received by way of donations and gifts and is included in full in the Statement of Financial Activities when receivable. Gifts donated for resale are included as income when they are sold. Donated assets are included at the value to the charity where this can be quantified and a third party is bearing the cost. The value of services provided by volunteers has not been included.

#### 1.4 Resources expended

Resources expended is accounted for on an accrual basis and recognised in the period in which they are incurred. Resources expended include attributable VAT, which cannot be recovered.

Support costs are those costs incurred directly in support of expenditure on the objects of the charity and include project management.

Management and administration costs are those incurred in connection with administration of the charity and compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements.

#### 1.5 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Freehold Land	-	None
Freehold Building	-	None
Fixtures & Fittings	-	10% Straight line basis

Properties are included in the balance sheet at cost.

#### 1.6 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

None of the charity's functional fixed assets have been revalued during the year.

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# FIRDOUS FOUNDATION

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT ...) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2024

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2	CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES INCOME	Unrestricted	2024	2023
		Funds		
		£	£	£
	Donations	<u>182,550</u>	<u>182,550</u>	<u>174,473</u>
3	Costs of Charitable Activities		2024	2023
			£	£
	Charitable Project & Activities Costs		182,525	174,453
	Wages & PAYE		0	0
			<u>182,525</u>	<u>174,453</u>
4	MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION		2024	2023
			£	£
	Legal & Professional		0	0
	Bank Charges		4	29
	Sundry expenses		0	0
			<u>4</u>	<u>29</u>

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# FIRDOUS FOUNDATION

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT ...) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2024

### 5 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Property £	Fixtures & Fittings £	Total £
<b>COST</b>			
At 1st April 2023	-	-	-
Additions	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-
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At 31st March 2024	-	-	-
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<b>DEPRECIATION</b>			
At 1st April 2023	-	-	-
Charge for the period	-	-	-
Disposed in the period	-	-	-
At 31st March 2024	-	-	-
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<b>NET BOOK VALUES</b>			
At 1st April 2023	-	-	-
At 31st March 2024	-	-	-
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### 6 CURRENT ASSETS

	2024 £	2023 £
Cash at Bank	-	9
Cash in Hand	0	0
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	0	9

### 7 CURRENT LIABILITIES

	2024 £	2023 £
Accruals	0	0
Loans	0	0
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	0	0

# FIRDOUS FOUNDATION

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT ...) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2024

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8	UNRESTRICTED FUNDS	31st Mar 23	Incoming	Outgoings	Transfers	31st Mar 24
		£	£	£	£	£
	Unrestricted fund	<u>0</u>	<u>182,550</u>	<u>(182,529)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>21</u>

The trustees are free to use unrestricted funds in accordance with the charitable objectives.