



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1/1/24 To 31/12/2024

Charity name: SUFFOLK PRICKLES HEDGEHOG RESCUE

Charity registration number: 1176194

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	To further the conservation and preservation of hedgehogs. To advance the education of the public in the study and care of hedgehogs.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	The charity provides a rescue, care and rehabilitation service for sick, injured or orphaned hedgehogs at three sites in Stonham, Weeley and Colchester, with the aim of releasing the hedgehogs back into the wild wherever possible. Through talks, training and hands-on events, the charity provides opportunities for members of the public to study hedgehogs and to educate them in the care and conservation of hedgehogs and their habitat.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The trustees have all reviewed the charity commission's statement on public benefit, found on the commission's website.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	N/A
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	The trustees oversee the day to day running of the charity working closely with volunteers. The charity is run entirely by volunteers and the trustees, who receive no remuneration.

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	During 2024 the charity accepted 289 sick or injured hedgehogs for care and were able to release 187 of them. All of these were released back to suitable sites. All release sites are carefully vetted and wherever possible the hedgehogs are released back to the area in or near which they were found. We are very proud of our release policy and are constantly monitoring research being produced in this area in order to ensure we are able to offer the best chance of survival at release for the hedgehogs that were in our care. We are not currently able to monitor the releases formally but we do so informally and all evidence points to success for most of the hedgehogs released. In 2024 we gave advice to 456 members of the public. SPHR reached over 250 families and children at a summer event in Newmarket. We worked with, and gave talks to 180 children at Colneis Primary School in Felixstowe, 30 children at Stonham Aspal Primary School, 80 children at Woodbridge Prep School, and 80 children at Elmswell Primary School. We spoke to and delivered educational workshops to 70 Beavers and Brownies and 15 children with special needs. We also delivered talks to 410 adults in WI groups, environmental groups and gardening clubs.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	We have continued to develop and deliver talks to a variety of groups about ecology and how we can help hedgehogs. Our work has been underpinned by some of the excellent research done outlined to us when we attended the International research and Best Care and Practices conference for hedgehogs in January 2024.
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	Our small team of volunteers attending events have worked hard to raise awareness of the plight of hedgehogs and what people can do to help them in their own gardens. They are also helping to raise valuable funds for hedgehog care.

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	Total income increased from £24,620 in 2023 to £121,279 in 2024, including a one-off legacy gift of £70,236 which the trustees ring-fenced to secure the long-term financial health of the charity. Expenses increased by £16,062 from £22,511 in 2023 to £38,573 in 2024. This resulted in a net operating surplus of £11,663 in 2024 compared to £261 in 2023. Total charity funds increased in 2024 by £82,706 to £105,199 including the legacy and restricted donations. The charity ended the year with £88,643 in the bank, versus £18,359 at the end of 2023. The charity had £23,039 in unrestricted, £70,236 in board restricted, and £11,924 in restricted assets at the end of 2024.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	No reserves were held.
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	The charity only raises sufficient funds to meet its needs and generate a small surplus as it employs no staff and has no office costs. All funds are used for the care of hedgehogs.
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	N/A
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	The future of the charity is financially secure thanks to the receipt of a large, one-off donation. However, the trustees are aware that they need to increase fundraising as costs have risen dramatically in the past few years. Veterinary medicines and food bills are increasing rapidly.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Donations are solicited on the charity website. Hedgehog adoptions are sold through the charity's website. Fundraising events also raise money and increase awareness of the vulnerabilities of hedgehogs.
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	The principal risk facing the charity is that it is run by a small number of trustees, all of whom are willing to continue in their roles, and volunteers who are all reliable but have no obligation to continue in their roles as they are not paid.

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document	Para 1.25	Constitution adopted 11th December 2017
How is the charity constituted?	Para 1.25	CIO
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	New trustees are appointed by the existing trustees at a scheduled trustee meeting. The proposed person is nominated then seconded by trustee members and appointed by a simple majority for three years. After this period the trustee can be re-elected if they are willing.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	We have introduced a meet and greet for people who are potentially interested in becoming trustees, once a year. At this event potential trustees are given a welcome pack outlining what would be expected of them as trustees and their legal responsibilities should they become a trustee.
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	We are a small charity with a chair, treasurer and three additional trustees who are responsible for running the charity. The charity is run entirely by volunteers. Within the hospital the general cleaning and feeding is done by all volunteers and we now have 6 level one hog nurses who are able to competently carry out some of the simpler care activities related to caring for hedgehogs. The main medical care is done by the chair of trustees and a trustee who is a vet nurse, under the guidance of our veterinary practice Penrose Veterinary Group. These two trustees are responsible for the smooth running of the hospitals and the care of the hedgehogs and they liaise regularly to ensure this is done. The charity works with Suffolk Owl Sanctuary to work with hogs that need some extra pre-release experience. The organisation provides four outdoor pens for hedgehogs pre-release and Suffolk Prickles has offered training to their staff to assist with this.
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	Total donations of £240 plus gift aid were received from one trustee in 2024

Other		During 2024 a total of £1740.00 was paid to two trustees to compensate them for expenses incurred solely for the benefit of the charity.
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Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Suffolk Prickles Hedgehog Rescue
Other name the charity uses	N/A
Registered charity number	1176194
Charity's principal address	Meadow Cottage, Norwich Road, Stonham, Stowmarket, Suffolk IP14 5DT

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year
1	Paula Baker	Chair	
2	Yvonne Raptis	Treasurer	
3	Elona Greenaway		
4	Kane Waller (previously Hunt)		
5	Jemma Burgess		

Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		
N/A		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	
N/A		

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	N/A
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Exemptions from disclosure

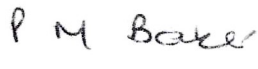
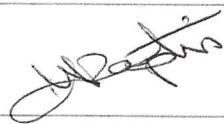
Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

No staff are employed by the charity

Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signatures		
Full names	Paula Baker	Yvonne Raptis
Position eg Chair	Chair	Treasurer
Date	21/7/2025	23/7/2025



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SUFFOLK PRICKLES HEDGEHOG RESCUE		Charity No (if any)	1176194	
Annual accounts for the period				
Period start date	01/01/2024	To	Period end date	31/12/2024

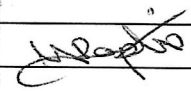
Section A Statement of financial activities

Recommended categories by activity	Guidance Notes	Unrestricted funds	Unrestricted Designated funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Prior year funds
		£	£	£	£	£	£
		F01		F02	F03	F04	F05
Incoming resources (Note 3)							
Income and endowments from:							
Donations and legacies	S01	25,997	70,236	18,243	-	114,476	20,783
Charitable activities	S02	4,019	-	-	-	4,019	2,810
Other trading activities	S03	2,272	-	-	-	2,272	910
Investments	S04	512	-	-	-	512	117
Separate material item of income	S05	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	S06	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	S07	32,800	70,236	18,243	-	121,279	24,620
Resources expended (Note 6)							
Expenditure on:							
Raising funds	S08	1,291	-	-	-	1,291	837
Charitable activities	S09	37,282	-	-	-	37,282	21,674
Separate material item of expense	S10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	S11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	S12	38,573	-	-	-	38,573	22,511
Net income/(expenditure) before investment gains/(losses)	S13	- 5,773	70,236	18,243	-	82,706	2,109
Net gains/(losses) on investments	S14	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net income/(expenditure)	S15	- 5,773	70,236	18,243	-	82,706	2,109
Extraordinary items	S16	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers between funds	S17	17,436	-	- 17,436	-	-	-
Other recognised gains/(losses):							
Gains and losses on revaluation of fixed assets for the charity's own use	S18	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other gains/(losses)	S19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net movement in funds	S20	11,663	70,236	807	-	82,706	2,109
Reconciliation of funds:							
Total funds brought forward	S21	11,376	-	11,117	-	22,493	20,384
Total funds carried forward	S22	23,039	70,236	11,924	-	105,199	22,493

Section B Balance sheet

		Guidance Notes	Unrestricted funds	Unrestricted Designated funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total this year
			£	£	£	£	£
			F01		F02	F03	F04
Fixed assets							
Intangible assets (Note 15)	B01		-		-	-	-
Tangible assets (Note 14)	B02		16,105		-	-	16,105
Heritage assets (Note 16)	B03		-		-	-	-
Investments (Note 17)	B04		-		-	-	-
Total fixed assets	B05		16,105	-	-	-	16,105
Current assets							
Stocks (Note 18)	B06		-		-	-	-
Debtors (Note 19)	B07		1,670		-	-	1,670
Investments (Note 17.4)	B08		-		-	-	-
Cash at bank and in hand (Note 24)	B09		6,483	70,236	11,924	-	88,643
Total current assets	B10		8,153	70,236	11,924	-	90,313
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year (Note 20)	B11		1,219	-	-	-	1,219
Net current assets/(liabilities)	B12		6,934	70,236	11,924	-	89,094
Total assets less current liabilities	B13		23,039	70,236	11,924	-	105,199
Creditors: amounts falling due after one year (Note 20)	B14		-	-	-	-	-
Provisions for liabilities	B15		-	-	-	-	-
Total net assets or liabilities	B16		23,039	70,236	11,924	-	105,199
Funds of the Charity							
Endowment funds (Note 27)	B17		-				-
Restricted income funds (Note 27)	B18				11,924		11,924
Unrestricted funds	B19		23,039	70,236		-	93,275
Revaluation reserve	B20						-
Total funds	B21		23,039	70,236	11,924	-	105,199

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval dd/mm/yyyy
	YVONNE RAPDIS	9/6/25

Section C Notes to the accounts

Note 1 Basis of preparation

This section should be completed by all charities.

1.1 Basis of accounting

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with:

- and with* ☒ the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16 July 2014
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- and with the Charities Act 2011.

The charity constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS 102.*

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* -Tick as appropriate

1.2 Going concern

If there are material uncertainties related to events or conditions that cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, please provide the following details or state "Not applicable", if appropriate:

An explanation as to those factors that support the conclusion that the charity is a going concern;

n/a

Disclosure of any uncertainties that make the going concern assumption doubtful;

n/a

Where accounts are not prepared on a going concern basis, please disclose this fact together with the basis on which the trustees prepared the accounts and the reason why the charity is not regarded as a going

n/a

1.3 Change of accounting policy

The accounts present a true and fair view and the accounting policies adopted are those outlined in note { }.

Yes*

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No*

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* -Tick as appropriate

Please disclose:

<i>(i) the nature of the change in accounting policy;</i>	n/a
<i>(ii) the reasons why applying the new accounting policy provides more reliable and more relevant information; and</i>	n/a
<i>(iii) the amount of the adjustment for each line affected in the current period, each prior period presented and the aggregate amount of the adjustment relating to periods before those presented, 3.44 FRS 102 SORP.</i>	n/a

1.4 Changes to accounting estimates

No changes to accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period (3.46 FRS 102 SORP).

Yes*

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No*

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* -Tick as appropriate

Please disclose:

<i>(i) the nature of any changes;</i>	n/a
<i>(ii) the effect of the change on income and expense or assets and liabilities for the current period; and</i>	n/a
<i>(iii) where practicable, the effect of the change in one or more future periods.</i>	n/a

1.5 Material prior year errors

No material prior year error have been identified in the reporting period (3.47 FRS 102 SORP).

Yes*

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No*

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* -Tick as appropriate

Please disclose:

<i>(i) the nature of the prior period error;</i>	n/a
<i>(ii) for each prior period presented in the accounts, the amount of the correction for each account line item affected; and</i>	n/a
<i>(iii) the amount of the correction at the beginning of the earliest prior period presented in the accounts.</i>	n/a

Note 2**Accounting policies**

Please complete this note when first reporting under FRS2102. Section 35 of FRS102, requires 3 reconciliations to be presented, if all are applicable.

2.1 RECONCILIATION WITH PREVIOUS GENERALLY ACCEPTED ACCOUNTING PRACTICE

Please provide a description of the nature of each change in accounting policy

n/a

Note 2 Accounting policies continued

2.2 INCOME

This standard list of accounting policies has been applied by the charity except for those ticked "No" or "N/a". Where a different or additional policy has been adopted then this is detailed in the box below.

Recognition of income	These are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when: - the charity becomes entitled to the resources; - it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources; and - the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Offsetting	There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS 102 SORP or FRS 102.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Grants and donations	Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP).	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Legacies	In the case of performance related grants, income must only be recognised to the extent that the charity has provided the specified goods or services as entitlement to the grant only occurs when the performance related conditions are met (5.16 FRS 102 SORP). Legacies are included in the SoFA when receipt is probable, that is, when there has been grant of probate, the executors have established that there are sufficient assets in the estate and any conditions attached to the legacy are either within the control of the charity or have been met.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Government grants	The charity has received government grants in the reporting period	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☐</td><td>☒</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☐	☒	☐												
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Tax reclaims on donations and gifts	Gift Aid receivable is included in income when there is a valid declaration from the donor. Any Gift Aid amount recovered on a donation is considered to be part of that gift and is treated as an addition to the same fund as the initial donation unless the donor or the terms of the appeal have specified otherwise.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Contractual income and performance related grants	This is only included in the SoFA once the charity has provided the related goods or services or met the performance related conditions.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Donated goods	Donated goods are measured at fair value (the amount for which the asset could be exchanged) unless impractical to do so. The cost of any stock of goods donated for distribution to beneficiaries is deemed to be the fair value of those gifts at the time of their receipt and they are recognised on receipt. In the reporting period in which the stocks are distributed, they are recognised as an expense at the carrying amount of the stocks at distribution. Donated goods for resale are measured at fair value on initial recognition, which is the expected proceeds from sale less the expected costs of sale, and recognised in 'Income from other trading activities' with the corresponding stock recognised in the balance sheet. On its sale the value of stock is charged against 'Income from other trading activities' and the proceeds from sale are also recognised as 'Income from other trading activities'. Goods donated for on-going use by the charity are recognised as tangible fixed assets and included in the SoFA as incoming resources when receivable. Gifts in kind for use by the charity are included in the SoFA as income from donations when receivable.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table> <table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☐</td><td>☐</td><td>☒</td></tr> </table> <table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐	Yes	No	N/a	☐	☐	☒	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐
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Donated services and facilities	Donated services and facilities are included in the SoFA when received at the value of the gift to the charity provided the value of the gift can be measured reliably. Donated services and facilities that are consumed immediately are recognised as income with an equivalent amount recognised as an expense under the appropriate heading in the SoFA.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☐</td><td>☐</td><td>☒</td></tr> </table> <table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☐</td><td>☐</td><td>☒</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☐	☐	☒	Yes	No	N/a	☐	☐	☒						
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Support costs	The charity has incurred expenditure on support costs.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Volunteer help	The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Income from interest, royalties and dividends	This is included in the accounts when receipt is probable and the amount receivable can be measured reliably.	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☒</td><td>☐</td><td>☐</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☒	☐	☐												
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Income from membership subscriptions	Membership subscriptions received in the nature of a gift are recognised in Donations and Legacies. Membership subscriptions which gives a member the right to buy services or other	<table> <tr> <th>Yes</th><th>No</th><th>N/a</th></tr> <tr> <td>☐</td><td>☐</td><td>☒</td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	☐	☐	☒												
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	benefits are recognised as income earned from the provision of goods and services as income from charitable activities.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> </table>			✓	Yes	No	N/a			
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Settlement of insurance claims	Insurance claims are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP) and are included as an item of other income in the SoFA.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> </table>			✓	Yes	No	N/a			
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Investment gains and losses	This includes any realised or unrealised gains or losses on the sale of investments and any gain or loss resulting from revaluing investments to market value at the end of the year.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>			✓						
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2.3 EXPENDITURE AND LIABILITIES											
Liability recognition	Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>✓</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	✓					
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Governance and support costs	Support costs have been allocated between governance costs and other support. Governance costs comprise all costs involving public accountability of the charity and its compliance with regulation and good practice.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>✓</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	✓					
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	Support costs include central functions and have been allocated to activity cost categories on a basis consistent with the use of resources, eg allocating property costs by floor areas, or per capita, staff costs by the time spent and other costs by their usage.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>✓</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	✓					
Yes	No	N/a									
✓											
Grants with performance conditions	Where the charity gives a grant with conditions for its payment being a specific level of service or output to be provided, such grants are only recognised in the SoFA once the recipient of the grant has provided the specified service or output.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
Yes	No	N/a									
		✓									
Grants payable without performance conditions	Where there are no conditions attaching to the grant that enables the donor charity to realistically avoid the commitment, a liability for the full funding obligation must be recognised.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
Yes	No	N/a									
		✓									
Redundancy cost	The charity made no redundancy payments during the reporting period.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>✓</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	✓					
Yes	No	N/a									
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Deferred income	No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>✓</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	✓					
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Creditors	The charity has creditors which are measured at settlement amounts less any trade discounts	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>✓</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	✓					
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Provisions for liabilities	A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>✓</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	✓					
Yes	No	N/a									
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Basic financial instruments	The charity accounts for basic financial instruments on initial recognition as per paragraph 11.7 FRS102 SORP. Subsequent measurement is as per paragraphs 11.17 to 11.19, FRS102 SORP.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
Yes	No	N/a									
		✓									
2.4 ASSETS											
Tangible fixed assets for use by charity	These are capitalised if they can be used for more than one year, and cost at least	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>£400</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td>✓</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	£400			Yes	No	N/a	✓		
£400											
Yes	No	N/a									
✓											
	They are valued at cost.										
Intangible fixed assets	The depreciation rates and methods used are disclosed in note 9.2.										
	The charity has intangible fixed assets, that is, non-monetary assets that do not have physical substance but are identifiable and are controlled by the charity through custody or legal rights. The amortisation rates and methods used are disclosed in note 9.5	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>✓</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a		✓				
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	They are valued at cost.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
Yes	No	N/a									
		✓									
Heritage assets	The charity has heritage assets, that is, non-monetary assets with historic, artistic, scientific, technological, geophysical or environmental qualities that are held and maintained principally for their contribution to knowledge and culture. The depreciation rates and methods used as disclosed in note 9.6.1.4.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>✓</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a		✓				
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	They are valued at cost.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
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Investments	Fixed asset investments in quoted shares, traded bonds and similar investments are valued at initially at cost and subsequently at fair value (their market value) at the year end. The same treatment is applied to unlisted investments unless fair value cannot be measured reliably in which case it is measured at cost less impairment.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
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	Investments held for resale or pending their sale and cash and cash equivalents with a maturity date of less than 1 year are treated as current asset investments	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
Yes	No	N/a									
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Stocks and work in progress	Stocks held for sale as part of non-charitable trade are measured at the lower or cost or net realisable value.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
Yes	No	N/a									
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	Goods or services provided as part of a charitable activity are measured at net realisable value based on the service potential provided by items of stock.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
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	Work in progress is valued at cost less any foreseeable loss that is likely to occur on the contract.	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> <td>N/a</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a			✓			
Yes	No	N/a									
		✓									

		Yes	No	N/a
Debtors	Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received.	☒	☐	☐

		Yes	No	N/a
Current asset investments	The charity has investments which it holds for resale or pending their sale and cash and cash equivalents with a maturity date less than one year. These include cash on deposit and cash equivalents with a maturity date of less than one year held for investment purposes rather than to meet short term cash commitments as they fall due.	☒	☐	☐

		Yes	No	N/a
	They are valued at fair value except where they qualify as basic financial instruments.	☐	☐	☒

POLICIES ADOPTED ADDITIONAL TO OR DIFFERENT FROM THOSE ABOVE

n/a

Note 3

Analysis of income

		Unrestricted funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds £	Prior year £
Analysis						
Donations and legacies:	Donations and gifts	20,132	8,243	-	28,375	18,284
	Gift Aid	2,596	-	-	2,596	1,620
	Legacies	70,235	-	-	70,235	-
	General grants provided by government/other charities	-	10,000	-	10,000	-
	Membership subscriptions and sponsorships which are in substance donations	-	-	-	-	-
	Donated goods, facilities and services	3,270	-	-	3,270	879
	Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total		96,233	18,243	-	114,476	20,783
Charitable activities:	Educational fee income	1,223	-	-	1,223	270
	Fundraising events	1,424	-	-	1,424	1,285
	Hedgehog adoptions	1,372	-	-	1,372	1,255
	Total	4,019	-	-	4,019	2,810
Other trading activities:	Merchandise sales	2,272	-	-	2,272	910
		-	-	-	-	-
	Total	2,272	-	-	2,272	910
Income from investments:	Interest income	512	-	-	512	117
		-	-	-	-	-
	Total	512	-	-	512	117

TOTAL INCOME

103,036	18,243	-	121,279	24,620
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Other information:

All income in the prior year was unrestricted except for:
(please provide description and amounts)

2000 Grant to buy laptops	1859
donations/grants for improvements at hedgehog lodge	
2000 grant for cement base for new hospital	

Section C	Notes to the accounts	(cont)
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Note 4 **Analysis of receipts of government grants** N/A

Note 5 **Donated goods, facilities and services**

	This year £	Last year £
Seconded staff	-	-
Use of property	-	-
Other	3,270	879
	3,270	879

	This year	Last year
Please provide details of the accounting policy for the recognition and valuation of donated goods, facilities and services.	Donated goods comprises new supplies given for the benefit of hedgehogs eg food, cleaning supplies, all valued at retail cost, and the cost of electricity for the hog lodge and hospital, paid for by a trustee.	All donated goods are new supplies given for the benefit of hedgehogs eg food, cleaning supplies, and are valued at retail cost.

Please provide details of any unfulfilled conditions and other contingencies attaching to resources from donated goods and services not recognised in income.	N/A	N/A
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Please give details of other forms of other donated goods and services not recognised in the accounts, eg contribution of unpaid volunteers.	The charity is run by volunteers and has no staff.	Same
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Note 6
Analysis of expenditure

Analysis	This year				Last year			
	Unrestricted funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Unrestricted funds	income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds
Expenditure on raising funds:				£				£
Staging fundraising events	1,291	-	-	1,291	837			837
Total expenditure on raising funds	1,291	-	-	1,291	837	-	-	837
Expenditure on charitable activities:								
Caring for hedgehogs	29,823	-	-	29,823	15,653	-	-	15,653
Overheads relating to hedgehog care	4,434	-	-	4,434	5,050	-	-	5,050
Education	322	-	-	322	227	-	-	227
Hedgehog adoptions	919	-	-	919	140	-	-	140
Total expenditure on charitable activities	35,498	-	-	35,498	21,070	-	-	21,070
Separate material item of expense								
Depreciation	1,784	-	-	1,784	604	-	-	604
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1,784	-	-	1,784	604	-	-	604
Other								
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total other expenditure	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	38,573	-	-	38,573	22,511	-	-	22,511

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Note 7 **Extraordinary items**
NONE

Note 8 **Funds received as agent**
NONE

Note 9 **Support Costs**
Please complete this note if the charity has analysed its expenses using activity categories and has
N/A

Note 10 **Details of certain items of expenditure**
10.1 Fees for examination of the accounts
Please provide details of the amount paid for any statutory external scrutiny of accounts and other

Independent examiner's fees

This year £	Last year £
200	250

Fee for 2023 restated - erroneously omitted from 2023 accounts

Note 11 **Paid employees**
Please complete this note if the charity has any employees.
N/A

Note 12 **Defined contribution pension scheme or defined benefit scheme accounted**
N/A

Note 13 **Grantmaking**
Please complete this note if the charity made any grants or donations which in aggregate form a material
N/A

Section C**Notes to the accounts****(cont)****Note 14****Tangible fixed assets***Please complete this note if the charity has any tangible fixed assets***14.1 Cost or valuation**

	Freehold land & buildings	Other land & buildings	Plant, machinery and motor vehicles	Fixtures, fittings and equipment	Total
	£	£	£	£	£
At the beginning of the year	-	-	-	6,373	6,373
Additions	-	-	-	14,095	14,095
Revaluations	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers *	-	-	-	-	-
At end of the year	-	-	-	20,468	20,468

14.2 Depreciation and impairments

**Basis	SL or RB (Straight Line or Reducing Balance)	SL or RB	SL or RB	SL or RB	SL or RB
** Rate				10/20%	

At beginning of the year	-	-	-	2,579	2,579
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-
Depreciation	-	-	-	1,784	1,784
Impairment	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers*	-	-	-	-	-
At end of the year	-	-	-	4,363	4,363

14.3 Net book value

Net book value at the beginning of the year	-	-	-	3,794	3,794
Net book value at the end of the year	-	-	-	16,105	16,105

14.4 Impairment
N/A

14.5 Revaluation
N/A

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14.6 Other disclosures
N/A

Note 15 **Intangible assets**
Please complete this note if the charity has any intangible assets
N/A

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Note 16 **Heritage assets**
Please complete this note if the charity has heritage assets
N/A

Note 17 **Investment assets**
Please complete this note if the charity has any investment assets.
N/A

Note 18 **Stocks**
Please complete this note if the charity holds any stock items
N/A

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Note 19 Debtors and prepayments

Please complete this note if the charity has any debtors or prepayments.

19.1 Analysis of debtors

Trade debtors

Prepayments and accrued income

Other debtors

Total

This year	Last year
£	£
-	-
1,670	1,848
1,670	1,848

Please complete 19.2 where a material debtor is recoverable more than a year after the reporting date.

19.2 Analysis of debtors recoverable in more than 1 year (included in debtors above)

N/A

Section C**Notes to the accounts****(cont)****Note 20 Creditors and accruals***Please complete this note if the charity has any creditors or accruals.***20.1 Analysis of creditors**

	Amounts falling due within one year		Amounts falling due after more than one year	
	This year £	Last year £	This year £	Last year £
Accruals for grants payable	-	-	-	-
Bank loans and overdrafts	-	-	-	-
Trade creditors	-	-	-	-
Payments received on account for contracts or performance-related grants	-	-	-	-
Accruals and deferred income	1,219	1,508	-	-
Taxation and social security	-	-	-	-
Other creditors	-	-	-	-
Total	1,219	1,508	-	-

20.2 Deferred income

N/A

Note 21 Provisions for liabilities and charges

N/A

Note 22 Other disclosures for debtors, creditors and other basic financial instruments

N/A

Note 23 Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

N/A

Note 24 Cash at bank and in hand

	This year £	Last year £
Short term cash investments (less than 3 months maturity date)	-	-
Short term deposits	-	-
Cash at bank and on hand	88,643	18,359
Other	-	-
Total	88,643	18,359

Note 25 Fair value of assets and liabilities

N/A

Note 26 Events after the end of the reporting period

N/A

Section C

Notes to the accounts

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Note 27

Charity funds

27.1 Details of material funds held and movements during the CURRENT reporting period

Please give details of the movements of material individual funds in the reporting period together with a balancing figure for 'Other funds'. The 'Total funds' figure below should reconcile to 'Total funds' in the balance sheet.

* Key: PE - permanent endowment funds; EE - expendable endowment funds; R - restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity; and U - unrestricted funds

Fund names	Type PE, EE R or UR *	Purpose and Restrictions	Balances brought forward £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers £	Gains and losses £	Fund balances carried £
Restricted Funds	R	Hedgehog hospital	10,792	18,243	-	- 17,111	-	11,924
Restricted Funds	R	Education	300	-	-	- 300	-	-
Restricted Funds	R	Hedgehog Care	25	-	-	- 25	-	-
Board designated funds	UR	Legacy - designated as reserves	-	70,236	-	-	-	70,236
			-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Funds			11,117	88,479	-	- 17,436	-	82,160

27.2 Details of material funds held and movements during the PREVIOUS reporting period

Please give details of the movements of material individual funds in the reporting period together with a balancing figure for 'Other funds'. The 'Total funds' figure below should reconcile to 'Total funds' in the balance sheet.

* Key: PE - permanent endowment funds; EE - expendable endowment funds; R - restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity; and U - unrestricted funds

Fund names	Type PE, EE R or UR *	Purpose and Restrictions	Balances brought forward £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers £	Gains and losses £	Fund balances carried £
Restricted Funds	R	Hedgehog hospital	8,944	3,859	-	- 2,011	-	10,792
Restricted Funds	R	Education	300	-	-	-	-	300
Restricted Funds	R	Hedgehog Care	25	-	-	-	-	25
			-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Funds			9,269	3,859	-	- 2,011	-	11,117

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Note 27 **Charity funds (cont)**

27.3 Transfers between funds

This year

	Reason for transfer	Amount
Between unrestricted and restricted funds	To reimburse unrestricted funds for expenditure which was correctly payable from restricted funds.	17,436

Last year

	Reason for transfer	Amount
Between unrestricted and restricted funds	To reimburse unrestricted funds for expenditure which was correctly payable from restricted funds.	2,011

27.4 Designated funds

This year

Planned use	Purpose of the designation	Amount
Long-term reserves	To secure the future of the charity	70,236

Last year

Planned use	Purpose of the designation	Amount
NONE		

Section C	Notes to the accounts	(cont)
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Note 28 Transactions with trustees and related parties

If the charity has any transactions with related parties (other than the trustee expenses explained in guidance notes) details of such transactions should be provided in this note. If there are no transactions to report, please enter "True" in the box or "False" if there are transactions to report.

28.1 Trustee remuneration and benefits

This year

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits from an employment with their charity or a related entity (True or False)

TRUE

Last year

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits from an employment with their charity or a related entity (True or False)

TRUE

28.2 Trustees' expenses

If the charity has paid trustees expenses for fulfilling their duties, details of such transactions should be provided in this note. If there are no transactions to report, please enter "True" in the box below. If there are transactions to report, please enter "False".

No trustee expenses have been incurred (True or False)

FALSE

Type of expenses reimbursed	This year	Last year
	£	£
Utilities reimbursement for power for hedgehog hospital	500	500
	-	-
TOTAL	500	500

Please provide the number of trustees reimbursed for expenses or who had expenses paid by the charity

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28.3 Transaction(s) with related parties

Please give details of any transaction undertaken by (or on behalf of) the charity in which a related party has a material interest, including where funds have been held as agent for related parties. If there are no such transactions, please enter 'true' in the box provided.

This year

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period (True or False)

FALSE

Name of the trustee or related party	Relationship to charity	Description of the transaction(s)	Amount	Balance at period end	Provision for bad debts at period end	Amounts written off during reporting period
			£	£	£	£
Yvonne Raptis	Trustee	Cash donations	240 + gift aid	-	-	-
Kane Waller	Trustee	Gifts in kind	984	-	-	-
Paula Baker	Trustee	Gifts in kind	34	-	-	-

In relation to the transactions above, please provide the terms and conditions, including any security and the nature of any payment (consideration) to be provided in settlement.

N/A

For any related party, please provide details of any guarantees given or received.

N/A

Last year

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period (True or False)

Name of the trustee or related party	Relationship to charity	Description of the transaction(s)	Amount	Balance at period end	Provision for bad debts at period end	Amounts written off during reporting period
			£	£	£	£
Yvonne Raptis	Trustee	Cash donations	240 + gift aid	-	-	-

In relation to the transactions above, please provide the terms and conditions, including any security and the nature of any payment (consideration) to be provided in settlement.

N/A

For any related party, please provide details of any guarantees given or received.

N/A

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Suffolk Prickles Hedgehog Rescue

I report on my examination of the accounts of Suffolk Prickles Hedgehog Rescue (the Charity) for the year ended 31 December 2024.

This report is made solely to the Charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with the Charities Act 2011. My work has been undertaken so that I might state to the trustees those matters I am required to state to them in an independent examiner's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the trustees as a body, for any work, for this report, or for the opinions I have formed.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the Charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act"). You consider that an audit is not required for the year under section 144 (2) of the Act and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

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

Basis of the independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the 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 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 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 Act; and to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the 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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29 June 2025