

Satkar Committee UK
(Registered charity, number 1176440)
Financial statements
for the year ended 31 March 2024

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**Satkar Committee UK
Trustees' annual report
for the year ended 31 March 2024**

Full name Satkar Committee UK

Organisation type Charitable incorporated organisation

Registered charity number 1176440

Principal address

Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji Bhavan, Moorlands 206a Hydes Road, West Bromwich,
West Midlands, B71 2ED

Trustees

Manipal Singh
Balvinder Kaur

Independent examiner

John O'Brien, employee of Community Accounting Plus, Units 1 & 2 North West, 41
Talbot Street, Nottingham, NG1 5GL

Governance and management

The charity is operated under the rules of its constitution adopted 22 December 2017.

Objectives and activities

Satkar Committee UK was launched in 2014 with the blessings of the 5 Singh Ardas. Recognising the need to undertake various project streams to advance the Sikh religion for the benefit of the sangat (congregation) and the wider public, the committee operates in accordance with the Gurmat Rehat Maryada (Sikh Code of Conduct). The ultimate objective of the organisation is to foster a deeper understanding of the essential requirements for maintaining the utmost Adhav Satkar (respect at the highest regard) of Dhan Dhan Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji Maharaj.

Primary Objectives: The primary objective of Satkar Committee UK is to stop the unnecessary and excessive printing of Dhan Dhan Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji Pavan Saroops (sacred revered Guru of Sikhs). Additionally, the committee aims to prevent the avoidable Agan Bhett (discarding) of Saroops in the UK and India. As such, our priority continues to be the vital seva (selfless service) around the restoration and preservation of all current Maharaj Pavan Saroops.

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit

Activities and Initiatives: Satkar Committee UK tirelessly works towards enhancing Sikhi awareness through various means, including:

- Easily accessible shudh (pure) reading of Gurbani Santhia
- Parchar (preaching)
- Katha (religious discourse)
- Kirtan (devotional singing)

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- Literature
- Workshops
- Seminars
- Training

Furthermore, the committee aims to create an insightful understanding through demonstration videos and tutorials on the seva sambal (care, respect, and upkeep) of Maharaj Saroop Ji, Gutka Sahibs, Pothe Sahib Jis, and all other Gurbani (religious scripture) sources.

Public Benefit: Members of the public benefit individually from enhanced awareness and learning of religious teachings. Additionally, the public benefits as a congregation through participation in religious services and communal gatherings.

Public benefit statement

The Trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in section 17 of the Charities Act 2011 to have due regard to the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit, 'Charities and Public Benefit'.

Summary of the main achievements during the period

Primary focus of activity has been interim repairs of the building to a suitable standard for use.

The day-to-day operations in preservation and restoration of Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji is an ongoing process undertaken by sevadars (selfless voluntary work).

Financial Trustees' View

The trustees believe that the overall performance of the charity has remained stable this year.

Risk Management

The Board of Trustees recognises the importance of assessing risks that could impact the Satkar Committee UK and its daily operations. They are confident that adequate systems and internal controls are in place to manage significant risks effectively.

Reserve Policy

The charity maintains sufficient reserves to cover essential expenses, including core costs and overheads, ensuring the continuity of services even in the absence of donations.

Principal Source of Funds

The primary source of funds continues to be donations from the Sangat and Prabandakhs of Gurdwaras, including contributions from places of worship, individuals, the public, and the congregation.

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Satkar Committee UK is exceptionally grateful for the continued support of everyone in making it possible to carry out projects and meet the requirements of the Sikh Community and wider public. We are appreciative of the tireless efforts and commitments of volunteers who are dedicated to the restoration and preservation seva (work).

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees:

Signed _____ Date _____
Manipal Singh, Trustee

**Independent examiner's report to the trustees of
Satskar Committee UK
for the year ended 31 March 2024**

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Satskar Committee UK (the charity) for the year ended 31 March 2024.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the trustees of the charity you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed _____ Date _____

John O'Brien MSc, FAIA, FCIE

Employee of Community Accounting Plus

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Receipts & payments account
for the year ended 31 March 2024

2023			2024
Total			Total
Funds			Funds
£	Note		£
	Receipts		
544803	Donations		23013
44198	Gift aid		-
150000	Loan received	2	-
<u>739001</u>	Total receipts		<u>23013</u>
	Payments		
937	Bank charges		1
4062	Security		-
-	Building repairs		4206
327	Advertising & fundraising		-
37289	Equipment		3332
1126	Insurance		-
2540	Printing, postage & stationery		476
1113	Petrol & travel costs		1513
35	Refreshments		418
1093	Sundry expenses		197
2112	Utilities		5455
602000	Building purchase		-
459	Internet and IT costs		1076
9377	Legal & professional fees		1910
-	Restoration		1049
-	Fines and interest		100
30000	Donations awarded		-
<u>692470</u>	Total payments		<u>19733</u>
46531	Net receipts/(payments)		3280
<u>8440</u>	Cash funds at start of this period		<u>54971</u>
<u>54971</u>	Cash funds at end of this period		<u>58251</u>

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Statement of assets and liabilities
at 31 March 2024

2023			2024
£	Cash assets	Note	£
54971	Bank accounts		58251
<u>54971</u>			<u>58251</u>
	Assets retained for the charity's own use		
	Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji Bhavan		
	Moorlands 206a Hydes Road		
669000	West Bromwich, West Midlands, B71 2ED (cost)		669000
30000	Vehicle (cost)		30000
	Liabilities		
(151320)	Creditors	3	(151200)
<u>(151320)</u>			<u>(151200)</u>

These financial statements are accepted on behalf of the charity by:

Signed _____ Dated _____
Balvinder Kaur, Trustee

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Notes to the accounts
for the year ended 31 March 2024

1. Receipts & payments accounts

Receipts and payments accounts contain a summary of money received and money spent during the period and a list of assets and liabilities at the end of the period. Usually, cash received and cash spent will include transactions through bank accounts and cash in hand.

2. Loan

In 2023, to assist with the purchase of the building, the charity received a long term loan of £150,000 from Twinkle Tots Nursery. This is an interest free loan with no fixed repayment terms.

3. Creditors

	£
Long term loan	(150000)
Professional fees	(1200)
	<u>(151200)</u>

4. Trustees' remuneration

Trustees received no expenses, remuneration or benefits in this period.

5. Related party transactions

There were no related party transactions in this period.

6. Glossary of terms

Creditors: These are amounts owed by the charity, but not paid during the accounting period.