



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1/4/2020 Period start date To 31/3/2021 Period end date

Charity name: Mercy Ministries India

Charity registration number: 1184823

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	For the public benefit the relief of poverty and hardship among children in India, in particular but not exclusively those who are orphans, through the provision of shelter, food, health, education and other such charitable services as the trustees may from time to time think fit.
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 has raised money from individuals in the UK by conducting fund raising activities and by donations not linked to any fund raising activity
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 conformed to all guidance issued by the Charity Commission

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	

Other		

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	The purpose of the Charity is to raise sufficient funds to enable a registered Indian Charity (Mercy Integrated Rural health Care Ministries – Indian FCRA Registration Number 010190316) to buy land in order to begin the work on building a brand new Orphanage in Tenali and we are pleased to say that the land has now been purchased by the Indian Charity during this financial year so now all our efforts will be to raise enough funds to complete the building of the Orphanage in 3 specific phases of construction over the coming years

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The Charity is in a healthy financial position.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Reserves are only held here in the UK until the full amount can be sent for the specific general need in India such as the purchase of land & scheduled phases of building works etc
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	Because we have no overheads we do not have a strict policy on reserves other than a policy to maintain at least £1k in the bank account to cover any unexpected emergencies / costs in India.
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	Our ability to work as a Charity depends upon the donations we receive, so this will fluctuate depending on our supporters financial circumstances, but because we do not have any over heads we do not see any problems regarding our ongoing activities

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	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. unincorporated association, CIO)	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	We have 3 trustees each appointed to serve 3 years. If and when one wishes to stand down or dies the others will appoint another

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	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Mercy Ministries India
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1184823
Charity's principal address	3 Upperfield Way Binley Coventry CV3 2UY

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Mark Gee	Trustee		
2	Peter Ivers	Trustee		
3	Gospel Arputharaj	Trustee		
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

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Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

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Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
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Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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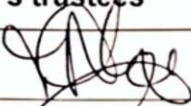
Other optional information

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Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Paul all	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Trustee	
Date	17/12/21	