

GREEN LEAF AID FOR KINSHASA

ANNUAL REPORT 2022

Charity registration number: 1192679 (registered 7/12/2020)

Address: 37 New Devonshire Square, Manchester M7 4BH

Trustees: Jacques Kanda, Fideline Matondo Kanda, Wendy Elizabeth Coleman

This report covers the period from charity registration until 31 March 2022.

The Charity is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) whose only voting members are its charity trustees. The Trustees meet regularly to make decisions about the running of the Charity. Meetings are also attended by the organisers who run the work in DRC, and by supporters in the UK. Trustees are recruited from among supporters to meet needs for skills, knowledge and experience needed to run the charity.

The charity supported 15 orphans living in foster care in Kinshasa, providing food, clothing and medical help. The organisers regularly visited the families to assess needs and to provide support. As the charity's main activity is the relief of poverty, it is not required to benefit the general public, but only the 15 children. However, we feel that there is benefit to the general public as the children are enabled to grow up to be responsible citizens who contribute to society, which would not be possible if they were left street homeless.

The charity succeeded in supporting the children, who are in good health.

Income was £1,497 and expenditure £1,451. At the end of March 2022, we held £464. The main item of expenditure was £602 spent on the freight cost to send goods to Kinshasa. The goods included second-

hand clothes for use or resale, food, and a freezer for a fund-raising scheme selling cold drinks. We are in the process of opening a bank account and setting up a website, and aim for a much increased income for 2022/23, of £5,000 to £10,000.

No funds are held as custodian trustee.

GREEN LEAF AID FOR KINSHASA**ACCOUNTS FOR 16 MONTHS DECEMBER 2020 TO MARCH 2022**

(Charity registration was on 7 December 2020)

	£	
Donations income		1497
Expenditure		
Money sent for medical costs	158	
Mobile phone for organiser in Kinshasa	100	
Money sent for food etc	314	
Money sent for internet	20	
Food bought in UK	225	
31:8 Membership	32	
Freight (freezer and boxes)	602	
		1451
		46
Balance 1/12/20		418
Balance 31/03/22		464