



**CHARITY COMMISSION**  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

## Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 06/04/23  
end date

Period start date To 05/04/24

Period

Charity name: UNITED RELIEF

Charity registration number: 1199289

## Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<p>The objects of the CIO are for the public benefit, the relief of the homeless, orphans, refugees or other individuals who are in need by reason of their age, disability, ill-health, financial or other social or economic disadvantage including but not limited to:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Providing a platform to advance the education of the public and / or promote public awareness about the issues relating to the homeless, refugees, orphans and / or others in need;</li><li>• Providing food and drink to the homeless, refugees, orphans or other individuals in need by reason being financially and economically disadvantaged such as those from low income households;</li><li>• Providing essential items such as clothes, sleeping bags and sanitary items which are aimed at improving the standard of living and conditions of the homeless, refugees, orphans or others in need by reason of being financially and economically disadvantaged such as those from low income households;</li><li>• Providing gifts and donations, such as toys and books to the homeless, refugees, orphans or others from financially and economically disadvantaged backgrounds; and</li><li>• Providing funds to other charities and/or not-for-profit organisations, which support the homeless, refugees, orphans and/or those from financially</li></ul>

		and economically disadvantaged backgrounds. These funds are used broadly to purchase items and/or provide services which are aimed at the improvement of the living conditions and / or standard of living of these groups.
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	<p>06.04.23 – 05.04.24</p> <p>Orphan Sponsorship Programme 2023 – United Relief along with a group volunteers entered an obstacle course to raise as much funds as possible. The funds raised was used to sponsor as many orphans as possible.</p> <p>Monthly Food Drop – United Relief along with volunteers distributed food to homeless shelters across Surrey and London. This was a monthly project.</p> <p>Refugee Crisis Project 2023 – United Relief along with a group of volunteers travelled to Calais to work with Care4Calais charity to help refugees.</p>
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The objects of the CIO are for the public benefit, the relief of the homeless, orphans, refugees or other individuals who are in need by reason of their age, disability, ill-health, financial or other social or economic disadvantage. All trustees are aware of the guidance and this has been regarded and taken into account when making a decision to which the guidance is relevant

#### **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		

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## 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	<p>Sponsored 15 orphans through the United Relief Orphan Sponsorship Programme. In May 2023 gathered a group of 20 volunteers to participate in the fundraiser which involved a 7km run.</p> <p>As part of the monthly food drop, feeding on average 100 people per month, who are currently staying in homeless shelters.</p> <p>Organised one trip to Calais, France working directly with 250+ Refugees. Distributed 500+ cups of water, hot drinks and 100+ items of clothes.</p>

### 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	Positive, £772
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	N/A
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	0
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	Reserves are not required because of the type of projects that United Relief carries out. Most of the projects do not require funds from the charity to be used. Any project that requires funding, a fundraising project is completed prior to commencement to ensure funds are in place
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	0
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	No concerns

### 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	<p>Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees.</p> <p>In selecting individuals for appointment as charity trustees, the charity trustees must have regard to the skills, knowledge and experience needed for the effective administration of the CIO.</p>

### 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	UNITED RELIEF
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1199289
Charity's principal address	

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**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	H Shah		Whole year	
2	S Hussain		Whole year	
3	S Sachdev		Whole year	
4	S Adamidou		Whole year	
5	R Nicolaou		Whole year	
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**Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved**

Director name		

**Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity**

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

## 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

#### 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)	H SHAH	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	TRUSTEE	
Date	03/02/25	



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## Receipts and payments accounts


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For the period from	Period start date 4/6/2023	To	Period end date 4/5/2024
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### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations	£5,961.94	-	-	5,962	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b> (Gross income for AR)	5,962	-	-	5,962	-
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	5,962	-	-	5,962	-
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Homeless Project	£0.00	-	-	-	-
Orphan Project	£5,608	-	-	5,608	-
Refugee Project	£0.00	-	-	-	-
Website Creation	£401	-	-	401	-
<b>Sub total</b>	6,008	-	-	6,008	-
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total payments</b>	6,008	-	-	6,008	-
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	46	-	-	46	-
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	818	-	-	818	-
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	772	-	-	772	-

## Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash	772	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
		H SHAH	2/3/2025	