Poverty Relief

For a better world tomorrow

ANNUAL REPORT 2025



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Charity Reg. 1201822

“

And they give food, despite their love for it, to the needy, the orphan, and the captive.

Surah Al-Insan (76:8)

”



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Poverty Relief, a dedicated non-profitable organisation, passionately serves to alleviate the struggles of the poor and needy.







We are providing communities with a purpose built Masjid from brick and mortar, ensuring that the Masjid will withstand heavy weather. These Masjids will become a center of excellence for the communities.



MESSAGE FROM CHAIRMAN

It is my privilege to present the Annual Report for Poverty Relief for the year ending December 2025

Alhamdulillah, this has been a year of consolidation and growth for a young charity registered on 2nd February 2023. From a simple vision - to have a better world tomorrow_ we have, by the grace of Allah and your generosity, delivered aid to the neediest and most destitute across Bangladesh Niger, Somalia, and Pakistan, while maintaining our base in London.

Poverty Relief is an international relief organisation aimed to raise funds in the UK and distribute them to those neediest and destitute. Our focus remains on three pillars:

1. Relief of Poverty: Distribution of food packs, clean water, emergency shelter and livelihood support to families affected by poverty, drought and conflict.

2. Education: Supporting children who would otherwise have no access to schooling.

3. Health: Medical camps and access to basic healthcare.

In the last financial year, we recorded an income of Annual total £68,078.78. Every penny has been spent with strict Amanah. As a volunteer-led board, we ensure minimal admin cost and maximum impact on the ground through our trusted partners.

We intend to:

- Expand our water and food security programmes in Somalia and Niger

- Launch a dedicated Orphan and Widow Sponsorship Programme

- Strengthen our governance and prepare for Gift Aid registration to increase donor value

- Build institutional partnerships forged at AidEx

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I sincerely thank



our donors, volunteers, partners and well-wishers. Your trust is our biggest asset. You have proven that a small charity from London can bring relief to thousands miles away.

May Allah accept your charity, protect those we serve, and make our efforts Sadaqah Jariyah.

Jazakum Allahu Khairan.

Jonaid Bhuiyan

Chairman, Poverty Relief

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LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Limited by guarantee from10th December 2020

Registered as charity February 2023

Registered Charity Number:

1201822 (England and Wales)

Registered Office:

9B Whitta Road London,
E12 5BX, United Kingdom

Website:

www.povertyrelief.co.uk

Trustees and Directors:

Md Jonaid Bhuiyan	Chair
Shariful Islam	Secretary
Bachir Seydou Siddo	Treasurer

Bank Details:

Account name: Poverty Relief

Sort code: 309596

Account Number: 30956560





ABOUT US

Poverty Relief

Poverty Relief is dedicated to providing emergency humanitarian aid, poverty relief and long- term development support to some of the world's most impoverished and deprived communities. Our mission is to alleviate suffering, protect vulnerable people and help families build a better, more secure future.

Through our charitable initiatives, we aim to support people affected by poverty, conflict, natural disasters and other humanitarian crises across Asia, Africa, Europe and the Middle East.

With the generosity and commitment of our donors and supporters, Poverty Relief strives to deliver essential aid to those who need it most, regardless of race, religion or political background.

We believe that effective charity goes beyond providing immediate relief. While responding quickly to emergencies is vital, we are equally committed to empowering individuals and communities to become self-reliant. Through a range of short-term relief efforts and long-term development programmes, we work to provide food, clean water, shelter, healthcare and sustainable livelihood opportunities to help create lasting positive change.

Together, we can relieve suffering, restore hope and build a brighter future for vulnerable communities around the world.



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VISION, MISSION, VALUES

VISION

At Poverty Relief , we are committed to upholding our core values, maintaining transparency, and delivering humanitarian aid with dignity, compassion and integrity.

We envision a world free from poverty, where peace, equality and opportunity are accessible to all, and every individual can live with dignity and fulfil their full potential.

MISSION

Guided by our values of compassion, humanity and social responsibility, Poverty Relief works with communities and partners worldwide to:

Deliver immediate assistance during emergencies and disasters while strengthening local communities to prepare for and recover from future crises.

Promote education, develop essential skills and create opportunities for individuals and communities to build a better future.

Support disadvantaged and marginalised people in developing sustainable livelihoods and securing a brighter future for their families.

Help people become self-reliant by creating sustainable opportunities and reducing long-term dependence on charitable aid.



VALUES

As a charity dedicated to poverty relief and humanitarian support, we are guided by the principles of compassion, dignity, fairness and social responsibility. Our core values shape everything we do.

• Commitment to Excellence

We strive for excellence in every aspect of our work, ensuring our support reaches those in need effectively and makes a meaningful difference.

• Working Together

We believe in the power of collaboration. By working together with our team, partners, donors and communities, we can reach more people and create a greater impact.

• Building a Better Future

We continuously improve our services and develop sustainable solutions that respond to the changing needs of vulnerable individuals and communities.

• Earning Trust

We build lasting relationships through transparency, accountability and responsible use of donations, ensuring our supporters can trust the work we deliver.

• Respecting Everyone

We treat every individual with dignity, compassion and fairness, regardless of their background, race, gender, religion or circumstances. We listen to the communities we serve and recognise their voices, needs and aspirations.



• Integrity in Everything We Do

We uphold the highest standards of honesty, ethics and accountability. We are committed to responsible practices, legal compliance and maintaining the confidence of our donors, partners, staff and beneficiaries.

• Dedication and Commitment

Our dedicated team works with passion, professionalism and a strong sense of responsibility to deliver effective humanitarian assistance and meaningful poverty relief.

• Quality and Sustainable Impact

We aim to deliver high-quality support that addresses both immediate needs and the underlying causes of poverty. Through sustainable projects and long-term solutions, we empower communities to become more resilient and build a brighter future.

GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY

The Charity is overseen by a Board of Trustees responsible for its strategic direction, governance and compliance with its governing documents and charitable objectives.

The management team is responsible for delivering the Charity's programmes, projects and daily operations, ensuring resources are used effectively and activities remain aligned with its mission and vision.

A clear organisational structure supports effective communication, coordination and accountability across all departments. Regular reviews and reporting help monitor performance, assess progress and support informed decision-making.

The Charity maintains appropriate policies and procedures covering financial management, data protection, staff development, performance monitoring and complaints handling, with regular reviews to promote continuous improvement.

The Trustees ensure that all statutory and regulatory obligations are fulfilled, including timely reporting to the Charity Commission, HMRC and other relevant authorities.



"Strong governance, transparency and accountability drive effective management and continuous improvement."



OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

We are committed to tackling poverty, reducing inequality and improving the lives of vulnerable individuals and families. Through responsible use of resources, transparent practices and sustainable development, we aim to address the root causes of poverty and create opportunities for communities to build better futures.

Our key priorities include:
- Strengthening leadership, governance and organisational accountability.
- Improving operational systems to maximise the impact of charitable resources.
- Expanding poverty relief initiatives to reach underserved and vulnerable communities.
- Prioritising programmes that address food insecurity, homelessness and financial hardship.
- Providing timely assistance to communities affected by emergencies and humanitarian crises.
- Ensuring transparency and accountability to donors, beneficiaries and partners.
- Building meaningful partnerships with organisations committed to poverty alleviation.
- Supporting access to education, healthcare, clean water and essential services.
- Promoting skills development, livelihood opportunities and financial independence.
- Encouraging sustainable, community-led initiatives that reduce long-term dependency on aid.
- Supporting environmental sustainability and climate resilience in vulnerable communities.
- Working collaboratively with local organisations to strengthen their capacity and extend the reach of poverty relief efforts.





EMERGENCY RESPONSE

The disaster left many families without shelter, food, clean water and essential healthcare.

When disasters strike, Poverty Relief is committed to providing timely humanitarian assistance to people affected by natural disasters and conflicts. Our emergency response focuses on saving lives, meeting urgent needs and helping affected communities rebuild their lives. Alongside immediate relief, we support long-term recovery through sustainable solutions that strengthen resilience and restore hope.

The disaster left many families without shelter, food, clean water and essential healthcare.

In response, Poverty Relief aims to support vulnerable communities through emergency food assistance, temporary shelter, medical care, hygiene supplies and other essential services. By working to meet immediate needs and support recovery, we strive to help affected families regain stability, rebuild their lives and move towards a more secure future.



Bangladesh – Flood Emergency Relief

Poverty Relief is committed to supporting vulnerable refugees and host communities in southern Bangladesh by helping address urgent humanitarian needs and providing essential emergency assistance.

In August 2024, devastating floods struck Feni district in Bangladesh, leaving thousands of families severely affected and causing widespread damage to homes, livelihoods and essential infrastructure. In response to this emergency, our charity extended vital humanitarian assistance to affected communities, providing essential food supplies and emergency relief to families who had lost access to basic necessities. Our support aimed to ease their suffering, meet urgent needs and help vulnerable families begin rebuilding their lives. Through the generosity of our donors and the dedication of our relief teams, we stood alongside the flood-affected communities of Feni during this difficult time, bringing hope, compassion and practical support when it was needed most.

Through compassionate humanitarian action, Poverty Relief aims to help vulnerable families access essential services, recover from emergencies and rebuild their lives with dignity and hope.

POVERTY RELIEF AIMS TO HELP VULNERABLE FAMILIES ACCESS ESSENTIAL SERVICES





WATER

Water is essential for life, health and human dignity. Poverty Relief is committed to helping vulnerable communities access clean and safe drinking water, adequate sanitation and essential hygiene facilities.

We believe that everyone deserves access to safe water, regardless of their circumstances. Our efforts aim to reduce the barriers that prevent disadvantaged communities from accessing this basic necessity, helping families protect their health and improve their quality of life.

Our commitment goes beyond providing immediate access to water. Through sustainable water and sanitation initiatives, we aim to support healthier communities, improve educational opportunities and strengthen long-term resilience.

Our vision is a world where every community has access to clean water, safe sanitation and the opportunity to live a healthier, more dignified life.





MOSQUE CONSTRUCTION

At Poverty Relief, we recognise that mosques are more than places of worship. They are the heart of Muslim communities, providing spaces for prayer, Islamic education, community gatherings and family connection.

We aim to support the construction and development of mosques in underserved communities around the world, helping Muslims access safe and welcoming spaces to practise their faith, learn Islamic teachings and strengthen community bonds.

Through mosque development initiatives, we aspire to create lasting places of worship that nurture faith, promote unity and serve the needs of future generations.

Our vision is to help build mosques that become lasting centres of faith, learning and community, bringing people together and strengthening Muslim communities for generations to come.



Our faith-based approach encourages us to serve those in need, alleviate suffering and promote charitable giving in accordance with Islamic teachings.



SEASONAL AID

At Poverty Relief, our work is guided by the principles of compassion, generosity, justice and service to humanity. These values inspire our commitment to supporting vulnerable individuals and families while treating everyone with dignity and respect.

Our faith-based approach encourages us to serve those in need, alleviate suffering and promote charitable giving in accordance with Islamic teachings. Through our humanitarian and poverty relief initiatives, we aim to empower disadvantaged communities, provide essential support and create opportunities for a better future.

We believe that charity is not only about meeting immediate needs but also about restoring hope, protecting dignity and building stronger communities. By putting Islamic values into action, Poverty Relief strives to make a lasting, positive difference in the lives of people facing hardship.

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EID GIFT

Eid Gifts for Orphans and Vulnerable Children
As Ramadan comes to an end, Poverty Relief aims to spread joy, love and kindness by providing Eid gifts to orphans and children from disadvantaged families. This initiative helps children feel valued, included and part of the joyful Eid celebrations.

Through our Eid Gift Appeal, we strive to bring smiles to young faces, ease the challenges faced by vulnerable families and ensure that every child has the opportunity to experience the happiness of Eid. By sharing gifts and creating special moments, we aim to nurture a sense of belonging, hope and happiness among children in need.

Our mission is simple: to make Eid brighter for every child, because every child deserves to feel loved, remembered and included.



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Shelter and Housing for Vulnerable Communities

At Poverty Relief, we believe everyone deserves a safe, secure and dignified place to call home. We are committed to supporting vulnerable families and communities affected by poverty, natural disasters, conflict and displacement by helping them access safe shelter.

Our work aims to provide more than just a roof overhead. We strive to create secure living environments where individuals and families can regain stability, protect their loved ones and begin rebuilding their lives with dignity and hope.

By working towards sustainable shelter solutions and collaborating with communities and local partners, we aim to address immediate housing needs while supporting long-term recovery and resilience.

Our vision is a world where every family has access to safe shelter, a place to rebuild their lives and the opportunity to look forward to a brighter future.



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FINANCIAL REVIEW

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

Review of the Financial Position:

The Statements of Financial Activities shows a surplus of £10,968 this year (2024: deficit of £1,531) with total funds of £10,475 (2024: £-493) as at 31 December 2025. The Board of Trustees have assessed cautiously cash flow from 12 months of the signing date of Accounts and confident of the charity's Going Concern operation.

Reserves Policy:

The Trustees believe that it is essential that the Trust maintains sufficient reserves to allow it to continue its work through difficult economic times, to allow flexibility for cash flow requirements in respect of its' continuing operations as well as providing resources in the event of any significant and unexpected expenditure. The Trustees have set a target of six months' expenditure i.e. £20K as a prudent level of reserves. Currently the reserve is below the target and trustees are working towards its target level and the reserve policy is under regular review.

Declarations:

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

Signed on behalf of the charity & trustees:



Md Jonaid Bhuiyan

Chairman, Poverty Relief

Date: 30 October 2026

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS TO DIRECTORS/TRUSTEES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

I report on the accounts of the company for the year ended 31 December 2025 which are set out on pages 19 to 25.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The trustees (who are also the directors of the company for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed. The charity's gross income is below £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of ACCA.

Having satisfied me that the charity is not subject to audit under company law and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- State whether particular matters have come to my attention.

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The basis of 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

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

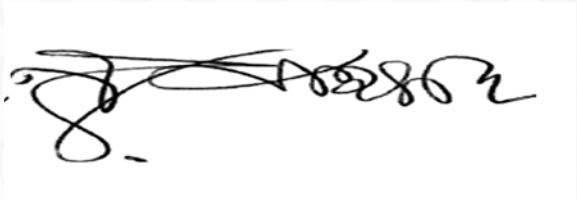
In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

1 which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements:

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006; and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities

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.



Nur Ahmed Chowdhury FCCA
Abacus Partners (Ldn) LLP,
Unit A, Abbotts Wharf,
93 Stainsby Road
London, E14 6JL.

Date: 30 October 2026

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

		Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	Total
				2025	2024
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE	Notes	£	£	£	£
INCOMING RESOURCES					
General Donations		17,479		17,479	5,082
Activities for generating fund	2	-	50,599	50,599	16,330
TOTAL INCOME		**17,479**	**50,599**	**68,078**	**21,412**
RESOURCES EXPENDED					
Direct Charitable:					
Charity Projects	3		30,926	30,926	16,986
Volunteer expenses		274		274	1,157
Website management		235		235	3,150
Fundraising cost		-	24,457	24,457	875
		509	55,383	55,892	22,168
Support and Governance:					
Bank Charges		113	0	113	248
General expenses		455		455	77
Accountancy		650		650	450
		1,218	0	1,218	775
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		**1,727**	**55,383**	**57,110**	**22,943**
NET SURPLUS / DEFICIT FOR THE YEAR		**15,752**	**-4,784**	**10,968**	**-1,531**
Funds as at 01 January 2025		-493		-493	1,038
Funds as at 31 December 2025		**15,259**	**-4,784**	**10,475**	**-493**

The notes of pages 24-25 form part of these accounts.

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Notes	2025 £	2025 £	2024 £	2024 £
FIXED ASSETS:					
Fixed assets			-		-
			-		-
CURRENT ASSETS:					
Debtors and Prepayments		0		-	
Cash at Bank and in Hand		11,875		257	
		11,875		257	
CREDITORS:					
Amount falling due within one year	4	1,400		750	
NET CURRENT ASSETS:			10,475		-493
Total Assets Less Current Liabilities			**10,475**		-493
FUNDS:					
Restricted funds			- 4,784		-
Unrestricted funds			15,259		-493
TOTAL FUNDS			**10,475**		-493

Audit Exemption Statement

For the year ending 31 December 2025, the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

These accounts (pages 22-23) were approved by the Board of Trustees / Directors on 29 October 2026.

Md Jonaid Bhuiyan
Chairman, Poverty Relief

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

1 Accounting Policies

1.1 The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities published on 16/07/14, the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2015) and the Companies Act 2006. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated.

1.2 Incoming resources represents the total income receivable during the year comprising donations including any Gift Aid, investment income, grants, bank interest, and income from donated items.

1.3 Unrestricted funds are comprised of general donations, and accumulated surpluses and deficits on general funds. They are available for use at the discretion of the trustees (directors) in furtherance of the general charitable objectives.

1.4 Restricted funds are funds that are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imposed by the donors, or which have been raised by the charity for a specific purpose. The cost of raising and administrating such funds is charged against the specific fund.

1.5 Resources expended are included in the statement of financial activities on an accruals basis. Expenditure, which is directly attributable to specific activities, has been included in these categories.

1.6 The charitable company's policy is to write off small capital expenditure in the year of purchase.

2 Activities for generating fund

	2025	2024
	£	£
Food & Water project	31,075	7,888
Building project	17,122	8,441
Health wellbing	2,402	-
	50,599	16,329

3 Charity Projects

	2025	2024
	£	£
Food & Water project	34,744	8,567
Building project	18,139	8,419
Health wellbing	2,500	-
	55,383	16,986

Creditors	2025	2024
	£	£
Accruals and others	1,400	750
	1,400	750

Taxation

The company, as a registred charity, is exempt from corporation tax. VAT, where paid, is charged to the statement of financial activities.

Trustees / Directors Remuneration

None of the Trustees were remunerated and no reimbursement of expenses to declare.

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