

Charity number: 1202079

(England and Wales)

ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION

Report of the Trustees and Unaudited Financial Statements

For the year ended 31 March 2025

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ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Report of the Trustees
For the year ended 31 March 2025

The Trustees, who are also directors for the purposes of company law, have pleasure in presenting their report and the financial statements for the charitable company for the year ended 31 March 2025. The Trustees have adopted the provisions of Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The trustees have considered the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit, including the guidance 'public benefit: running a charity (PB2)'.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Name of Charity	ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Charity registration number	1202079
Principal address	PO Box 18527 Birmingham B25 9NW

Trustees

The trustees and officers serving during the year and since the year end were as follows:

SADIK MIAH
ZINZAR BAJEE LAFIR
MD RASHID

Independent examiners

Sigma Chartered Accountants
862-864 Washwood Heath Road
Washwood Heath
Birmingham
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Approved by the Board of Trustees and signed on its behalf by



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SADIK MIAH

11 December 2025

ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Independent Examiners Report to the Trustees
For the year ended 31 March 2025

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the charitable company for the year ended 31 March 2025.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity Trustees, who are also directors for the purposes of company law, are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act').

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the Company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of your charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiners 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 Company as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair view' which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination; or
4. the accounts have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

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.



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Jawaid Yakoob FCA (8462707)

Sigma Chartered Accountants
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Birmingham
B8 2NG

11 December 2025

ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Statement of Financial Activities (including Income and Expenditure Account)
For the year ended 31 March 2025

	Notes	Unrestricted funds	2024
		£	£
Income and endowments from:			
Donations and legacies	2	14,578	23,107
Total		14,578	23,107
Expenditure on:			
Charitable activities	3/4	(4,629)	(3,962)
Total		(4,629)	(3,962)
Net income		9,949	19,145
Reconciliation of funds			
Total funds brought forward		19,145	-
Total funds carried forward		29,094	19,145

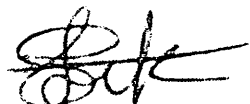
ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Statement of Financial Position
As at 31 March 2025

	Notes	2025 £	2024 £
Current assets			
Cash at bank and in hand		29,494	19,545
		29,494	19,545
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	9	(400)	(400)
Net current assets		29,094	19,145
Total assets less current liabilities		29,094	19,145
Net assets		29,094	19,145
The funds of the charity			
Unrestricted income funds	10	29,094	19,145
Total funds		29,094	19,145

For the year ended 31 March 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 trustees 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.

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board and signed on its behalf by:



SADIK MIAH
Trustee

11 December 2025

ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Notes to the Financial Statements
For the year ended 31 March 2025

1. Accounting Policies

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for investments which are included at market value and the revaluation of certain fixed assets and in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102), and the Companies Act 2006.

ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy note(s).

2. Income from donations and legacies

	2025	2024
	£	£
Unrestricted funds		
Donations received	14,578	23,107
	14,578	23,107

3. Costs of charitable activities by fund type

	2025	2024
	£	£
Unrestricted funds		
Support costs	4,629	3,962

4. Costs of charitable activities by activity type

	2025	2024
	£	£
Activity 1	4,629	3,962

5. Analysis of support costs

	2025	2024
	£	£
Governance costs	4,629	3,962

ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Notes to the Financial Statements Continued
For the year ended 31 March 2025

6. Net income/(expenditure) for the year

This is stated after charging/(crediting):

	2025	2024
	£	£
Accountancy fees	400	400

7. Particulars of employees

	2025	2024
	£	£
Employees	0	0
	0	0

8. Comparative for the Statement of Financial Activities

The comparative year values on the Statement of Financial Activities are for unrestricted funds.

9. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2025	2024
	£	£
Other creditors	400	400
	400	400

10. Movement in funds

Unrestricted Funds

	Balance at 01/04/2024	Incoming resources	Outgoing resources	Balance at 31/03/2025
	£	£	£	£
<i>General</i>				
General	19,145	14,578	(4,629)	29,094
	19,145	14,578	(4,629)	29,094

ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Notes to the Financial Statements Continued
For the year ended 31 March 2025

Unrestricted Funds - Previous year

	Balance at 24/02/2023 £	Incoming resources £	Outgoing resources £	Balance at 31/03/2024 £
<i>General</i>				
General	-	23,107	(3,962)	19,145
	-	23,107	(3,962)	19,145

11. Analysis of net assets between funds

	Net current assets / (liabilities) £	Net Assets £
Unrestricted funds		
<i>General</i>		
General	29,094	29,094
	29,094	29,094
Previous year		
	Net current assets / (liabilities) £	Net Assets £
Unrestricted funds		
<i>General</i>		
General	19,145	19,145
	19,145	19,145

ISLAM AWARENESS FOUNDATION
Detailed Statement of Financial Activities
For the year ended 31 March 2025

	2025	2024
	£	£
INCOME AND ENDOWMENT		
Donations and legacies		
Donations	14,578	23,107
	14,578	23,107
Total incoming resources	14,578	23,107
SUPPORT COSTS		
Governance costs		
Governance costs	(4,629)	(3,962)
	(4,629)	(3,962)
Total resources expended	(4,629)	(3,962)
Net Income	9,949	19,145

TRUSTEES' REPORT

FOR THE PERIOD 01 APRIL 2024 TO 31 MARCH 2025

Aims, objectives and activities

Aims, objectives and intended impact

The Charity is established for the following purposes:

- To advance the religion of Islam in order to promote understanding and address misconceptions;
- To provide support to individuals and families in need, thereby promoting social inclusion and community cohesion; and
- To foster good relations between people of different backgrounds through education, dialogue and community engagement.

Objects

- 1) To advance the religion of Islam by means of, but not exclusively, the provision of facilities and publications for Islamic education and the propagation of Islam in accordance with the teachings of the Qur'an and the Sunnah of the Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him), as interpreted by the Ahle Sunnah wal Jamaa school of thought.
 - 2) To relieve financial hardship among people in need by means of, but not exclusively, making grants for providing or paying for items, equipment, services and facilities, including the provision of food and other necessities for the benefit of such persons.
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Public benefit statement

In setting the Charity's aims and planning its activities for the period, the Trustees have given careful consideration to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit. The Trustees confirm that the activities undertaken during the year were carried out in furtherance of the Charity's charitable objects and for the benefit of the public.

The Trustees believe that:

- The Charity's aims are exclusively charitable;
- The activities undertaken provide clear and identifiable benefits to the public;
- Access to the Charity's services and activities is not unreasonably restricted; and

- Any private benefit arising is incidental and proportionate to the achievement of the Charity's aims.
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Risk management

The Trustees are responsible for the identification and management of risks faced by the Charity. They regularly review the principal risks, including operational, financial and reputational risks, and have established systems and procedures to mitigate these risks.

The Charity's risk management process includes:

- Ongoing identification and assessment of significant risks;
- Review of existing controls and procedures to manage those risks; and
- Implementation of additional controls where necessary.

The Trustees consider that these measures provide reasonable assurance that risks are managed effectively.

Achievements and performance

During the period, the Charity continued to pursue its objectives through a programme of public education, outreach and community engagement activities. These activities were designed to increase understanding of Islam, challenge misinformation and promote positive relations within local communities.

The Charity maintained an active online presence through its website, social media platforms and a dedicated YouTube channel, enabling engagement with a wide audience across England and Wales. Regular public information stalls were held, supported by training and mentoring for Trustees, volunteers and new members of the community.

Public outreach stalls were organised in Birmingham on a weekly basis, as well as in other cities including Liverpool, Oxford and Cardiff. These stalls provided opportunities for open discussion and the distribution of educational materials.

A dedicated website (www.iaf.charity) continued to provide accessible information about the Charity's work and activities.

Community support and relief activities

Alongside its educational and outreach work, the Charity undertook practical support activities aimed at relieving hardship among individuals and families in need. These activities were carried out in furtherance of the Charity's objects to relieve financial hardship and promote community welfare.

During the period:

- The Charity donated funds to **Green Lane Masjid Food Bank**, supporting the provision of food and essential items to vulnerable individuals and families;
- **Food and bottled water distribution** took place on a regular basis in conjunction with the Charity's street da'wah stalls, ensuring immediate practical support for members of the public in need.

These activities complemented the Charity's public engagement work and contributed to meeting immediate community needs.

Governance, training and outreach development

The Trustees recognise the importance of good governance, effective volunteer management and continuous learning. During the period:

- Trustees and members of the volunteer management team **regularly participated in online Charity Commission training**, ensuring compliance with regulatory requirements and good governance practice;
- The Charity undertook **travel to various cities across England and Wales** to deliver awareness activities, engage with local communities and address misconceptions about Islam through dialogue and education.

These initiatives strengthened the Charity's governance framework and enhanced the effectiveness and reach of its charitable activities.

Activity summary for the period

For the period **01 April 2024 to 31 March 2025**, the Charity achieved the following:

- **Street stalls conducted:** 141
- **Qur'ans distributed:** 5,074
- **Total literature distributed:** 6,560

Qur'ans and literature were donated by partner organisations including IERA, Islamwise and IDCI, as well as purchased from other organizations and printed various leaflets. In addition, Qur'ans and literature were posted to individuals and organisations across the UK in response to public requests.

The Charity continued to ensure transparency and accountability in the management of funds, directing resources towards programmes that benefit the community.

Volunteers remained the backbone of our work. Alongside the Trustees, volunteers contributed significantly to the delivery and, in some cases, the funding of our activities.

In addition, during the period the Charity donated funds to **Green Lane Masjid Food Bank** in support of its work providing food and essential assistance to individuals and families experiencing hardship.

We extend our sincere gratitude to:

- Our donors and supporters, whose generosity has been essential;
- Our volunteers, who dedicated significant time and effort; and
- Partner organisations, for their collaboration in achieving shared objectives.

Financial review

Principal sources of funding

The Charity is funded primarily through voluntary donations from members of the public. Total voluntary income for the period amounted to £14,578 The Trustees exercised careful control over expenditure, which was monitored throughout the year to ensure funds were applied in furtherance of the Charity's objects.

Reserves policy

The Charity holds unrestricted funds derived from donations and charitable activities. These funds represent income earned but not yet utilised in support of charitable activities. As at 31 March 2025, the Charity held unrestricted and undesignated free reserves of £29,094 There were no restricted reserves at the year end.

Going concern

The Charity reported a cash inflow of £14,478 during the period and expects continued inflows in 2025–26. At the time of approving the financial statements, the Trustees have a reasonable expectation that the Charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, the financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

Future plans

In the coming year, the Charity aims to:

- Expand outreach programmes to reach a wider audience;
- Strengthen partnerships with local organisations to enhance impact;
- Continue addressing issues such as Islamophobia through targeted awareness campaigns; and
- Work towards establishing an Islamic centre, including a food bank, to support underprivileged individuals.

Developing sustainable fundraising opportunities remains an ongoing priority, and the Trustees are working to implement policies and strategies to balance income levels with operational needs.

Statement of Trustees' responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing financial statements for each financial year in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice). These statements must give a true and fair view of the Charity's state of affairs and of its incoming resources and application of resources for the year.

In preparing the financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

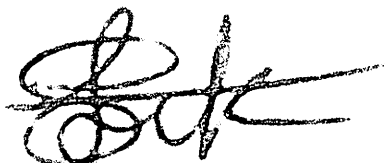
- Select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- State whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained; and
- Prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis, unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Charity will continue in operation.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that disclose, with reasonable accuracy, the financial position of the Charity and enable compliance with the Charities Act 2011, the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and other applicable legislation. They are also responsible for safeguarding the Charity's assets and for taking reasonable steps to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

Accounts preparation

The Trustees confirm that the accounts comply with current statutory requirements and with the governing document of the Charity.

This report was approved by the Trustees on **31 December 2025** and signed on their behalf by:



Sadik Miah
Trustee & Chair