

The Schmidt-Bodner Charitable Trust

Financial Statements

Year Ended 5 April 2023

Charity No: 283014

THE SCHMIDT-BODNER CHARITABLE TRUST

Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 5 April 2023

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Report of the Trustees for the year ended 5 April 2023

The Trustees present their report along with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 5 April 2023. The Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out on page 7 and comply with the charity's trust deed and applicable law.

Structure, Governance and Management

The Schmidt-Bodner Charitable Trust is constituted under a Trust Deed dated 1 July 1981 created by the settlor, Benno Schmidt-Bodner. It is a registered charity number 283014.

The Trustees who have served during the year and since the year end are set out on page 1. When there is a requirement for new Trustees, these would be identified and appointed by the remaining Trustees.

At the Annual Trustees' meeting, the Trustees agree the broad strategy and areas of activity for the Trust, including consideration of grant making, investment, reserves and risk management policies and performance.

Risk management

The Trustees have examined the major strategic, business and operational risks which the charity faces and confirm that systems have been established to enable regular reports to be produced so that such risks are continuously monitored and that appropriate steps can be taken to lessen these risks.

Objectives and Activities

The objects of the charity are to apply the income and capital of the trust for charitable purposes as the Trustees shall in their absolute discretion determine.

Grant making policy

All applications received are considered by the Trustees on their own merit for suitability of funding.

Public benefit

In meeting the objectives the Trustees have given careful consideration to the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit and judge that all donations made meet this guidance. All donations are listed in note 5 on page 8.

Achievements and Performance

The Trustees have continued to apply their funds in accordance with the objectives of the Trust and their grant making policy. Donations totalling £73,100 have been made in the year (2022: £88,000) and are detailed in note 5 of these Financial Statements.

Financial Review

The market value of the investment portfolio at 5 April 2023 was £1,877,272 (2022: £2,040,330).

Reserves policy

The Trustees' policy is to maintain their continuing level of support under the grant making policy that they have agreed. If income resources are insufficient to cover the grants then recourse is made to the other funds of the Trust. The Trustees do not consider that any minimum level of resources is required.

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Report of the Trustees for the year ended 5 April 2023 (continued)

Plans for the future

The Trustees intend to continue providing grants in a similar way to the recent past but retaining flexibility as to the timing, and scale of grant making.

Trustees' responsibilities in relation to the financial statements

Law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the charity's financial activities during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in operation.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations and the trust deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by the Trustees and signed on their behalf by:


Harvey Rosenblatt
Trustee

Date:

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Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees

We report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of The Schmidt-Bodner Charitable Trust for the year ended 5 April 2023.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the Act'). We report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out our examination we have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

We have completed our examination. We confirm that no material matters have come to our attention in connection with the examination giving us cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 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.

We 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.

Steve Hale FCA,FCCA, on behalf of

Perrys Audit Limited
Churchdown Chambers
Bordyke
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TN9 1NR

Date:

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Statement of Financial Activities for the year ended 5 April 2023

	Notes	2023 £	2022 £
Incoming Resources			
Investments	2	30,225	26,167
Total Incoming Resources		<u>30,225</u>	<u>26,167</u>
Resources Expended			
Charitable activities			
Cost of generating funds	3	2,818	3,319
Support costs	4	2,892	2,846
Donations payable	5	73,100	88,000
Total Resources Expended		<u>78,810</u>	<u>94,165</u>
Net Resources Expended		(48,585)	(67,998)
Other recognised gains/(losses)			
Realised gains in year on the sale of investments	6	-	171,476
Movement in unrealised valuation in the year	6	<u>(193,283)</u>	<u>134,528</u>
Net movement in funds		(241,868)	238,006
Total funds at 6 April 2022		<u>2,156,321</u>	<u>1,918,315</u>
Total funds at 5 April 2023		<u><u>1,914,453</u></u>	<u><u>2,156,321</u></u>

All funds are unrestricted and relate to continuing activities.

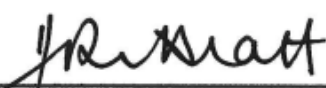
The notes on pages 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements

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Balance Sheet as at 5 April 2023

	Notes	2023	2022
		£	£
Fixed Assets			
Investments	6	1,877,272	2,040,330
Current Assets			
Cash at bank and in hand	7	40,061	121,187
Current Liabilities			
Creditors	8	(2,880)	(5,196)
Net Current Assets		37,181	115,991
Total Net Assets		1,914,453	2,156,321
Funds			
Unrestricted Funds		1,914,453	2,156,321

Approved by the Trustees and signed on their behalf by:



Harvey Rosenblatt
 Trustee

Date:

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 5 April 2023

1 Principal Accounting Policies

(a) Accounting Convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in preparing the financial statements the charity follows best practice as laid down in the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and comply with the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 issued under the Charities Act 2011.

(b) Donations, legacies and similar income

Donations, legacies and similar income are shown in the accounts when receivable and the value of the incoming resources can be measured with sufficient reliability.

(c) Investment income

Investment income is accounted for in the period in which the charity is entitled to receipt.

(d) Resources expended

Liabilities are recognised as resources expended as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to the expenditure. All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis.

(e) Costs of generating funds

Costs of generating funds comprise those costs directly attributable to managing the investment portfolio and raising investment income.

(f) Governance costs

Governance costs comprise costs relating to the general running of the charity as opposed to those associated with generating funds or charitable activity.

(g) Fixed asset investments

Investments are stated at closing market value at the balance sheet date. Any gains or losses on revaluation and disposal are shown in the Statement of Financial Activities.

(h) Going concern

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the ability to continue as a going concern.

2	Investment income	2023 £	2022 £
	Overseas Dividends	<u>30,225</u>	<u>26,167</u>
3	Cost of generating funds	2023 £	2022 £
	Investment managers fees	<u>2,818</u>	<u>3,319</u>

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4	Support costs		2023 £	2022 £
	Accountancy fees		2,364	2,330
	- prior year underprovision		12	-
	Independent examiner fees		516	516
			<u>2,892</u>	<u>2,846</u>
5	Donations payable	Registered Charity No.	2023 £	2022 £
	Bayis Sheli	1113631	10,000	-
	British Friends of Ohel Sarah	1004992	-	3,000
	British Friends of Or Chadash	1002594	8,000	5,000
	British Friend of Tzohar	1183591	-	3,000
	Chabad Hampstead Garden Suburb	1193647	10,000	-
	Chief Rabbinate Trust	1095878	-	10,000
	Community Security Trust	1042391	25,000	25,000
	Holocaust Educational Trust	1092892	10,000	10,000
	Jewish Leadership Council	1115343	1,800	-
	JW3 Development	1156248	-	5,000
	Lennox Childrens Cancer trust	1011325	500	-
	Magen David Adorn	1113409	-	3,000
	Menorah High School for Girls	1091510	1,000	-
	Noa Girls	1130834	5,000	-
	UK Friends of AWIS	1084272	1,800	-
	Weizmann UK Rosenblatt Mc	232666	-	5,000
	World Jewish Relief	290767	-	19,000
			<u>73,100</u>	<u>88,000</u>

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6 Investments	2023		2022	
	£	£	£	£
Market value at 6 April 2022		2,040,330		1,918,105
Acquisition cost in the year	30,225		18,161	
Proceeds from disposals in the year	<u>-</u>	30,225	<u>(201,940)</u>	(183,779)
Realised gains / (losses) on disposals	-		171,476	
Movement in unrealised valuation	<u>(193,283)</u>	(193,283)	<u>134,528</u>	306,004
Market value at 5 April 2023		<u>1,877,272</u>		<u>2,040,330</u>
Cost at 5 April 2023		<u>173,737</u>		<u>143,512</u>
7 Cash at bank and in hand	2023		2022	
	£		£	
Barclays Private Bank Account		40,061		121,186
Barclays Wealth Savings Account		<u>-</u>		<u>1</u>
		<u>40,061</u>		<u>121,187</u>
8 Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	2023		2022	
	£		£	
Accountancy Fees		2,364		4,680
Independent Examiners fees		<u>516</u>		<u>516</u>
		<u>2,880</u>		<u>5,196</u>

9 Related Party Transactions

Martin David Paisner CBE is a Partner of Paynes Hick Beach. This firm provided, and continues to provide, legal services for the Trustees. No fees were paid to the firm during the year to 5 April 2023.

Daniel Isaac Dover is a Partner of BDO LLP. This firm provided, and continues to provide, accountancy services for the Trustees. The total fees invoiced by the firm during the year to 5 April 2023 were £2,364 (2022 - £2,330). At the year end there are fees due to BDO LLP of £2,364 currently shown in the creditors balance.

No Trustee received any remuneration, received any benefits, or was reimbursed for expenses during either

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Appendix

Schedule of Investments

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Schedule of Investments for the year ended 5 April 2023

		Opening Balances			Acquisitions		Disposals			Closing				
		Units	Cost £	Value £	Units	Cost £	Units	Proceeds £	Cost £	Profit/Loss £	Units	Cost £	Value £	Income £
Experian Group Ltd														
Ordinary US\$0.10 shares														
06-Apr-22	b/fwd	69,000	143,512	2,040,330										
22-Jul-22	Dividend reinvestment				714	20,528								
03-Feb-23	Dividend reinvestment				306	9,697								
05-Apr-23	c/fwd										70,020	173,737	1,877,272	30,225
			<u>143,512</u>	<u>2,040,330</u>		<u>30,225</u>		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>		<u>173,737</u>	<u>1,877,272</u>	<u>30,225</u>