# GREATER LONDON FUND FOR THE BLIND TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2017

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## **GREATER LONDON FUND FOR THE BLIND**

#### TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED

#### (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

# **REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS'**

The directors present their report and the Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2017.

#### Principal activity

The company's principal activity continues to be that of property holding as trustee on behalf of the Greater London Fund for the Blind.

The company did not trade during the year ended 31 March 2017 and accordingly no Revenue Account has been prepared.

#### **Directors**

The directors who served during the year were as follows:-

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#### Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Report of the Directors and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

# Statement as to disclosure of information to Auditors

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the company's auditors are unaware, and the directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

#### Auditors

The auditors, Wilkins Kennedy LLP, will be proposed for re-appointment at the Annual General Meeting.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

# TO THE MEMBERS OF GREATER LONDON FUND FOR THE BLIND TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Greater London Fund for the Blind Trustee Company Limited for the year ended 31 March 2017 on page three. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in a Report of the Auditors and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

# Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities set out on page one, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

#### Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Report of the Directors to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

# Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 March 2017 and of its profit for the year then ended:
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

# Opinion on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit,

- the information given in the Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the financial statements
- are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the Report of the Directors has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

# **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

# TO THE MEMBERS OF GREATER LONDON FUND FOR THE BLIND TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED

# Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the directors' report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- the members were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemption from the requirement to prepare a Strategic Report or in preparing the Report of the Directors.

J Howard (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of Wilkins Kennedy LLP

Statutory Auditor

**Chartered Accountants** 

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Date: 11 December 2017

# **GREATER LONDON FUND FOR THE BLIND**

# TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED

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# **BALANCE SHEET AT 31 MARCH 2017**

Company Number: 00243457

	2017 £	2016 £
ASSETS	Nil	Nil
CAPITAL - MEMBERS' LIABILITY limited by guarantee not exceeding £1 per member		
in respect of each 14 members	Nil	Nil

The company has not traded during the year and therefore no Revenue Account has been produced.

Approved on 05/12/17

and signed on behalf of the Board by:

## **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

# 1. ACCOUNTING POLICES

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provision of Section 1A "Small Entities" of Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" and the Companies Act 206. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

## 2. ACTIVITY

The company acts as nominee for The Greater London Fund for the Blind, a registered charity No. 1074958, in the holding of property and other assets, which are incorporated in the financial statements of the charity. Accordingly, no assets or trading activity are reflected in these financial statements.