Report of the Trustees and Financial Statements for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> July 2006 for OCN East Midlands Region (OCNEMR)



### Report and Financial Statements 2006

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#### Legal and Administrative Information

TRUSTEES:

VA Barry (resigned 10.02.06)

DD Bray

M L Cooper (appointed Chair 27.09.06)

P Derges P Edwards P Harwood K Ives S Lapworth

PS Lodge (resigned 10.02.06)

SD Muldowney

JA Mulhearn (resigned 10.02.06)

PC Riley LS Wyatt

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE:** 

MG Lloyd

SECRETARY:

D Avery

REGISTERED OFFICE:

Unit G

Long Eaton Trade Centre 52-56 Nottingham Road

Long Eaton Nottingham NG10 2AU

**AUDITORS:** 

Clayton & Brewill

Chartered Accountants

Wilne House 10 Salisbury Street Long Eaton Nottingham NG10 1BA

**BANKERS:** 

National Westminster Bank PLC

51 Market Place Long Eaton Nottingham NG10 1JP

INVESTMENT POWERS & RESTRICTIONS:

The Trustees powers of investment are subject to

the restrictions imposed by the Trustees Act 1925

and the Trustee Investments Act 1961

(OCNEMR)

## Charity registration number: 5038056 Report of the trustees for the year ended 31st July 2006

The trustees, who are also directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act, submit their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31st July 2006. The trustees have adopted the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" revised in 2005 in preparing the annual report and financial statements of the charity.

The charity is a charitable company limited by guarantee and was set up on 9<sup>th</sup> February 2004. It is governed by a memorandum and articles of association and a constitution.

OCNEMR operates under licence to the National Open College Network (NOCN) and the Quality Assurance Agency (QAA).

#### Appointment of trustees, induction and training

The number of trustees shall be not less that five but not be more than fifteen, with at least one representative drawn from the members of the charity being from the compulsory education sector, one from the post-compulsory sector and one from the higher education sector. Retirement of trustees will operate on rotation basis as laid down in Clause 29 of the Articles of Association. An announcement is made at the AGM of retiring trustees and an invite to nominate trustees for election is circulated. Representation from regional authorities is encouraged. Prospective trustees meet with the Chief Executive Officer to discuss the purpose and functions of the board and those who can demonstrate they meet the selection criteria are invited to apply for membership and are invited to attend a board meeting to observe proceedings. The election for appointing trustees is the responsibility of the board of trustees.

The board undertakes an annual self assessment exercise which identifies possible training requirements; a national training programme on governance issues is currently being developed by the N/OCN network and this will be made available to members of the board. Any other training requirements will be dealt with locally. Trustees are encouraged to attend appropriate external training events where these will facilitate the undertaking of their role.

#### Organisation

The board of trustees, which can have up to 15 members, administers the charity. The board meets quarterly and there are sub-committees covering Staffing, Quality and Access to Higher Education. A Chief Executive is appointed by the trustees to manage day to day operations of the charity. To facilitate effective operations, the Chief Executive has delegated authority, within terms of delegation approved by the trustees, for operational matters including finance and employment.

#### Risk Management

The trustees have a risk management strategy which comprises:

- · an annual review of the risks the charity may face;
- the establishment of systems and procedures to mitigate those risks identified in the plan;
   and
- the implementation of procedures designed to minimise any potential impact on the charity should those risks materialise.

The work has identified that of the residual risk the majority of risks are low risk, with around 5 medium risks and no high risks. The trustees discussed the 5 medium areas and stated that no further action is required and that the ongoing process of identifying and monitoring risk should highlight new risks or changes to current risks.

#### Objectives and activities

The objects of the charity are to provide a locally accessible and flexible accreditation service across the East Midlands which help to widen access to education and training for all learners, particularly those who have benefited least in the past from available provision. OCNEMR seeks to promote equality of opportunity and improve the quality, flexibility and responsiveness of learning opportunities to enable learners to progress into, through and across the framework of national qualifications.

The strategies employed to achieve the charity's objectives are to:-

- 1. Establish OCNEMR as a more independent organisation with a viable Business Plan and sound cash reserves.
- 2. Comply with all licensing requirements of NOCN and QAA.
- 3. Provide the highest quality operation possible to both external providers and to staff employed.
- 4. Address the Lifelong Learning agenda in a strategic way so as to promote and encourage the use of OCN for Widening Participation and diversity and to maximise financial opportunities for OCNEMR.
- 5. Establish and implement effective marketing and communication policies.
- 6. Support the development and implementation of a national credit and qualifications framework.
- 7. Further develop the Access provision in the Region.

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In serving the aims and objectives, this year OCNEMR has:

- Registered 47,226 learners
- Awarded 390,003 10 hour credits
- Achieved a full licence from NOCN with no specific conditions in December 2005
- Successfully applied to QAA for a new regional AVA licence to run from September 2006
- Fully participated as an OCN in the N/OCN matrix model
- Implemented and operated Centre approval across the region
- · Appointed Quality Reviewers to support the Centre Approval and Accreditation process
- Strengthened the Board of Trustees with representation from Aim Higher, NIACE and Rolls Royce
- Adopted the nationally agreed vision, mission and values statements
- Continued with the present lease on premises and rented additional storage space
- Agreed a new Complaints and Appeals procedure
- Planned for the introduction of Access to Higher Education Diplomas
- Implemented and operated a payroll service for OCN's
- Sent out two East Midlands newsletters and held networking events across the region
- Developed regional programmes in the following areas: Access to Recreation, Tourism and Leisure and Access to Counselling

#### **Financial Results**

There was an excess of income over expenditure for the year of £179,295.

#### Donations

Charitable donations were made during the year totalling £700. £450 was donated to East Midlands Adult Learners Awards.

#### **Investment Powers and Policy**

Under the Memorandum and Articles of Association, the charity has the power to invest in any way the trustees wish.

The trustees have operated a policy of keeping available funds in an interest bearing deposit account and seek to achieve a beneficial rate of deposit interest.

#### **Reserves Policy**

The Charity has total unrestricted reserves at the 31st July 2006 of £849,308.

The reserves policy is to secure cash reserves sufficient to meet 6 months expenditure.

#### **Future Developments**

To actively support and promote the Framework Test and Trial and the Foundation Learning tier projects To support N/OCN 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary year

Implement an agreed 3 year ICT strategy partnership with the external ICT supplier, in order for N/OCN to remain competitive and responsive to the Framework development.

To investigate the possibilities of new premises for the OCN

#### Trustees responsibilities in relation to the financial statements

Company law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements that give a true and a fair view of the state of affairs of the charity at the end of the financial year and of its surplus or deficit for the financial year. In doing so the trustees are required to:

- Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- Make sound judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and
- Prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is appropriate to presume that the charity will
  continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for maintaining proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enables them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. The trustees 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.

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In accordance with company law, as the company's directors, we certify that:

- so far as we are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware;
- as the directors of the company we have taken all the steps that we ought to have taken in order to make ourselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the charity's auditors are aware of that information.

#### **Auditors**

A resolution will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting that Clayton & Brewill be re-appointed as auditors to the charity for the ensuing year.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities (issued in March 2005) and in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small entities.

This report was approved on 27 1000. by the directors/trustees and signed on its behalf by:

ML **co**oper Trustee

#### **Independent Auditors' Report to the Trustees**

We have audited the financial statements of the Open College Network East Midlands Region for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> July 2006 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, the Balance Sheet and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein, and the requirements of the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities.

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's trustees those matters we are prepared to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### Respective responsibilities of trustees and auditors

As described in the Statement of Trustees' Responsibilities, the trustees (who are also the directors of the Open College Network East Midlands Region for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland).

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the Trustees Annual Report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the charity has not kept proper accounting records or if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding trustees' remuneration and transactions is not disclosed.

We read the Trustees Annual Report and we consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

#### Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Auditing Standards of Auditing (UK and Ireland issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the trustees in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the charity's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

#### Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities, of the state of the charity's affairs as at 31<sup>st</sup> July 2006 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, in the year then ended and,
- and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Clayton & Brewill Registered Auditors and Chartered Accountants Wilne House 10 Salisbury Street Long Eaton Nottingham NG10 1BA

Dated:

## Statement of Financial Activities year ended 31st July 2006

	Notes	Unrestricted funds	Unrestricted funds
INCOMING RESOURCES		2006	2005
Incoming resources from charitable activities		1,276,412	952,566
Investment income		13,014	<u>7,066</u>
TOTAL INCOMING RESOURCES	2	<u>1289,426</u>	<u>959,632</u>
RESOURCES EXPENDED			
Cost of generating funds			
Charitable activities	2	562,931	306,731
Management and administration	2	<u>547,956</u>	<u>287,293</u>
TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED		1,110,887	<u>594,024</u>
		178,539	365,608
Over provision of tax		756	
NET INCOMING RESOURCES BEFORE TRANSFERS		179,295	365,608
Transfer of assets and liabilities from OCNSEM	6	133,628	-
Transfer of monies from previous entity		-	170,777
Fund balance at 1 <sup>st</sup> August 2005	11	<u>536,385</u>	<del>-</del>
Fund balance at 31st July 2006		849,308	<u>536,385</u>

All the above results are derived from continuing activities. All recognised gains and losses in the year are included above.

### OCN East Midlands Region (OCNEMR) Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> July 2006

	Notes	2006 £	2005 £
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets	6	<u>6,029</u>	<u>3,396</u>
CURRENT ASSETS Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	7 8	334,908 <u>573,726</u>	287,857 339,181
		908,634	627,038
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	9	<u>65,355</u>	94,049
CURRENT ASSETS		843,279	<u>532,989</u>
NET ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		849,308	<u>536,385</u>
FUNDS Unrestricted funds	11	<u>849,308</u>	<u>536,385</u>

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

These financial statements on pages 6 to 7 were approved by the trustees and signed on the behalf of the Trustees by:

ML **c**ooper Trustee

Trustee

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#### Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> July 2006

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### (a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and with the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) - Accounting and Reporting by Charities (revised 2005).

The financial statements include a statement of financial activities which replaces the income and expenditure account permitted by schedule 4 paragraph 3 (3) of the Companies Act 1985 to reflect the special nature of the company's charitable activities. The directors consider that this policy is more appropriate given the nature of the company's activities.

#### (b) Company status

The charity is a company limited by guarantee. The members of the company are the trustees named on page 1. In the event of the charity being wound up, the liability in respect of the guarantee is limited to £10 per member of the charity.

#### (c) Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the SOFA when the charity is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

#### (d) Resources expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Management and administration costs are those incurred in connection with administration of the charity and compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements.

Irrecoverable input VAT is included within each expense category.

#### (e) Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Individual fixed assets costing £1000 or less are written off fully in the year of purchase. Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimates useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Fixtures and fittings

25% on cost

Computer equipment

33 1/3% on cost

#### (f) Pension scheme

Contributions are made to the Teachers Pension Scheme. The cost of providing pensions is charged to the statement of financial activities in the period in which the contributions are made.

#### (g) Interest receivable

Interest is included when receivable by the charity.

#### (h) Operating leases

Rentals payable under operating leases charged to the Statement of Financial Activities as incurred over the return of the lease.

#### (i) Fund accounting

All funds of the charity are unrestricted general funds. These are funds which can be used in accordance with the charitable objects at the discretion of the trustees.

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## Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31st July 2006

#### 2. INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Income represents amounts derived from the provision of goods and services which fall within the company's ordinary activities.

	Unrestricted funds 2006 £	Unrestricted Funds 2005 £
Income from trading	1,276,412	952,566
Investment income	<u>13,014</u>	<u>7,066</u>
	1,289,426	959,632
Expenditure included in the statement of financial activities:-  CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES	2006 £	2005 £
Staff costs Wages and salaries Pension costs Telephone Travelling Moderators Panel members Postage & stationery Printing External assessors Certification NOCN membership NOCN development Recruitment expenses & advertising Qualification assessments	270,494 32,231 8,032 30,508 16,542 350 13,941 3,735 5,060 4,234 159,970 100 11,143 903	151,174 13,925 3,842 15,142 32,228 1,200 12,163 725 1,286 2,261 47,291 10,000 3,415 630
ICT/Opus Conferences	5,688 562,931	7,787 3,662 306,731

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## Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31st July 2006

#### **MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION**

Staff costs         £         £         £         £         £         £         £         £         £         Pages and salaries         362,628         193,670         22,124         Rent         22,629         14,726         Rent         22,629         14,726         Rent         22,629         14,727         Insurance         9,815         5,840         1,737         Insurance         9,815         5,840         2,926         Premises expenses         3,349         3,877         3,877         Office cleaning         5,755         5,274         2,293         1,293         2,293         2,293         2,293         2		2006	2005
Pension costs         43,798         22,129         14,726           Rate         22,629         14,726         Rates         3,504         1,737         1nsurance         9,815         5,480         1,737         Insurance         4,485         2,926         Premises expenses         3,349         3,877         5,575         5,275         Sundries         3,349         3,877         5,275         Sundries         6,06         1,740         Repairs and maintenance         8,046         4,586         1,740         Repairs and maintenance         4,795         6,134         Audit fees         2,339         1,293         3,293         3,293         3,293	Staff costs	£	£
Rent         22,629         14,726           Rates         3,504         1,737           Insurance         9,815         5,480           Light and heat         4,485         2,926           Premises expenses         3,349         3,877           Office cleaning         5,575         5,275           Sundries         680         1,740           Repairs and maintenance         8,046         4,585           Hire of equipment         4,795         6,134           Audit fees         2,339         1,293           Sage support fees and other licences         4,175         1,474           Legal and professional fees         2,353         8,935           Consultancy fees         20,969         -           Bad debt         170         161           Training costs         18,497         5,236           IT consumables         8,421         2,187           Subscriptions         730         210           Entertainment         792         3,399           Back charges         850         35           Depreciation and loss on disposal of fixed assets         13,279         1,968           Donations         700         20	Wages and salaries	362,628	193,670
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Entertainment         792         3,399           Bank charges         850         35           Depreciation and loss on disposal of fixed assets         13,279         1,968           Donations         700         120           Relocation costs         5,377            S47,956         287,293           INFORMATION REGARDING DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES           Average number of persons employed         £         £           Management         5         5           Administrative staff         18         8           Administrative staff         2006         2005           Staff costs during the year (including trustees)         £         £           Wages and salaries         587,131         320,807           Social security costs         45,991         24,037	IT consumables	8,421	2,187
Bank charges         850         35           Depreciation and loss on disposal of fixed assets         13,279         1,968           Donations         700         120           Relocation costs         5,377         -           Star,956         287,293           INFORMATION REGARDING DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES           Average number of persons employed         £         £           Management         5         5           Administrative staff         18         8           23         13           Staff costs during the year (including trustees)         £         £           Wages and salaries         587,131         320,807           Social security costs         45,991         24,037	Subscriptions	730	210
Depreciation and loss on disposal of fixed assets         13,279         1,968           Donations         700         120           Relocation costs         5,377         —           Staff Costs during the year (including trustees)         2006         2005           Average number of persons employed         £         £           Management Administrative staff         18         8           Administrative staff         18         8           8         23         13           Wages and salaries Social security costs         587,131         320,807           Social security costs         45,991         24,037	Entertainment	792	3,399
Donations Relocation costs         700 5,377 5,377 5,47,956         120 5,377 5,47,956           INFORMATION REGARDING DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES           Average number of persons employed         2006 £         2005 £           Management Administrative staff         5         5         5           Administrative staff         18 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	Bank charges	850	35
Relocation costs         5,377 547,956         -           INFORMATION REGARDING DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES         2006         2005           Average number of persons employed         £         £           Management Administrative staff         5         5           Administrative staff         18         8           23         13           Staff costs during the year (including trustees)         £         £           Wages and salaries Social security costs         587,131         320,807           Social security costs         45,991         24,037	Depreciation and loss on disposal of fixed assets	13,279	1,968
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TINFORMATION REGARDING DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES   2006   2005	Relocation costs	<u> 5,377</u>	
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Wages and salaries       587,131       320,807         Social security costs       45,991       24,037		2006	2005
Social security costs 45,991 24,037	Staff costs during the year (including trustees)	£	£
	Wages and salaries		320,807
	Social security costs	45,991	
	Pension costs	<u>76,029</u>	<u>36,049</u>
<u>709,151</u> <u>380,893</u>		<u>709,<b>1</b>51</u>	<u>380,893</u>

M Lloyd received a salary of £57,750 and pension contributions of £7,796. Expenses of £1,914 were paid to M Lloyd. The trustees were not paid remuneration during the year. No other trustees received any expenses during the year.

#### 4. OPERATING PROFIT

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	2006	2005
	£	£
Operating profit is after charging:		
Depreciation/loss on disposal of fixed assets	13,279	1,968
Auditors remuneration	<u>2,804</u>	<u>1,175</u>

#### 5. TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIED

The company is a registered charity and exempt from the liability to corporation tax.

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## Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31st July 2006

#### 6. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

			Fixtures and fittings
	Cost At 1 <sup>st</sup> August 2005 Additions in year Disposals in year		3,396 15,912
	At 31 <sup>st</sup> July 2006		<u>19,308</u>
	Accumulated depreciation At 1 <sup>st</sup> August 2005 Charge in year Eliminated on disposal		13,279 —-
	At 31st July 2006		<u>13,279</u>
	Net book value At 31 <sup>st</sup> July 2006 At 31 <sup>st</sup> July 2005		6,029 <b>3,</b> 396
7.	DEBTORS		
		2006 £	2005 £
	Trade debtors Prepayments and accrued income	222,806 <u>112,102</u> <u>334,908</u>	122,404 <u>165,453</u> <u>287,857</u>
	All amounts are due within one year		
8.	CASH AT BANK AND IN HAND		
		2006 £	2005 £
	Cash at bank Bank deposit account Treasury reserve Cash in hand	7,200 66,447 500,000 <u>79</u> 573,726	4,427 104,604 230,000 150 339,181
9. (	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
	Trade creditors Other creditors Other taxes and social security Accruals	2006 £ 16,315 8,972 15,950 24,118 65,355	2005 £ 22,561 4,875 8,669 57,944 94,049
10.	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN FUNDS		
	,	2006	2005
	Funds at 1 <sup>st</sup> August 2005 Assets transferred Surplus for the year Funds at 31 <sup>st</sup> July 2006	£ 536,385 133,628 179,295 849,308	£ 170,777 365,608 - 536,385

## Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> July 2006

#### 11. STATEMENT OF FUNDS

	£
Balance at 1 <sup>st</sup> August 2005	536,385
Transfer of net assets of surplus for the year OCNSEM	133,628
Surplus for the year	<u>179,295</u>
Balance at 31st July 2006	<u>849,308</u>

On  $1^{st}$  August 2005 the charity merged with OCN South East Midlands (OCNSEM). All assets and liabilities were taken over.

#### 12. ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS

	General
	Fund
	£
Cash at bank and in hand	573,726
Other net current assets	<u>275,582</u>
	<u>849,308</u>

The general fund is unrestricted.

#### 13. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

The amounts payable in the next year in respect of operating leases for equipment are shown below, analysed according to the expiry date of the leases.

	2006	2005
	£	£
Under one year	971	0
Between two and five years	<u>1,309</u>	<u>4,586</u>

#### 14. PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS

The charity operates a defined benefit scheme. The pension charge for the year was £76,029.

#### 15. RELATED PARTIES

The charity is a member of the National Open College Network (NOCN). During the year membership fees of £159,970 were paid to NOCN and £7,573 was received from NOCN for services provided. Also £100 was given to NOCN towards development costs. At  $31^{st}$  July 2006, the amount owed to the charity by NOCN was £nil. (2005: £1,490).

## Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31st July 2006

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

The additional information on pages 14 to 15 has been prepared from the accounting records of the company. While it does not form part of the statutory financial statements, it should be read in conjunction with them and the auditors' report thereon.

### **Income & Expenditure Account**

### For the year ended $31^{\text{st}}$ July 2006

	Notes	2006 £	2005 £
INCOME	1	1,276,412	952,566
LESS: OVERHEAD EXPENSES			
Charitable Activities	2	562,931	306,731
Management and administration	3	<u>547,956</u>	<u>287,293</u>
		1,110,887	<u>594,024</u>
SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR		165,525	358,542
ADD OTHER INCOME			
Interest receivable & similar income	4	13,014	<u>7,066</u>
SURPLUS AFTER OTHER INCOME		178,539	365,608
Over provision of corporation tax of OCNSEM		<u> 756</u>	<u> </u>
SURPLUS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES	4	<u>179,295</u>	<u>365,608</u>

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### Notes to the Income and Expenditure

### For the year ended 31st July 2006

	For the year ended 31" July 2006		
		2006	2005
		£	£
4	INCOME	L	_
1.		_	9500
	Membership	-	
	Quality assurance charge		907,682
	External assessment	10,716	4,046
	New deal	<del>-</del>	1,418
	Sundry	12,770	29,920
	Credit Charges	257,308	-
	Learner registration	63,743	-
	Duplicate certificates	4,196	-
	Centre approval charge	106,250	_
	NOCN learner Regis 05/06	557,115	_
	NOCN access charges	252,500	-
		11,814	_
	Credit charges 05/06	1,276,412	952,566
		1,270,412	<u>9,32,300</u>
2.	CHARITABLE EXPENDITURE		
	Staff costs		
	Wages and salaries	270,494	151,174
	Pension costs	32,231	13,925
	Telephone	8,032	3,842
	Travelling	30,508	15,142
	Moderators	16,542	32,228
	Panel members	350	1,200
		13,941	12,163
	Postage & stationery	•	725
	Printing	3,735	
	External assessors	5,060	1,286
	Certification	4,234	2,261
	NOCN membership	159,970	47,291
	NOCN development	100	10,000
	Recruitment expenses & advertising	11,143	3,415
	Qualification assessments	903	630
	ICT/Opus	-	7,787
		5,688	3,662
	Conferences	<u>5,000</u> 562,931	306,731
		<u> </u>	<u> </u>
_	AND A PARTICULATION		
3.	MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION		
	Staff costs	262 622	100 670
	Wages and salaries	362,629	193,670
	Pension costs	43,798	22,124
	Rent	22,629	14,726
	Rates	3,504	1,737
	Insurance	9,815	5,480
	Light and heat	4,485	2,926
	Premises expenses	3,349	3,877
	Tremises expenses		
	Office cleaning		
	Office cleaning	5,575	5,275
	Sundries	5,575 679	5,275 1,740
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance	5,575 679 8,046	5,275 1,740 4,586
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment	5,575 679 8,046 4,795	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences.	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293
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	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 -
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs IT consumables	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497 8,421	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236 2,187
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs IT consumables Subscriptions	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497 8,421 730	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236 2,187 210
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs IT consumables Subscriptions Entertainment	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497 8,421 730 792	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236 2,187 210 3,399
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs IT consumables Subscriptions Entertainment Bank charges	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497 8,421 730 792 850	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236 2,187 210 3,399 35
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	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs IT consumables Subscriptions Entertainment Bank charges	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497 8,421 730 792 850 13,279 700	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236 2,187 210 3,399 35
	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs IT consumables Subscriptions Entertainment Bank charges Depreciation and loss on disposal of fixed assets	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497 8,421 730 792 850 13,279 700 5,377	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236 2,187 210 3,399 35 1,968 120
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4.	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs IT consumables Subscriptions Entertainment Bank charges Depreciation and loss on disposal of fixed assets Donations Relocation costs	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497 8,421 730 792 850 13,279 700 5,377	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236 2,187 210 3,399 35 1,968 120
4.	Sundries Repairs and maintenance Hire of equipment Audit fees Sage support fees and other licences. Legal and professional fees Consultancy fees Bad debt Training costs IT consumables Subscriptions Entertainment Bank charges Depreciation and loss on disposal of fixed assets Donations	5,575 679 8,046 4,795 2,339 4,175 2,353 20,969 170 18,497 8,421 730 792 850 13,279 700 5,377	5,275 1,740 4,586 6,134 1,293 1,474 8,935 - 161 5,236 2,187 210 3,399 35 1,968 120