# PETER ALAN DICKSON FOUNDATION COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE TRUSTEES' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 31 MARCH 2022

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# MEMBERS OF THE BOARD AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS

Registered charity name

Peter Alan Dickson Foundation

Charity number

1129310

Company registration number

06543481

Registered office

Richard House

9 Winckley Square

Preston Lancashire PR1 3HP

**Trustees** 

Mrs Pauline Broomhead Mr Charles Edward Dickson Mr James Duncan Dickson

Company secretary

Mrs Pauline Broomhead

**Accountants** 

MHA Moore and Smalley

**Chartered Accountants** 

Richard House Winckley Square

Preston PR1 3HP

TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

The trustees, who are also directors for the purposes of company law, have pleasure in presenting their report and the unaudited financial statements of the Foundation for the year ended 31 March 2022.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out on page 7 which comply with governing document and applicable law. The charity is a registered charity, number 1129310.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in the notes to the accounts and comply with the charity's governing document, the Charities Act 2011 and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)(effective October 2019).

#### The trustees

The trustees who served the company during the period are as noted on page 1.

### Structure, governance and management

#### Governing document

The Foundation is governed by its memorandum and articles of association dated March 2008.

#### **Trustees**

A trustee must be a natural person aged 18 years or older. The number of trustees shall not be less than three but (unless otherwise determined by ordinary resolution) shall not be subject to a maximum. The Foundation may by ordinary resolution; appoint a person who is willing to act to be a trustee and, determine the rotation in which any additional trustees are to retire. Further guidance on the structure, guidance and management of the Foundation is as described in the memorandum and articles of association dated March 2008.

#### Risk management

The trustees have a duty to identify the risks to which the Foundation is exposed and have reviewed the risks and established appropriate systems or procedures to mitigate those risks.

#### Objectives and activities

The Foundation's objectives are :-

- To benefit people in the developing world through the relief of poverty and the advancement of education.
- To advance in life, young people globally by providing support which will develop their skills and capabilities to enable them to participate in society as mature and responsible individuals.

The charity has considered the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit and are satisfied that the charity's objectives are for the public benefit.

# Achievements and performance

The Foundation continued to strive for its' objectives during the year. One grant has been made to charitable organisations in the year. The Trustees will continue to review applications going forward.

### Financial review and plans for future periods

The detailed results for the Foundation are included in the Statement of Financial Activities. During the next 12 months the Trustees are planning to carry out similar activities.

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#### Reserves

The trustees consider that a level of reserves should be maintained at all times to fund the operation of the Charity. Free reserves as at 31 March 2022 were £50,896 (2021 £44,522). The trustees will continue to monitor reserves.

### **Grant making policy**

The allocation of grants is decided on an individual basis by the Board of Trustees. Each application is reviewed in line with the grant making policy of the Foundation.

### Statement of trustees' responsibilities in relation to the financial statements

The trustees (who are also directors of the Peter Alan Dickson Foundation for the purposes of company law) are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Company law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the charitable company and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including income and expenditure, of the charitable company for the year. In preparing financial statements the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charity SORP (FRS 102);
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 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 proper accounting records, which disclose with reasonable accuracy, at any time, the financial position of the charity and which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud or other irregularities.

In so far as the trustees are aware:

- there is no relevant information of which the charitable company's examiner is unaware; and
- the trustees have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant information and to establish that the examiner is aware of that information.

The report has been prepared having taken advantage of the small companies exemption in the Companies Act 2006.

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This report was approved by the trustees on		and signed on their be	half by:
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Charles Edward Dickson			÷

# CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the accounts of The Peter Alan Dickson Foundation for the year ended 31 March 2021, set out on pages 5 to 8 from the charity's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at icaew.com/membershandbook.

This report is made to the charity's trustee, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the accounts of the Peter Alan Dickson Foundation and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the charity's trustee, as a body, in this report in accordance with ICAEW Technical Release 07/16 AAF. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Peter Alan Dickson Foundation and the charity's trustees as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that the charity has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare accounts that give a true and fair view under the Companies Act 2006. You consider that the charity is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year and is not required to obtain an independent examiner's report.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the accounts. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the accounts.

We wish to draw attention to the related party transaction disclosed in note 4.

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MHA Moore and Smalley Chartered Accountants Richard House 9 Winckley Square Preston PR1 3HP

22/12/2022			
Date:			

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

Income	Note	Unrestricted funds £	2022 Total funds £	2021 Total Funds £
Donations and legacies Investment income	2	12,000 	12,000	12,000
Total incoming resources		12,000	12,000	12,000
Expenditure				
Grants Charitable activities	3	5,000 626	5,000 626	486
Total resources expended		5,626	5,626	486
Net movement in funds		6,374	6,374	11,514
Reconciliation of funds				
Total funds brought forward		44,522	44,522	33,008
Total funds carried forward		50,896	50,896	44,522

The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses in the year and therefore a statement of total recognised gains and losses has not been prepared.

All activities in the current and previous year relate to unrestricted funds.

All of the above amounts relate to continuing activities.

**BALANCE SHEET** 

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	Note	Unrestricted funds	2022 Total funds £	2021 Total Funds £
Current assets				
Debtors	4	45,000	45,000	-
Cash at bank and in hand		5,896	5,896	44,522
		50,896	50,896	44,522
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		<u>-</u> _		-
Net current assets		50,896	50,896	44,522
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Total assets less current liabilities		50,896	50,896	44,522
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Funds				
Unrestricted funds	5	50,896	<u>50,896</u>	44,522
Total funds		50,896	50,896	44,522
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The trustees are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Companies Act 2006 (the Act) relating to the audit of the financial statements for the period by virtue of section 477 and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 476 of the Act.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (i) ensuring that the company keeps proper accounting records.
- (ii) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial period and of its profit or loss for the financial period.

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

These financial statements were approved by the members of the committee on  $\frac{22/12/2022}{12/2022}$  and are signed on their behalf by:

**Charles Edward Dickson** 

Director

Company Registration Number: 06543481

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

#### 1 Accounting policies

### Basis of accounting

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 applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective October 2019) — (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) as amended by the Companies Act 2006.

The accounts are presented in £ rounded to the nearest £.

The Peter Alan Dickson 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 notes.

### Going concern

The Trustees assess whether the use of going concern is appropriate i.e. whether there are any material uncertainties related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the company to continue as a going concern. The Trustees make this assessment in respect of a period of at least one year from the date of authorisation for issue of the financial statements and have concluded that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future and there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements.

### **Donations and legacies**

Voluntary income received by way of donations and gifts is included in full in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) when receivable.

### Resources expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category.

Resources expended are allocated to the particular activity where the cost relates directly to that activity.

#### **Fund accounting**

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the company's charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

### Cash flow statement

The trustees have taken advantage of the exemption in Update Bulletin 1 from including a cash flow statement in the financial statements on the grounds that the company is small.

### Judgements and Key assumptions

There are no judgements or assumptions required as part of the preparation of the accounts.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

2	Donations and legacies			
		Unrestricted	2022 Total funds	2021 Total funds
	Donations	£	£	£
	Davina Dickson	12,000	12,000	12,000
3	Charitable activities	Unrestricted	2022 Total funds	2021 Total funds
		£	£	£
	Grants awarded Administration expenses	5,000 <u>626</u>	5,000 <u>626</u>	486
		5,626	5,626	486

All grants paid have been made to organisations for projects related to the charitable objects.

### 4 Related party transactions

During the year, the charity made a loan of £45,000 to a Trustee. No other expenses or remuneration were paid to Trustees.

### 5 Company limited by guarantee

The charity is a company limited by guarantee. In the event of the charity being wound up or dissolved, each member undertakes to contribute such amount as is required, not exceeding £10, for payment of any debts or liabilities.