REGISTERED COMPANY NUMBER: 06930004 (England and Wales) REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1130946

Report of the Trustees and Unaudited Financial Statements For The Year Ended 31 March 2011 for HARROGATE CITIZEN ADVICE BUREAU

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Report of the Trustees for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

The trustees who are also directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006, present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2011 The trustees have adopted the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities' issued in March 2005

- resigned 28 8 10

- resigned 19 1 11

- appointed 11 10 10

- appointed 14 3 11

- appointed 14 3 11

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Company number

06930004 (England and Wales)

Registered Charity number

1130946

Registered office

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STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust, and constitutes a limited company, limited by guarantee, as defined by the Companies Act 2006

Risk management

The trustees have a duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error

Report of the Trustees for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

S M. JOWELL Trustee SANDRA MARGARET JOWETT

Date 21 12 2011

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of HARROGATE CITIZEN ADVICE BUREAU

I report on the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2011 set out on pages four to sixteen

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees (who are also the directors for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under Section 43(2) of the Charities Act 1993 (the 1993 Act)) and that an independent examination is required. The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of FCCA.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under company law and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to

- examine the accounts under Section 43 of the 1993 Act
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission (under Section 43(7)(b) of the 1993 Act), and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention

Basis of the independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statements below

Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention

- (1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006, and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of Sections 394 and 395 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice Accounting and Reporting by Charities

have not been met, or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached

Mr D Beckington

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Date 20 12 2011

Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

					Period
				Year Ended	10 6 09
				31 3 11	to 31 3 10
		Unrestricted	Restricted	Total	Total
		funds	funds	funds	funds
	Notes		£	£	£
INCOMING RESOURCES		-		-	
Incoming resources from generated funds					
Voluntary income	2	10,303	-	10,303	1,561
Activities for generating funds	3	41,868	-	41,868	21,192
Investment income	4	719	6	725	326
Incoming resources from charitable activitie	S				
Disability Information Service		•	26,413	26,413	13,511
Mental Health Welfare		-	12,133	12,133	6,254
DTI Financial Inclusion Fund (Face to Face De	bt				
Advice Project)		•	50,942	50,942	24,395
General Advice and Advocacy		98,277	-	98,277	-
Welfare Benefits		-	17,903	17,903	-
County Court Duty Sceme		-	20,000	20,000	-
Total incoming resources		151,167	127,397	278,564	67,239
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RESOURCES EXPENDED					
Charitable activities					
Disability Information Service		-	27,886	27,886	13,285
Mental Health Welfare		-	12,586	12,586	6,064
DTI Financial Inclusion Fund (Face to Face De	bt				
Advice Project)		-	56,197	56,197	27,304
Legal Services Commission		52,255	-	52,255	26,063
NYCC Debt Advice Project		-	8,622	8,622	17,004
General Advice and Advocacy		80,008	<u>-</u>	80,008	34,576
Welfare Benefits		-	24,104	24,104	11,640
County Court Duty Sceme		-	17,435	17,435	9,572
Fixed Assets		1,825	-	1,825	1,271
Total resources expended		134,088	146,830	280,918	146,779
NET INCOMING/(OUTGOING)		-		<u></u>	
RESOURCES before transfers		17,079	(19,433)	(2,354)	(79,540)
Gross transfers between funds	12	(20,039)	20,039	-	_
Net incoming/(outgoing) resources		(2,960)	606	(2,354)	(79,540)
		(2,900)	000	(2,334)	(79,340)
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward		95,687	12,531	108,218	187,758
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		92,727	13,137	105,864	108,218
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		=====	======	======	=======

The notes form part of these financial statements

Balance Sheet At 31 March 2011

		Unrestricted	Restricted	31 3 11 Total	31 3 10 Total
	31-4	funds	funds	funds	funds
FIXED ASSETS	Notes	£	£	£	£
Tangible assets	9	4,263	-	4,263	3,315
CURRENT ASSETS					
Work in progress Debtors	10	6,250	•	6,250	4,250 1,037
Cash at bank and in hand	10	84,974	13,443	98,417	145,503
		91,224	13,443	104,667	150,790
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	11	(2,760)	(306)	(3,066)	(45,887)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		88,464	13,137	101,601	104,903
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		92,727	13,137	105,864	108,218
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NET ASSETS		92,727	13,137	105,864	108,218
FUNDS	12				
Unrestricted funds	12			92,727	95,687
Restricted funds				13,137	12,531
TOTAL FUNDS				105,864	108,218

The notes form part of these financial statements

Balance Sheet - continued At 31 March 2011

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 March 2011

The members have not required the charitable company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2011 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small charitable companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees on 26 SEPTEMBER 2011 and were signed on its behalf by

SM JOWER Trustee SANDRA MARGARET JOWETT

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008), the Companies Act 2006 and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included on the Statement of Financial Activities when the charity is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy

Resources expended

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life

Fixtures and fittings - 20% on cost Computer equipment - 20% on cost

Work in progress

Work in progress based on the amount of work carried out on legal help cases which has not been claimed from the Legal Services Commission

Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation tax on its charitable activities

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements

2. VOLUNTARY INCOME

	Perioa
	10 6 09
Year Ended	to
31 3 11	31310
£	£
6,803	561
3,500	1,000
	
10,303	1,561
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	31 3 11 £ 6,803 3,500

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

3. ACTIVITIES FOR GENERATING FUNDS

	LSC contracts and fees				Year Ended 31 3.11 £ 41,868	Period 10 6 09 to 31 3.10 £ 21,192
4.	INVESTMENT INCOME					
	Deposit account interest				Year Ended 31 3 11 £ 725	Period 10 6 09 to 31 3 10 £ 326
5.	SUPPORT COSTS					
	Disability Information	Staff £	Office £	Premises £	Governance £	Totals £
	Service	24,566	2,003	1,221	96	27,886
	Mental Health Welfare DTI Financial Inclusion Fund (Face to Face Debt	11,363	653	529	41	12,586
	Advice Project)	49,228	3,781	2,959	229	56,197
	Legal Services Commission	47,071	3,054	1,972	158	52,255
	NYCC Debt Advice Project General Advice and	8,010	260	337	15	8,622
	Advocacy	59,649	10,424	9,080	855	80,008
	Welfare Benefits	21,691	1,262	1,067	84	24,104
	County Court Duty Sceme	16,418	522	459	36	17,435
	Fixed Assets	1,825	<u> </u>			1,825
		239,821	21,959	17,624	1,514	280,918

Support costs, included in the above, are as follows

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

5. SUPPORT COSTS - continued

Staff

Trustees' expenses Wages Social security Training Travel and subsistence Volunteer expenses Sundry staff costs Depreciation of tangible fixed assets		Disability Information Service £ 11 22,554 1,406 233 321 31 10	Mental Health Welfare £ 5 10,462 652 87 139 13 5	DTI Financial Inclusion Fund (Face to Face Debt Advice Project) £ 26 44,030 2,745 466 1,861 75 25 - 49,228
Trustees' expenses Wages Social security Training Travel and subsistence Volunteer expenses Sundry staff costs Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	Legal Services Commission £ 18 43,726 2,726 307 228 49 17 47,071	NYCC Debt Advice Project £ 2 7,437 464 38 53 12 4 8,010	General Advice and Advocacy £ 81 51,954 3,239 524 962 2,812 77 	Welfare Benefits £ 9 20,249 1,262 21 114 27 9
Trustees' expenses Wages Social security Training Travel and subsistence Volunteer expenses	County Court Duty Sceme £ 4 15,374 958 17 49 12	£	Year Ended 31 3 11 Total activities £ 156 215,786 13,452 1,693 3,727 3,031	£ 115,270 9,342 476 1,762 907
Carried forward	88,051 Page 9	32,576	308,857	198,676

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

5. SUPPORT COSTS - continued

Staff - continued

				Period 10 6 09
			Year Ended	to
			31 3 11	31 3 10
	County Court			
	Duty Sceme	Fixed Assets	Total activities	Total activities
	£	£	£	£
Brought forward	88,051	32,576	308,857	198,676
Sundry staff costs	4	-	151	48
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	-	1,825	1,825	1,271
	16,418	1,825	239,821	129,076

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

5. SUPPORT COSTS - continued

Office

Telephone	Disability Information Service £ 313	Mental Health Welfare £ 136	DTI Financial Inclusion Fund (Face to Face Debt Advice Project) £ 1,122	Legal Services Commission £ 513	NYCC Debt Advice Project £ 58
Printing and stationery	305	132	733	500	57
Postage	175	76	421	339	33
Repairs and renewals	585	75	418	979	32
Legal and professional fees	46	20	110	75	9
NACAB information	547	200	901	596	65
Sundry office expenses	32	14	76	52	6
Subscriptions	-	-	-	-	-
					
	2,003	653	3,781	3,054	260
					Period 10 6 09
				Year Ended	to
				31 3 11	31 3 10
	General				
	Advice and	Welfare	County Court		
	Advocacy	Benefits		Total activities	Total activities
	£	£	£	£	£
Telephone	2,348	273	118	4,881	2,391
Printing and stationery	2,287	266	114	4,394	2,710
Postage	1,312	152	66	2,574	1,557
Repairs and renewals	1,304	152	65	3,610	631
Legal and professional fees	342	40	17	659	428
NACAB information	2,594	351	130	5,384	17
Sundry office expenses	237	28	12	457	28
Subscriptions	-	-	-	-	107
	10,424	1,262	522	21,959	7,869

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

5. SUPPORT COSTS - continued

Premises

			DTI Financial		
	Deachdate		Inclusion Fund		
	Disability	Mental Health	(Face to Face Debt Advice	Local Carmens	NYCC Debt
	Information	Welfare		Legal Services	
	Service £	£	Project) £	£	Advice Project £
D4			-		==
Rent	1,181	512	2,862	1,907	326
Insurance	40	17	97	65	<u> </u>
	1,221	529	2,959	1,972	337
					Period 10 6 09
				Year Ended	to
				31 3 11	31 3 10
	General			313.1	3.5.0
	Advice and	Welfare	County Court		
	Advocacy	Benefits	Duty Sceme	Total activities	Total activities
	£	£	£	£	£
Rent	8,782	1,032	444	17,046	7,775
Insurance	298	35	15	578	567
	9,080	1,067	459	17,624	8,342

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

5. SUPPORT COSTS - continued

Governance

	Disability Information Service £	Mental Health Welfare £	Project) £	£	Advice Project £
Accountancy	57	25	137	94	10
AGM and meeting expenses	5	2	11	7	1
NACAB AGM expenses Sundry governance	-	•	-	-	-
expenses	19	8	45	33	-
Bank charges	15	6	36	24	4
Legal and professional fees					
	96 	<u>41</u>	<u>229</u>	158	15
				Year Ended	Period 10 6 09 to
				31 3 11	31 3 10
	General				
	Advice and	Welfare	County Court		
	Advocacy	Benefits		Total activities	
	£	£	£	£	£
Accountancy	564	50	21	958	705
AGM and meeting expenses	34	4	2	66	81
NACAB AGM expenses Sundry governance expenses	- 147	17	7	276	100 112
Bank charges	110	17	6	214	59
Legal and professional fees	-	-			435
	855	84	36	1,514	1,492

6. NET INCOMING/(OUTGOING) RESOURCES

Net resources are stated after charging/(crediting)

		Period 10 6 09
	Year Ended	to
	31 3 11	31 3 10
	£	£
Depreciation - owned assets	1,825	1,271
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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 March 2011 nor for the period ended 31 March 2010

	Trustees' Expenses			
	Trustees' expenses		Year Ended 31 3 11 £ 156	Period 10 6 09 to 31 3 10 £
	3 trustees received travelling expenses			
8.	STAFF COSTS			
	Wages and salaries Social security costs		Year Ended 31 3 11 £ 215,786 13,452 229,238	Period 10 6 09 to 31 3 10 £ 115,270 9,342 124,612
9.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
		Fixtures and fittings £	Computer equipment £	Totals £
	COST			
	At 1 April 2010 Additions	1,347 2,773	3,239	4,586 2,773
	At 31 March 2011	4,120	3,239	7,359
	DEPRECIATION At 1 April 2010 Charge for year	192 940	1,079 885	1,271 1,825
	At 31 March 2011	1,132	1,964	3,096
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31 March 2011	2,988	1,275	4,263
	At 31 March 2010	1,155	2,160	3,315

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

10. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

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	Trade debtors			31 3 11 £	31 3 10 £ 1,037		
11.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR						
				31 3 11 £	31 3 10 £		
	Accrued expenses Deferred grants			3,066	1,245 44,642		
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				3,066	45,887		
12.	MOVEMENT IN FUNDS						
		N	et movement	Transfers			
		At 1 4 10	ın funds	between funds	At 31 3 11		
	Unrestricted funds	£	£	£	£		
	General Advice and Advocacy	92,372	29,291	(33,199)	88,464		
	Legal Services Commission	-	(10,387)	10,387	-		
	Fixed Assets	3,315	(1,825)	2,773	4,263		
		95,687	17,079	(20,039)	92,727		
	Restricted funds						
	Welfare Benefits	2 (80	(6,200)	6,200	2 2 1 0		
	Disability Information Service Mental Health Welfare	3,689 8,659	(1,471) (451)	-	2,218 8,208		
	DTI Financial Inclusion Fund (Face to Face	0,039	(431)	-	0,200		
	Debt Advice Project)	(5,481)	(5,255)	10,736	-		
	County Court Duty Scheme	145	2,566	-	2,711		
	NYCC Debt Advice Project	5,519	(8,622)	3,103			
		12,531	(19,433)	20,039	13,137		
	TOTAL FUNDS	108,218	(2,354)		105,864		

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 March 2011

12. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows

	Incoming resources	Resources expended	Movement in funds
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General Advice and Advocacy	109,299	(80,008)	29,291
Legal Services Commission	41,868	(52,255)	(10,387)
Fixed Assets		(1,825)	(1,825)
	151,167	(134,088)	17,079
Restricted funds			
Welfare Benefits	17,904	(24,104)	(6,200)
Disability Information Service	26,415	(27,886)	(1,471)
Mental Health Welfare	12,135	(12,586)	(451)
County Court Duty Scheme	20,001	(17,435)	2,566
DTI Financial Inclusion Fund (Face to Face Debt Advice	,	` ' '	,
Project)	50,942	(56,197)	(5,255)
NYCC Debt Advice Project	· •	(8,622)	(8,622)
	127,397	(146,830)	(19,433)
			
TOTAL FUNDS	278,564	(280,918)	(2,354)

The balances will be carried forward and used as follows -

The deficit on the Welfare Benefits Partnership has been funded from the bureau's unrestricted reserves

The balance on the Disability Information Service will be utilised in the continuation of the service

The balance on the Mental Health Project will be utilised in the continuation of the service

The deficit on the DTI Financial Inclusion Fund has been cleared from the bureau's unrestricted reserves on the conclusion of the project

The balance on the County Court Duty Scheme will be utilised in the continuation of the service

The NYCC Debt Advice Project concluded on 30 June 2010 and the outstanding deficit was funded from the bureau's unrestricted reserves

13. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions during the year

<u>Detailed Statement of Financial Activities</u> <u>for the Year Ended 31 March 2011</u>

		Period
	Year Ended	10 6 09 to
	31 3 11	31 3 10
	£	£
INCOMING RESOURCES		
Voluntary income		
Donations	6,803	561
Charitable trust donations	3,500	1,000
	10,303	1,561
Activities for generating funds		
LSC contracts and fees	41,868	21,192
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Investment income		
Deposit account interest	725	326
Incoming resources from charitable activities		
Fund raising	664	-
Grants	225,004	44,160
		44160
	225,668	44,160
Total incoming resources	278,564	67,239
RESOURCES EXPENDED		
Resources expended Staff		
Trustees' expenses	156	-
Wages	215,786	115,270
Social security	13,452	9,342
Training	1,693	476
Travel and subsistence	3,727	1,762
Volunteer expenses	3,031	907
Sundry staff costs	151	48
Fixtures and fittings Computer equipment	940 885	192 1,079
Computer equipment		
0.00	239,821	129,076
Office Telephone	4,881	2,391
Printing and stationery	4,394	2,710
Postage	2,574	1,557
Repairs and renewals	3,610	631
Legal and professional fees	659	428
NACAB information	5,384	17
Subscriptions		107
Sundry office expenses	457	
	21,959	7,869

<u>Detailed Statement of Financial Activities</u> <u>for the Year Ended 31 March 2011</u>

		Period 10 6 09
	Year Ended	to
	31 3 11	31 3 10
	£	£
Premises		
Rent	17,046	7,775
Insurance	578	567
	17,624	8,342
Governance		
Accountancy	958	705
AGM and meeting expenses	66	81
NACAB AGM expenses	•	100
Legal and professional fees	-	435
Sundry governance expenses	276	112
Bank charges	214	59
	1,514	1,492
Total resources expended	280,918	146,779
Net expenditure	(2,354)	(79,540) ———