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MYRRH LIMITED

DIRECTORS' REPORT AND

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JULY 2008

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COMPANY NO

1975246 (England & Wales)

REGISTERED CHARITY NO

293464

DIRECTORS

Mrs Desiree Howells (Chair) Mr Bernard Borland

Dr Michael Dulake Ms Pauline Farrell Mr Lloyd Booker Mr Eugene Byrne

Cllr. Mrs Daphne Marchant

Sr Bernadette Porter
Rv Dr Robert Kaggwa
Mrs Mairead Harrington
Ms Karen Roberts
Mr Michael McLoughlin
Mr Andrew Stables
Mr Colin Garvey

COMPANY SECRETARY

Dr Michael Dulake

REGISTERED OFFICE

52 Ossory Road London SE1 5AN

AUDITORS

Christopher & Co Chartered Accountants Registered Auditors 51a Anson Road Tufnell Park London N7 0AR

BANKERS

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DIRECTORS' REPORT For the year ended 31 July 2008

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 July 2008.

Structure, Governance and Management

Governing Document

The company is a private company, limited by guarantee and without any share capital. It was incorporated on 6 January 1986 and was registered as a charity on 14 January 1986. It was established under a Memorandum of Association which established the objects and powers of the company and it is governed under its Articles of Association. In the event the company is wound up members are required to contribute an amount not exceeding £1.

Recruitment and Appointment of Directors

The directors of the company are also charity trustees for the purpose of Charity Law and under the company's Articles are known as members of the Council of Management. Under the requirements of the Memorandum and Articles of Association at each Annual General Meeting one third of the directors for the time being shall retire from the office. The directors to retire are those who have been longest in office since their last election or appointment. As between directors of equal seniority the directors to retire are selected by lot unless they agree otherwise. A retiring director shall be eligible for re-election by the members. The directors may, at the meeting at which a director retires in the manner aforesaid, fill the vacated office by nominating a person thereto, and in default the retiring director shall, on offering himself for re-election, be deemed to have been re-elected, unless it is expressly resolved by the members not to fill such vacated office, or unless a resolution for the re-election of such director shall not have been approved by members.

No person other than a director retiring at the meeting shall be eligible for election as a director at any meeting unless, that person is recommended by the directors for election; or the secretary is given in writing by a member duly qualified to attend and vote at the meeting, not less than 4 or more than 28 intervening days before the date set for the meeting, of that member's intention to propose such person and of that person's willingness to be elected. The company may at General Meeting increase the number of directors, and decide in what rotation the additional directors shall retire, and may make the appointments necessary for effecting any such increase.

Directors Induction and Training

Most new directors are already familiar with the practical work of the company having visited the college and observed its activities prior to their appointment. Additionally, new directors are briefed regarding directors' powers, duties and obligations and are provided with copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association, the latest annual report and audited accounts, and other relevant information.

Organisational Structure

The company has a board of approximately 14 directors who meet regularly throughout the year and are responsible for the strategic direction and policy of the company. In addition there are various sub-committees of directors, with specific responsibilities, who report to the board. At present the board has directors from a variety of professional and ethnic backgrounds relevant to the work of the company.

The chair is responsible for ensuring that the company delivers the services specified and that the key performance indicators are met. The college principal has responsibility for day to day operational management, staff supervision and for ensuring that staff continue to develop their skills and working practices in line with best practice.

Objectives and Activities

The company's principal objectives continue to be to:

- provide training and help, especially to those who find it hard to find suitable training elsewhere;
- improve trainees chances of finding suitable employment locally by providing good quality, inclusive learning experiences and access to recognised qualifications;
- Promote all or any activities for the benefit of the community now or hereafter by law to be charitable.

DIRECTORS' REPORT

For the year ended 31 July 2008 (continued)

Achievement and Performance

The directors are constantly striving to improve the delivery and quality of educational services provided.

Financial Review

The net surplus for the year was £32,752 (2007 net deficit: £64,121). This surplus was due to additional funds being received from the Learning and Skills Council. The directors wish it to be noted that they are pleased with the results for the year.

Future Developments

The directors are developing plans to ensure that improvements continue to be made in the company's ability to provide education and training to the highest standards.

Directors

The directors currently in office and throughout the year, except as stated, were as follows:

Mrs Desiree Howells (Chair)

Mr Bernard Borland

Dr Michael Dulake

Ms Pauline Farrell

Mr Lloyd Booker

Mr Eugene Byrne

Ms Cecilia Burnette-Benson (resigned 2 April 2008)

Cllr. Mrs Daphne Marchant

Sr Bernadette Porter

Rv Dr Robert Kaggwa

Mrs Mairead Harrington

Ms Karen Roberts

Mr Michael McLoughlin (appointed 7 February 2008)

Mr Andrew Stables (appointed 7 February 2008)

Mr Colin Garvey (appointed 7 February 2008)

Mrs Mairead Harrington resigned subsequent to the year end, but before the date of this report.

Directors' Responsibilities

Company Law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at the end of its financial year and of its income and expenditure for the year. In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently:
- make adjustments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- follow applicable accounting standards, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements and;
- prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue to be in business.

The directors are responsible for maintaining proper accounting records, which disclose with reasonable accuracy the company's financial position at any time and enable them to ensure that the accounts comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the company's assets and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

DIRECTORS' REPORT

For the year ended 31 July 2008 (continued)

Disclosure of Information to Auditors

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 with the company's auditors are unaware; and
- 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 company's auditors are aware of that information.

Risk Management

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

Fixed Assets

The movements in fixed assets during the year are set out in note 7.

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Auditors

A resolution to reappoint Christopher & Co will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting in accordance with Section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

The above 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 companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2007).

Signed on behalf of the board

Mrs Desiree Howells

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Chair of the Board of Directors

Approved by the Board: 23rd April 2009

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF MYRRH LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Myrrh Limited for the year ended 31 July 2008 on pages 7 to 14. These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2007), under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, 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 company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' 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 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 described on page 4, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of 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 of Auditing (UK and Ireland).

We report to you on 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 Report of the Directors is consistent with the financial statements.

In addition we report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed.

We read the Report of the Directors and 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 Auditing Standards 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 directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the 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 company's state of affairs as at 31 July 2008 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and the information given in the Report of the Directors is consistent with the financial statements.

Christopher & Co Chartered Accountants Registered Auditors 51a Anson Road Tufnell Park London N7 0AR

Date: 23rd April 2009

MYRRH LIMITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES Incorporating the Income and Expenditure Account For the year ended 31 July 2008

		Restricted Funds	Unrestricted Funds	2008 Total	2007 Total
	Notes	£	£	£	£
INCOMING RESOURCES					
Incoming resources from charitable activities:					
Grant and Contract Income	2	129,152	1,613,413	1,742,565	1,658,419
Activities for generating funds:					
Interest Receivable		-	20,494	20,494	20,497
Other Income		-	28,495	28,495	12,226
Total Incoming resources	_	129,152	1,662,402	1,791,554	1,691,142
RESOURCES EXPENDED					
Costs of generating funds:					
Charitable Activities	3	123,550	1,314,682	1,438,232	1,398,093
Fundraising and publicity	4	•	7,154	7,154	2,184
Governance costs	5	-	307,814	307,814	354,986
Total resources expended	6 _	123,550	1,629,650	1,753,200	1,755,263
NET INCOMING RESOURCES BEFORE OTHER RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES		5,602	32,752	38,354	(64,121)
GAINS ON REVALUATION OF FIXED ASSETS FOR CHARITIES OWN USE	·	-	-	•	823,160
TOTAL FUNDS BROUGHT FORWARD		-	1,409,118	1,409,118	650,079
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	10	£5,602	£1,441,870	£1,447,472	£1,409,118

All the company's activities in the above two financial years were derived from continuing operations. The financial statements are comprised of pages 7 to 14.

BALANCE SHEET At 31 July 2008

	Note	2008 £	2007 £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible Assets	7.	1,000,400	1,049,812
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	8	32,150	35,407
Cash at bank and in hand		481,478	417,770
	•	513,628	453,177
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due	-		
within one year	9.	(66,556)	(93,871)
NET CURRENT ASSETS	-	447,072	359,306
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES	•	1,447,472	1,409,118
TOTAL FUNDS	10	1,447,472	1,409,118

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2007).

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

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Mrs Desiree Howells Chair of the Board of Directors

Approved by the board on: 23rd April 2009

The financial statements are comprised of pages 7 to 14.

Director

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31 July 2008

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a) Basis of accounting

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain assets, in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities (SORP 2005) issued in March 2005 and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2007).

b) Incoming resources

The annual allocation from the LSC, which is intended to meet recurrent costs, is credited to the statement of financial activities in accordance with funding achieved in the year. Any retrospective adjustments made by the LSC are reflected as soon as the company is made aware of them.

Restricted funds represent funds received which are to be used for a specific purpose. Unrestricted funds can be used to carry out any of the company's objectives.

Income from contracts, and other services rendered is included to the extent of the completion of the contract or service concerned.

c) Resources expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to that category.

Expenditure is classified under the principal categories of charitable and other expenditure rather than the type of expense, in order to provide more useful information.

Charitable expenditure comprises direct expenditure attributable to the provision of Education and includes an allocation of overheads consistent with use of the resources.

Governance costs include those costs which relate to the charity's compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements and include audit fees, legal and professional fees, and the costs of the senior management team and related office costs.

d) Tangible fixed assets

Equipment costing less than £500 per individual item is written off to the income and expenditure account in the year of acquisition, unless part of a major refit. All other equipment is capitalised at cost.

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

Freehold building

-2% straight line on its open market value

Plant and equipment

-20% straight line on cost

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31 July 2008 (continued)

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

e) Taxation

As an exempt charity the company benefits by being exempt from corporation tax on income it receives from tuition fees, interest and rents.

The company is exempted from levying VAT on most of the services it provides to students and is not registered for VAT. For this reason the company is unable to recover input VAT it suffers on goods and services purchased.

2 GRANT AND CONTRACT INCOME

Learning and Skills Council	2008 £ 1,742,565	2007 £ 1,658,419
Counting and Skins Country	131 140000	7,456,115
Contractual Services	1,613,413	1,523,023
Hardship Funds Grant	68,839	69,542
Childcare Funds Grant	50,000	32,300
Initial Teachers Training Grant	10,313	-
Capital Allowance Grant	-	33,554
	<u>1,742,565</u>	<u>1,658,419</u>

3 CHARITABLE ACTIVITES - Education Services

Charitable Expenditure	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total 2008 £	Total 2007 £
Teaching Staff Costs	-	748,259	748,259	731,201
Teaching Expenses	118,839	78,395	197,234	175,252
General Education Expenditure	4,711	145,412	150,123	157,321
Support Cost				
Premises & Equipment Costs	-	181,126	181,126	167,452
Support Staff Costs	-	157,092	157,092	164,504
Support Service Expenses		4,398	4,398	2,363
	123,550	1,314,682	1,438,232	1,398,093

4 FUNDRAISING AND PUBLICITY

	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total 2008 £	Total 2007 £
Advertising	-	7,154	7,154	2,184
	-	7,154	7,154	2,184

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31 July 2008 (continued)

Governance costs Salaries and office costs Legal and Professional Fees Audit Fees	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £ 288,574 10,680	Total 2008 £	Total 2007 £
Legal and Professional Fees	- - -	288,574		
Audit rees		P 560	288,574 10,680	310,418 36,489
		8,560 307,814	8,560 307,814	8,079 354,986
6 TOTAL RESOURCES EXPE	NDED			
	Staff Costs	Depreciation £	Other Costs £	Total £
Education Services	905,351	51,716	481,165	1,438,232
Fundraising and Publicity	-	-	7,154	7,154
Governance costs	247,831	-	59,983	307,814
-	1,153,182	51,716	548,302	1,753,200
Staff Costs	·		·	
			2008 £	2007 £
Wages and Salaries Social Security Costs			989,594 83,240	993,882 86,831
Pension Costs			80,348	74,254
			1,153,182	1,154,967
Other Costs			2008	2007
			£	£
Premises General Education and Teaching			181,126 295,641	167,451 266,533
Management and Administration			32,686	40,923
Support Services			4,398	2,363
Legal and Professional			19,240	44,569
Miscellaneous			15,211	12,417
			548,302	534,256
			2008	2007
The average number of employees at was:	nalysed by functio		Number	Number
Education Services			25	25
Governance				5
			30	30

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31 July 2008 (continued)

7 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

COST OR VALUATION:	Land and Buildings	Plant and Equipment	Total £
COST OR VALUATION:	£	£	L
At beginning of year	1,000,000	387,981	1,387,981
Additions in year	1,000,000	2,304	2,304
At 31 July 2008	1,000,000	390,285	1,390,285
DEPRECIATION			
At beginning of year	15,280	322,889	338,169
Charge for year	15,280	36,436	51,716
At 31 July 2008	30,560	359,325	389,885
NET BOOK VALUE At 31 July 2008	969,440	30,960	1,000,400
At 31 July 2007	984,720	65,092	1,049,812

Leasehold land and buildings were valued at 17 November 2006, by Kinleigh, Folkard & Hayward Limited, Chartered Surveyors, on the basis of existing use value. The directors consider that the amount at which land and buildings are carried fairly reflects their current open market value.

Cost or valuation at 31 July 2008 is represented by:

	Land and Buildings	Plant and Equipment	Total
	£	£	£
Valuation in 2007	788,000	-	788,000
Cost	212,000	390,285	602,285
	1,000,000	390,285	1,390,285

8 DEBTORS: Amounts Falling Due Within One Year		
	2008	2007
		£
Prepayments and Accrued Income	32,150	35,407
		

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31 July 2008 (continued)

9	CREDITORS:	Amounts	Falling	Duc	Within	One	Year
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Trade Creditors Taxation and Social Security Accruals		2008 £ 29,650 25,484 11,422	56, 26,	0 7 £ 437 290 144
Acciuals		66,556		871
10 RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS	At 1 August 2007	Funds Received	Funds Expended	At 31 July 2008
	£	£	£	£
Restricted Funds				
Hardship Funds Grant	-	68,839	68,839	-
Childcare Funds Grant	-	50,000	50,000	-
Initial Teachers Training Grant		10,313_	4,711	5,602
		129,152	123,550	5,602
Unrestricted Funds				
Revaluation Fund	823,160	-	•	823,160
General Funds	585,958	1,662,402_	1,629,650	618,710
	1,409,118	1,662,402	1,629,650	1,441,870

Purposes of Restricted Funds

Hardship Funds: This fund is to assist needy students with the costs of travel, books, materials, protective clothing etc and registration fees with awarding bodies.

1,791,554

1,753,200

1,409,118

Childcare Funds: This fund is to provide childcare fees for students.

Initial Teachers Training: This fund covers the cost of additional training for teaching staff to ensure they are fully accredited to the highest standards.

Purposes of Unrestricted Funds

Revaluation Fund: This fund is required by the Companies Act 1985 and represents the amount by which land and buildings exceed their historical cost.

General Funds: These are incoming resources receivable or generated for the objects of the charity without specified purpose. These funds provide working capital and financial flexibility and their level is kept under regular review by the directors.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31 July 2008 (continued)

11 ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS

	Restricted Funds	Unrestricted Funds	Total
Fund balances at 31 July 2008 are represented by:	£	£	£
Tangible Fixed Assets Current Assets Current Liabilities	5,602 -	1,000,400 508,026 (66,556)	1,000,400 513,628 (66,556)
Total Net Assets	5,602	1,441,870	1,447,472

12 SHARE CAPITAL

The company is limited by guarantee and does not have a share capital. Each member's guarantee is limited to £1.

13 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

No director received any remuneration during the year, or had any personal interest in any contract or transaction entered into by the company during the year (2007: Nil).

14 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

There were no capital commitments or contingent liabilities at the balance sheet date. The company occupies one of its premises under a 5 year lease which commenced in February 2006. The rent is £58,000 per annum, index linked.

The company also occupies a building which is owned by the Roman Catholic diocese of Southwark. These premises are occupied under an informal licence agreement under which no rent is payable but the company is responsible for the upkeep and good decorative condition of the internal part of the building and for its general running costs. The company's occupation of the building is conditional upon it continuing to be used for the activities of a charitable educational institution and for no other purpose. Given this overriding condition the company does not consider that the provision of the use of the premises has any financial 'market value' in the generally accepted sense and accordingly no value is attributed thereto within the financial statements. The company is currently in the process of formalising this arrangement.

THESE NOTES FORM AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS