BRAUNSTONE MOTOR PROJECT LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2000



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COMPANY INFORMATION

DIRECTORS

Mrs J. Setchfield

Rev R. Daniel Mr S. Hall

Mr C. Tipper (appointed 7/7/00)

SECRETARY

Mr R. Bindioss

COMPANY NUMBER

2866958

CHARITY NUMBER

1047121

REGISTERED OFFICE

9 Cantrell Road Braunstone Leicester LE3 1SD

BANKERS

HSBC Bank Plc

11 Hinckley Road

Leicester LE3 OLG

AUDITORS

Pole Arnold

Chartered Accountants Stoughton House

Harborough Road Oadby

Leicester LE2 4LP

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

31ST MARCH 2000

The directors present their Annual Report, together with the Accounts for the year ended 31st March 2000.

ACTIVITIES

The Braunstone Motor Project is a non-profit making organisation, operating motor vehicle oriented youth training and recreational facilities in Braunstone and other areas of Leicester. Its activities are focused particularly on under-privileged, disabled and other disadvantaged young people and it operates appropriate anti-discrimination and equal opportunities policies. The Project's training programmes have significantly increased during the year. The Project produces detailed reports including full analyses of the number and categories of the users of its facilities.

FUNDING

The principal source of finance in the year was in the form of grants received from the National Lottery Charities Board and funding for training from Leicester City Council's Single Regeneration Budgets, the Department for Education and Employment and the European Social Fund (via Loughborough Technical College).

Additionally the Project generates a level of income itself through charges to certain categories of users of its courses and facilities.

In the period since its inception, the Project has also received grant funding from "Safer Cities", the Urban Programme, Leicestershire Training and Enterprise Council, and the Retail Motor Industry Training Board (ReMIT). In addition, donations have been received from "Children in Need" and a number of other organisations and private individuals.

The Project is supported by the following agencies, each of which is entitled to be represented on the Management Committee that advises the Board on the management of the affairs of the Project:

Leicestershire Police Service
Leicestershire Probation Service
Leicester City Council
Leisure Services Department, Leicester City Council
Housing Department, Leicester City Council
Braunstone Rectory Team
Wycliffe Community College
The Oaks Centre
Leicester Action for Youth Trust
Turning Point Women's Centre
Juvenile Offenders Resources Team, Leicester

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS CONTINUED

31ST MARCH 2000

INCORPORATION

Brauntone Motor Project Ltd was incorporated on 28th October 1993 as a company limited by guarantee of £1, regulated by its memorandum and articles of association. It assumed the activities, assets and liabilities of Braunstone Motor Project at that date.

CHARITABLE STATUS

Charitable status was granted to the company on 13th June 1995.

FINANCIAL RESULTS

The activities for the year to 31st March 2000 show a deficit of income over expenditure of £11, leaving a balance of accumulated funds carried forward at that date of £9,654 which the directors consider to be adequate for the fulfilment of obligations of the Project.

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

Funding from the National Lottery Charities Board over three years provides the Project with a solid basis to develop its activities. In the coming year it aims to further extend its facilities and services, particularly in the provision of job-oriented mechanics courses for young people from Braunstone and other areas of the city of Leicester where social and economic difficulties are in evidence.

FIXED ASSETS

Details of movements in fixed assets are shown in note 7 to the accounts.

INVESTMENTS

As an integral part of the charitable activities, users of the facilities are involved in the refurbishment of classic motorbikes. These motorbikes are then displayed in museums. The motorbikes are owned by the Braunstone Motor Project and when refurbished have a value. This value is reflected in the balance sheet at estimated market value. The costs of the original bike are expended through the Statement of Financial Activities at the time of purchase as are the costs of refurbishment as they cannot be separately identified from the whole programme of activities.

DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

The directors who served during the period were:

Mrs Janet Setchfield Rev. Rajinder Daniel Mr Steve Hall

Mr Christopher Tipper was appointed as a director on 7th July 2000.

The appointment of directors is governed by the Articles of Association.

The directors have no interests in shares or contracts of the company.

The directors meet on a six weekly basis.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS CONTINUED

31ST MARCH 2000

The day-to-day activities of the Project are managed by Mr Robert Bindloss, who also acts as company secretary.

AUDITORS

Messrs Pole Arnold have been appointed as auditors to the company.

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are required by law to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the financial activities of the company and its financial position at the end of that year. In preparing those financial statements the directors are required to:

- (a) select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- (b) make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- (c) state whether the policies adopted are in accordance with the Companies Act 1985 and with applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- (d) prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that the company will continue in operation.

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

SMALL COMPANY EXEMPTIONS

The report of the directors has been prepared in accordance with the special provision of part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

APPROVAL

This report was approved by the board of directors on 22nd September 2000 and signed on its behalf.

R. Bindloss, Secretary

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF

BRAUNSTONE MOTOR PROJECT LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 11 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 7.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

As described on page 3, the company's directors who are also the trustees of the charity, are responsible for the preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

BASIS OF 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 of the state of the company's affairs as at 31st March 2000 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, in the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1985.

Stoughton House Harborough Road Oadby Leicester

Date: 6th October 2000

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2000

		2000		1999	
Summary Income and Expenditure	Notes	Restricted Funds £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
INCOMING RESOURCES: Grants and training funding Activities and courses Bank interest received	3	130,624 - -	13,185 214	130,624 13,185 214	67,220 7,621 173
Total		130,624	13,399	144,023	75,014
RESOURCES USED: Direct Charitable Expenditure Administration Costs Total expenditure	4 5	110,870 19,754 ——— 130,624	9,890 3,520 13,410	120,760 23,274 144,034	70,649 5,977 76,626
NET RESOURCES USED		-	(11)	(11)	(1,612)
STATEMENT OF RECOGNISED GAIN AND LOSSES Unrealised gain on investments	S	-	5,000	5,000	-
Accumulated Funds brought forward			4,665	4,665	6,277
Accumulated Funds carried forward	16	-	9,654	9,654	4,665

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the above two financial years.

The company has no other recognised gains and losses for the above two financial years.

The notes on pages 7 to 11 form part of these accounts.

BALANCE SHEET - 31ST MARCH 2000

	NOTES	2000 <u>£</u>	<u>1999</u> <u>£</u>
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible Assets Investments	7 8	10,691 5,000	14,386
		15,691	14,386
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors Cash at Bank and in Hand	9	1,195 5,431	302 2,158
		6,626	2,460
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	10	(6,407)	(4,001)
NET CURRENT ASSETS (LIABILITIES)		219	(1,541)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		15,910	12,845
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due after more than one year	11	(6,256)	(8,180)
		9,654	4,665
CAPITAL AND RESERVES Unrestricted funds	16	9,654	4,665

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

Signed on behalf of the Directors, who approved the accounts on 22nd September 2000.

J. Setchfield Director

The attached notes form part of these accounts.

Myserchfield.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31ST MARCH 2000

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following accounting policies have been applied for items which are considered material in the context of the accounts:

1.1 Basis of Accounting

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards and the Statement of Recommended Practice.

1.2 Fixed Assets and Depreciation

Fixed assets acquired using Unrestricted Funds are capitalised and depreciated on a straight line basis at the rate of 25% per annum. Where the value of any asset is considered to have permanently diminished, a further charge is made to write it down to its estimated realisable value. Vehicles and other equipment purchased from specific training grants are charged as expenditure in the year of purchase.

1.3 Grant Income

Grant income is credited in the year in which it is receivable. Grants received for specific purposes are accounted for as restricted funds.

1.4 Investments

Investments are stated at market value as determined by the directors. Realised and unrealised gains and losses on investments are dealt with in the Statement of Financial Activities.

1.5 Value Added Tax

Value added tax is not recoverable by the charity, and as such is included in the relevant costs in the Statement of Financial Activities.

1.6 Finance Leases

Assets obtained under finance leases are capitalised as tangible fixed assets. Depreciation is charged over the estimated useful life of the asset. Finance leases are those where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership are assumed by the charity. Obligations under such leases are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of each payment is charged to the Statement of Financial Activities so as to produce a constant periodic rate on the net obligation outstanding in each period.

1.7 Operating Leases

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are reflected in the Statement of Financial Activities as incurred.

1.8 Expenditure on Management and Administration of the Charity

Administration expenditure includes all expenditure not directly related to the charitable activity. This includes costs of renting and running office premises, staff salaries for administrative staff and audit fees.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31ST MARCH 2000

2.	OPERATING SURPLUS	<u>2000</u> £	<u>1999</u> £
	This is stated after charging Depreciation of Tangible Fixed Assets		
	- owned by the company	1,327	2,185
	- held under hire purchase contracts	2,911	485
	Auditor's Remuneration	1,000	-
3.	GRANT INCOME	2000 £	<u>1999</u> £
	National Lottery Charities Board	60,117	40,778
	Leicester City Council - SRB2	10,500	15,819
	Leicester City Council - SRB4	13,531	
	European Social Fund	3,856	5,295
	DFEE Adult Community Learning Fund	42,620 ———	5,328
		130,624	67,220
4.	DIRECT CHARITABLE EXPENDITURE	<u>2000</u> £	<u>1999</u> £
	Salaries	68,577	45,408
	Vehicle running, maintenance and travel costs	6,735	6,724
	Tools and consumables	8,339	3,690
	Equipment and vehicle purchase	7,851	2,250
	Insurance	2,844	2,810
	External courses and licenses	7,166	6,267
	Occupancy costs	3,087	-
	Creche facilities	3,883 6,837	833
	Miscellaneous expenditure Hire purchase interest	6,837 1,803	674 158
	Depreciation	4,238	2,670
	Profit on sale of fixed assets	(600)	(835)
		120,760	70,649
5.	ADMINISTRATION EXPENDITURE	<u>2000</u>	<u>1999</u>
		T.	£
	Salaries	14,565	4,252
	Office costs	7,608	1,671
	Audit	1,000	-
	Bank interest and charges	101	54
		23,274	5,977
			

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31ST MARCH 2000

6. STAFF COSTS

The average number of staff employed was seven (1999 five).	Staff salary costs
comprised:	

	<u>2000</u> £	<u>1999</u> £
Wages and salaries Social security contributions	77,405 5,737	45,694 3,966
	83,142	49,660

The directors received no emoluments.

7.	FIXED ASSETS	Motor Vehicles Eq	Office Juipment	Plant	Tools	Total
	Cost: At 1st April 1999 Additions Disposals	17,473 543 (2,291)	1,622 - -	4,524 - (3,674)	7,589 - -	31,208 543 (5,965)
	Balance at 1st April 2000	15,725	1,622	850	7,589	25,786
	Depreciation:					
	At 31st March 1999	3,923	786	4,524	7,589	16,822
	Charge for the year	3,931	307	-	-	4,238
	On disposals	(2,291)	-	(3,674)	-	(5,965)
	Balance at 31st March 2000	5,563	1,093	850	7,589	15,095
	Net book value at					
	31st March 2000	10,162	529			10,691
	Net book value at			<u> </u>		
	31st March 1999	13,550	836	-	-	14,386

All the assets of the company are used in the direct charitable objectives. Included in the above net book values are assets held under finance leases as follows:-

	<u>2000</u> £	<u>1999</u> £
Motor Vehicles	8,249	11,160

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31ST MARCH 2000

8.	INVESTMENTS	<u>2000</u> £	1999 £
	Classic Motorbikes	5,000	-
	These investments are shown at the directors estimated market	value.	
	The motorbikes are bought in poor condition and refurbished as activities by users of Project. These costs are written off at the valuation is not recognised until the motorbikes are in a condition museums.	time of expens	
9	DEBTORS	2000 £	<u>1999</u> £
	Activities and courses Other	1,195 -	260 42
		1,195	302
10.	CREDITORS - Amounts falling due within one year	2000 £	1999 £
	Taxation and social security Other creditors Accruals Hire purchase	1,000 2,789 2,618	2,553
		6,407 ———	4,001
11.	CREDITORS - Amounts falling due after one year	2000 £	<u>1999</u> £
	Hire purchase	6,256	8,180
	Of creditors falling due within and after one year £8,874 (1999	£10,773) are s	secured.
12.	BORROWINGS	2000 £	1999 £
	Hire purchase creditors: Falling due within 1 year Falling due between 1 and 2 years Falling due between 2 and 5 years	2,618 6,256 - 8,874	2,553 2,553 5,627 10,773

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS - 31ST MARCH 2000

13. OPERATING LEASES

Amounts falling due within one year under noncancellable operating leases are as follows:-

	cancellable operating leases are	as follows:	-	2000 Land & Buildings £	1999 Land & Buildings £
	Leases expiring within 2 to 5 years	ears		4,700	-
14.	RESTRICTED FUNDS	Balance 1/4/00 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Balance 31/3/00 £
	National Lottery Charity Board SRB2 DFEE ESF SRB4 - 1st Gear SRB4 - BOES	-	60,117 10,500 42,620 3,856 4,016 9,515 ———————————————————————————————————	60,117 10,500 42,620 3,856 4,016 9,515 ———————————————————————————————————	- - - - - -
15.	ANALYSIS OF FUND BALANCE BETWEEN NET ASSETS	<u>s</u>	Unrestricted £	Restricted £	Total £
	Tangible Fixed Assets Investments Net Current Assets Long Term Liabilities		10,691 5,000 219 (6,256) 9,654	-	10,691 5,000 219 (6,256) 9,654
16.	MOVEMENT ON RESERVES		Unrestricted £	Restricted £	Total £
	Balance Brought Forward Deficit for the year Unrealised gains		4,665 (11) 5,000	- - -	4,665 (11) 5,000
	Balance Carried Forward		9,654		9,654

17. SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES

The company has no share capital and is limited by guarantee of £1.

The company's accumulated funds are available for future use in furtherance of the objects of the company.