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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

**To the Board of Trustees of Trust for Democratic Education and Accountability**

**Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Trust for Democratic Education and Accountability ("the Trust"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2024, the statement of income and expenditure, the statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in funds, the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of material accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Trust as at 30 June 2024, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance approved accounting and reporting standard as applicable in Pakistan.

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) as applicable in Pakistan. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Trust in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants as adopted by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (the Code), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### **Emphasis of matter - Registration under Islamabad Capital Territory Trust Act, 2020**

We draw attention to Note 1.2 to the financial statements which explains that the Trust has filed an application for re-registration as required under Section 112 (2) of the Islamabad Capital Territory Trust Act, 2020, ("the Act") which states that all the trusts previously registered under the Trust Act, 1882 must now be registered under the Act. However, it remains unregistered under the Act as at the year end. Management, based on legal opinion, believes that till the time application for registration under the Act is processed by the Competent Authority, the Trust's registration under the Trust Act, 1882 stands valid and there is no further obligation on part of the Trust. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

### **Responsibilities of Management and Board of Trustees for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with approved accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.



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In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Trust's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Trust or to cease operations. or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board of Trustees is responsible for overseeing the Trust's financial reporting process.

### **Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs as applicable in Pakistan will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs as applicable in Pakistan, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Trust's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Trust's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Trust to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.



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We communicate with the Board of Trustees regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditors' report is Muhammad Ubbaid Ullah.

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TRUST FOR DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION AND  
ACCOUNTABILITY

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 30 June 2024



TRUST FOR DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY  
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION  
AS AT 30 JUNE 2024

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>NON CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Property and equipment	6	6,218,538	6,561,151
Intangible asset	7	-	97,363
Right of use asset	8	20,862,224	27,364,736
		27,080,762	34,023,250
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Advances	9	15,840,352	14,476,089
Security deposits		1,049,480	1,059,480
Other receivables	10	3,775,603	543,824
Advance tax - net	11	3,620,031	1,486,986
Cash and bank balances	12	135,450,189	220,863,901
		159,735,655	238,430,280
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>186,816,417</b>	<b>272,453,530</b>
<b>RESERVES AND LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>RESERVES</b>			
Reserve for contingencies and assets	13	27,251,428	14,673,037
Restricted reserve fund	14	45,775,573	25,776,374
		73,027,001	40,449,411
<b>NON CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Deferred capital grants	15	2,881,642	2,096,316
Restricted grants	16	54,167,912	161,629,141
Lease liability	17	21,881,337	24,524,129
		78,930,891	188,249,586
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Trade and other payables	18	29,639,874	37,719,326
Current portion of lease liability	17	5,218,651	6,035,207
		34,858,525	43,754,533
<b>TOTAL RESERVES AND LIABILITIES</b>		<b>186,816,417</b>	<b>272,453,530</b>
<b>CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS</b>	19		

The annexed notes from 1 to 28 form an integral part of these financial statements.

  
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CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

TRUST FOR DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY  
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>INCOME</b>			
Grant income	16	827,430,037	626,035,241
Amortization of deferred capital grant	15	1,983,105	3,668,426
Other income	20	27,773,191	9,117,858
		<b>857,186,333</b>	<b>638,821,525</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>			
Projects' expenses	21	(827,430,037)	(626,035,241)
Administrative expenses	22	(2,048,493)	(19,211,430)
		<b>(829,478,530)</b>	<b>(645,246,671)</b>
<b>Surplus before interest and tax</b>		<b>27,707,803</b>	<b>(6,425,146)</b>
Finance income		4,869,787	4,064,973
Finance cost		-	(3,286,079)
Net finance income		4,869,787	778,894
<b>Surplus / (deficit) before tax</b>		<b>32,577,590</b>	<b>(5,646,251)</b>
Taxation	23	-	(3,245,122)
<b>Surplus/ (deficit) for the year</b>		<b>32,577,590</b>	<b>(8,891,373)</b>

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KPMG/CEO  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

TRUST FOR DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY  
STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
Surplus / (deficit) for the year	32,577,590	(8,891,373)
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-
Total comprehensive income /(loss) for the year	<u>32,577,590</u>	<u>(8,891,373)</u>

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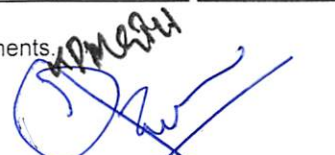
  
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TRUST FOR DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY  
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOW  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

		2024	2023
		Rupees	Rupees
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>Note</b>		
Surplus / (deficit) before tax		32,577,590	(5,646,251)
<b>Adjustment for:</b>			
Depreciation on property and equipment	6	3,434,006	4,731,489
Depreciation on right of use asset	8	6,502,512	7,825,804
Amortization of intangible asset	7	97,362	531,418
Grant income	16	(827,430,037)	(626,035,241)
Amortization of deferred capital grant	15	(1,983,105)	(3,668,426)
Deferred capital grants written off	15	(213,032)	(139,300)
(Gain)/ loss on disposal of property and equipment	22	(12,362,617)	277,941
Interest on lease liability	17	6,365,852	6,249,604
Gain on termination of lease	20	-	(8,518,140)
Exchange (gain)/ loss		(14,147,542)	3,293,203
Interest income on saving accounts		(4,869,787)	(4,064,973)
		<b>(844,606,388)</b>	<b>(619,516,621)</b>
Net cash used in operating activities before working capital changes		<b>(812,028,798)</b>	<b>(625,162,872)</b>
<b>Changes in working capital</b>			
Advances		(1,364,263)	9,005,382
Security deposits		10,000	1,045,000
Other receivables		90,151	936,070
Trade and other payables		678,692	(11,603,987)
		<b>(585,420)</b>	<b>(617,535)</b>
Restricted grants received - net	16	714,271,288	647,922,011
Income taxes paid		(2,133,045)	(4,217,628)
<b>Net cash (used in) / generated from operating activities</b>		<b>(100,475,975)</b>	<b>17,923,976</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>			
Additions to property and equipment	6	(4,368,775)	(3,091,874)
Proceeds from interest income on saving accounts		4,869,787	4,064,973
Proceeds from disposal of property and equipment		13,640,000	109,426
<b>Net cash generated from investing activities</b>		<b>14,141,012</b>	<b>1,082,525</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>			
Exchange gain		10,746,451	-
Lease rentals paid		(9,825,200)	(10,988,172)
<b>Net cash generated from / used in financing activities</b>		<b>921,251</b>	<b>(10,988,172)</b>
Net (decrease) / increase in cash and cash equivalents		<b>(85,413,712)</b>	<b>8,018,329</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		220,863,901	212,845,572
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	12	<b>135,450,189</b>	<b>220,863,901</b>

The annexed notes from 1 to 28 form an integral part of these financial statements.

  
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TRUST FOR DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY  
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	Note	RESTRICTED		UNRESTRICTED	Total
		Reserve for contingencies and assets	Restricted reserve fund	Accumulated surplus	
		Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	
Balance at 01 July 2022		14,149,694	32,256,233	2,934,857	49,340,784
Deficit for the year		-	-	(8,891,373)	(8,891,373)
Transfers	13 & 14	523,343	(6,479,859)	5,956,516	-
		523,343	(6,479,859)	(2,934,857)	(8,891,373)
Balance at 30 June 2023		14,673,037	25,776,374	-	40,449,411
Balance at 01 July 2023		14,673,037	25,776,374	-	40,449,411
Surplus for the year		-	-	32,577,590	32,577,590
Transfers	13 & 14	12,578,391	19,999,199	(32,577,590)	-
		12,578,391	19,999,199	-	32,577,590
Balance at 30 June 2024		27,251,428	45,775,573	-	73,027,001

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*Mohammad Washeen*  
CHAIRPERSON



CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

**TRUST FOR DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY**  
**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2024**

**1 LEGAL STATUS AND OPERATIONS**

The Trust for Democratic Education and Accountability ("Trust" ) was established in October 2008 under the Trust Act, 1882. The beneficiaries of the Trust will be general public of all ages, gender, race, ethnicity, creed and religions in Pakistan.

The Trustees of Trust consult the General Council comprising representatives of all Free and Fair Election Network (FAFEN) member organizations on programmatic matters. The registered office of the Trust is situated at House No. 40, Orchard Scheme, Orchard Road (off Murree Road), Margalla Town, Islamabad.

The objectives of Trust are as follows:

- to educate people of all ages, gender, race, ethnicity, creed and religion about their democratic rights and responsibilities;
- to engage people and civil society groups in carrying out democratic accountabilities such as election observation, oversight of legislatures, government oversight and any other such activities as may be decided by the Board;
- to undertake research and bring out periodic print and online publication in areas it deems fit in order to inform its work and for education of public; and
- to build capacity of civil society organizations and their networks working for the advancement of democratic awareness, education and participation of general public.

**1.1 Registration With Economic Affairs Division, Government of Pakistan**

Government of Pakistan implemented the "Policy for the Regulation of Organizations Receiving Foreign Contributions, 2013 (referred as "2013 Policy"), thereafter replaced by a revised version issued by the Economic Affairs Division (EAD) in November 2022 (referred as "2022 Policy"). The Trust submitted initial application for the registration (as an organization) and signing of Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with EAD on 30 April 2018 and filed separate applications for all of its foreign funded projects on various dates, however, as of the year ended 30 June 2024, no MOU has been signed with the EAD.

Both the 2013 and 2022 Policies have been declared unlawful by the Honourable Sindh High Court and Lahore High Court respectively. Moreover, subsequent to the judgment of the Lahore High Court, EAD has stopped receiving any applications for signing of MoUs. EAD has also filed an intra court appeal in the Lahore High Court against the above judgment during December 2024. Moreover, Federal Cabinet has constituted a Committee on Regulation of Foreign Funding to Domestic Non Governmental Organizations (NGOs) as well as International Non Governmental Organizations (INGOs). The Committee will be responsible to review the foreign funding channels and suggest measures to block grey channels of funding, to make the funding trails visible and to ensure that the funds are utilized for the purpose for which they have been received. However, management based on the opinion of the legal advisor is confident that the likelihood of any unfavourable outcome adversely impacting future operations of the Trust, due to non-signing of MoU, is remote.

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**1.2 Registration under Islamabad Capital Territory Trust Act, 2020**

On 24 August 2020, Government of Pakistan enacted Islamabad Capital Territory Trust Act, 2020 (the New Act) which repealed the Trust Act, 1882. As per section 1(2) of the New Act, it shall extend to the Islamabad Capital Territory. Section 112 (2) of the New Act states that all the trusts previously registered under the Trust Act, 1882 must now be registered under the new Act within a period of six months. However, the Trust remains unregistered under the 2020 Act as at year end.

Trust is registered under the Trust Act, 1882 and is required to be registered under New Act. Sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 13 of the New Act require to provide information for registration in a manner "prescribed". Section 109 of the New Act further explains that subject to the approval of the Federal Government, the Chief Commissioner of Islamabad Capital Territory shall make rules to carry out the purposes of this Act within a period not later than the sixty days from the date of enactment of this Act.

Aforementioned rules have not been promulgated yet and in absence of the Rules, registration process cannot be initiated. Nonetheless, the Trust has filed an application with Directorate of Labour for registration under the 2020 Act, on 12 December 2022 and an online application on 28 June 2024. Management, based on legal opinion, understands that till the time application for registration under the New Act is processed by the Competent Authority, the Trust's registration under the 1882 Act stands valid and there is no further obligation on part of the Trust.

**1.3 Registration under Section 42 of the Companies Act, 2017**

Management of the Trust proposed to register a new company, under Companies Act, 2017, pursuing the objectives similar to the Trust, with an intention to transfer the assets, liabilities and contracts of the Trust to the new company and to dissolve the existing Trust. In this respect, an application was submitted to the Commissioner, Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP), on 06 April 2023, for the grant of license under section 42 of the Companies Act, 2017. The grant of license under section 42 of the Companies Act, 2017 and thereafter the transfer of assets and liabilities to the new company is subject to the approval of SECP. Management has concluded that the event is not likely to impact operations of the Trust.

**2 STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan. The approved accounting and reporting standards applicable in Pakistan comprise of:

- International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) issued by the International Accounting Standard Board (IASB) as notified under the Companies Act, 2017; and
- Accounting Standard for Not for Profit Organizations (Accounting Standard for NPOs) issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan.

**2.1 Adoption of new and revised standards and interpretations**

The following International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS Standards) as notified under the Companies Act, 2017 and the amendments and interpretations thereto will be effective for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2024:

Classification of liabilities as current or non-current (Amendments to IAS 1 in January 2020) apply retrospectively for the annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024 (as deferred vide amendments to IAS 1 in October 2022) with earlier application permitted. These amendments in the standards have been added to further clarify when a liability is classified as current. Convertible debt may need to be reclassified as 'current'. The standard also amends the aspect of classification of liability as non-current by requiring the assessment of the entity's right at the end of the reporting period to defer the settlement of liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period. An entity's expectation and discretion at the reporting date to refinance or to reschedule payments on a long-term basis are no longer relevant for the classification of a liability as current or non-current. An entity shall apply those amendments retrospectively in accordance with IAS 8.

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Non-current Liabilities with Covenants (amendment to IAS 1 in October 2022) aims to improve the information an entity provides when its right to defer settlement of a liability for at least twelve months is subject to compliance with conditions. The amendment is also intended to address concerns about classifying such a liability as current or non-current. Only covenants with which a company must comply on or before the reporting date affect the classification of a liability as current or non-current. Covenants with which the company must comply after the reporting date (i.e. future covenants) do not affect a liability's classification at that date. However, when non-current liabilities are subject to future covenants, companies will now need to disclose information to help users understand the risk that those liabilities could become repayable within 12 months after the reporting date. The amendments apply retrospectively for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, with earlier application permitted. These amendments also specify the transition requirements for companies that may have early-adopted the previously issued but not yet effective 2020 amendments to IAS 1 (as referred above).

Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback (amendment to IFRS 16 in September 2022) adds subsequent measurement requirements for sale and leaseback transactions that satisfy the requirements to be accounted for as a sale. The amendment confirms that on initial recognition, the seller-lessee includes variable lease payments when it measures a lease liability arising from a sale-and-leaseback transaction. After initial recognition, the seller-lessee applies the general requirements for subsequent accounting of the lease liability such that it recognizes no gain or loss relating to the right of use it retains. A seller-lessee may adopt different approaches that satisfy the new requirements on subsequent measurement. The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024 with earlier application permitted. Under IAS 8, a seller-lessee will need to apply the amendments retrospectively to sale-and-leaseback transactions entered into or after the date of initial application of IFRS 16 and will need to identify and re-examine sale-and-leaseback transactions entered into since implementation of IFRS 16 in 2019, and potentially restate those that included variable lease payments. If an entity (a seller-lessee) applies the amendments arising from Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback for an earlier period, the entity shall disclose that fact.

Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture (Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28) amend accounting treatment on loss of control of business or assets. The amendments also introduce new accounting for less frequent transaction that involves neither cost nor full step-up of certain retained interests in assets that are not businesses. The effective date for these changes has been deferred indefinitely until the completion of a broader review.

Supplier Finance Arrangements (amendments to IAS 7 and IFRS 7) introduce two new disclosure objectives for a company to provide information about its supplier finance arrangements that would enable users (investors) to assess the effects of these arrangements on the company's liabilities and cash flows, and the company's exposure to liquidity risk. Under the amendments, companies also need to disclose the type and effect of non-cash changes in the carrying amounts of the financial liabilities that are part of a supplier finance arrangement. The amendments also add supplier finance arrangements as an example to the existing disclosure requirements in IFRS 7 on factors a company might consider when providing specific quantitative liquidity risk disclosures about its financial liabilities. The amendments are effective for periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, with early application permitted. However, some relief from providing certain information in the year of initial application is available.

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Lack of Exchangeability (amendments to IAS 21) clarify:

- when a currency is exchangeable into another currency; and
- how a company estimates a spot rate when a currency lacks exchangeability.

Further, companies will need to provide new disclosures to help users assess the impact of using an estimated exchange rate on the financial statements. These disclosures might include:

- the nature and financial impacts of the currency not being exchangeable;
- the spot exchange rate used;
- the estimation process; and
- risks to the company because the currency is not exchangeable.

The amendments apply for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025. Earlier application is permitted. Earlier application is permitted.

Amendments to the Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments – Amendments to IFRS 9 Financial Instruments and IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures:

- Financial Assets with ESG-Linked features: Under IFRS 9, it was unclear whether the contractual cash flows of some financial assets with ESG-linked features represented SPPI. This could have resulted in financial assets with ESG-linked features being measured at fair value through profit or loss.

Although the new amendments are more permissive, they apply to all contingent features, not just ESG-linked features. While the amendments may allow certain financial assets with contingent features to meet the SPPI criterion, companies may need to perform additional work to prove this. Judgement will be required in determining whether the new test is met.

The amendments introduce an additional SPPI test for financial assets with contingent features that are not related directly to a change in basic lending risks or costs – e.g., where the cash flows change depending on whether the borrower meets an ESG target specified in the loan contract.

The amendments also include additional disclosures for all financial assets and financial liabilities that have certain contingent features that are:

- not related directly to a change in basic lending risks or costs; and
- are not measured at fair value through profit or loss.

The amendments apply for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2026. Companies can choose to early-adopt these amendments (including the associated disclosure requirements), separately from the amendments for the recognition and derecognition of financial assets and financial liabilities.

- Recognition / Derecognition requirements of Financial Assets / liabilities by Electronic Payments: The amendments to IFRS 9 clarify when a financial asset or a financial liability is recognized and derecognized and provide an exception for certain financial liabilities settled using an electronic payment system. Companies generally derecognize their trade payables on the settlement date (i.e., when the payment is completed). However, the amendments provide an exception for the derecognition of financial liabilities. The exception allows the company to derecognize its trade payable before the settlement date, when it uses an electronic payment system that meets all of the following criteria:

- no practical ability to withdraw, stop or cancel the payment instruction;
- no practical ability to access the cash to be used for settlement as a result of the payment instruction; and
- the settlement risk associated with the electronic payment system is insignificant.

The amendments apply for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2026. Earlier application is permitted

The above amendments are effective from annual period beginning on or after 1 July 2024 and are not likely to have an impact on the Trust's financial statements.

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**TRUST FOR DEMOCRATIC EDUCATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY**  
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**3 BASIS OF PREPARATION**

**3.1 Basis of measurement**

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention except for lease liability which is initially measured at present value.

**3.2 Functional and presentation currency**

Items included in the financial statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which Trust operates. These financial statements are presented in Pakistan Rupees ("Rupees") which is the functional and presentation currency of Trust.

**4 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS AND ESTIMATES**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with approved accounting standards requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgment in the process of applying Trust's accounting policies. Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience, including the expectation of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimates are revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods. The areas involving a higher degree of judgment or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are as follows:

1. Useful lives of assets, residual value and methods of depreciation and amortization - note 5.1 and 5.2
2. Taxation - note 5.7
3. Right of use asset and corresponding lease liability - note 5.1.2 and 5.16

**5 MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION**

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these financial statements except for the changes described below:

The Company adopted disclosure of Accounting Policies (Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2) from 01 July 2023. Although the amendments did not result in any change to the accounting policies themselves, they impacted the accounting policy information disclosed in these financial statements. The amendments require the disclosure of 'material', rather than 'significant' accounting policies. The amendments also provide guidance on the application of materiality to disclosure of accounting policies, assisting entities to provide useful, entity-specific accounting policy information that users need to understand from the financial statements. Management reviewed the accounting policies and made updates to the information disclosed in material accounting policies which are stated in the sub-notes.

The Company has consistently applied the following policies to all periods presented in these financial statements, except if mentioned otherwise.

**5.1 Property and equipment**

**5.1.1 Owned:**

Items of property and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset.

Depreciation is charged on straight line basis at rates specified in note 6 to the financial statements so as to write off the cost of property and equipment over their estimated useful lives. Full month's depreciation is charged in the month of purchase while no depreciation is charged in the month of disposal.

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Subsequent costs are included in the assets carrying amount when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to Trust and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. Carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognized. All other repair and maintenance expenses are charged to income and expenditure account during the year.

Any gain or loss on disposal of an item of property and equipment is determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal with the carrying amounts of property and equipment and in the statement of income and expenditure.

**5.1.2 Right of use asset**

The Trust assesses whether a contract is or contain a lease at inception of the contract. The Trust recognises a right of use asset and a lease liability at the lease commencement date. The right of use asset is initially measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, less any lease incentives received.

The right of use asset is subsequently depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date to the earlier of the end of the useful life of the right of use asset or the end of the lease term. The estimated useful lives of right of use assets are determined on the same basis as those of property and equipment. In addition, the right of use asset is periodically reduced by impairment losses, if any, and adjusted for certain remeasurements of the lease liability.

**5.2 Intangible asset**

An intangible asset is recognized if it is probable that the future economic benefits that are attributable to the asset will flow to Trust and that the cost of such an asset can be measured reliably. These are stated at cost less accumulated amortization and impairment losses, if any.

Intangible assets comprise of computer software. Intangible assets are amortized on a straight line basis over their estimated useful lives at the rate specified in note 7 to the financial statements.

**5.3 Foreign currency translation and transactions**

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into the respective functional currency of the Trust at the exchange rates at the dates of the transactions.

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rates of exchange ruling on the date of the transaction. All monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into Pak Rupees at the rate of exchange ruling on the date of statement of financial position and exchange differences, if any, are charged to income and expenditure account for the year.

**5.4 Impairment of non-financial assets**

The assets that are subject to depreciation or amortization are assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication that the assets are impaired. If there is an indication of possible impairment, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated and compared with its carrying amount.

An impairment loss is recognized if the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. The impairment loss is recognized in the statement of income and expenditure, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation decrease.

An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortization, if no impairment loss had been recognized. The Trust recognizes the reversal immediately in the statement income and expenditures, unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount in accordance with the revaluation model. Any reversal of an impairment loss of a revalued asset is treated as a revaluation increase.

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**5.5 Grant**

**(a) Restricted grants**

Grants received for specific purposes are classified as restricted grants. Such grants are transferred to the income and expenditure account as grant income, to the extent of actual expenditure incurred there against. Expenditure incurred against committed grants but which are yet to be received, is accrued and recognized in income and reflected as a grant receivable, only if the conditions of agreement are met. The unspent portion of such grants are reflected as restricted grants in the statement of financial position.

**(b) Unrestricted grants**

Unconditional grants are recognized as income upon receipt.

**(c) Deferred capital grants**

**i) Grants related to assets**

Monetary grants received for capital expenditure, are accounted for as deferred capital grants. Amounts equal to the annual charge for depreciation and amortization on assets so acquired, are recognized as income in the income and expenditure account.

**ii) Non-monetary grants**

Donations received in the form of non-monetary assets are recognized at fair value and included in the income and expenditure account, when the related conditions are fulfilled.

**5.6 Overhead allocation**

Facility costs relates to cost which pertain to the expenses incurred inside the premises of Trust's office (i.e. utilities, salaries, repair and maintenance of office, supplies, rent etc). There are some expenses which are specific to each project (i.e. salary of program staff, rent for separate floor under any project etc.). These specific nature of expenses are charged completely to respective projects. For other expenses which are not specific to any project are charged to projects on the basis of level of efforts to all the programs getting benefit from that cost.

Once allocation to all the projects have been done, there still appears the cost named "Admin Cost" under facilities charge which is related to cost which cannot be allocated as those are incurred collectively for all projects (i.e. salary of CEO, BoT meeting expenses) as these kind of expenses are benefiting to all the projects. Therefore. this cost is taken to logistics head and further allocated to projects on the basis of level of efforts under "Logistics Cost".

The level of effort is determined through time written for each projects, calculated at the end of each month.

**5.7 Taxation**

Provision for current income tax is calculated on the basis of the prevailing income tax laws.

Trust has obtained the status of a "nonprofit organization" under section 2(36) of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001. As per section 100 C of the Ordinance, the Trust being a non-profit organization, is eligible to obtain a tax credit equal to one hundred percent of the tax payable against any income arising from its activities, upon the fulfilment of certain conditions.

**5.8 Provisions**

Provisions are recognized when Trust has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, and it is probable that an outflow of economic resources will be required to settle such obligations and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. Provisions are reviewed at the end of each reporting period.

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**5.9 Reserves for contingencies and assets**

Reserves for contingencies and assets is established to ensure long-term sustainability of Trust, and it is funded by income from membership fees, donations, profit on relevant deposit accounts, gain or loss on disposal of assets and the return on investments, if any, The fund is utilized for acquisition of assets for the Trust, capacity building of FAFEN Member organizations, and shortfalls in restricted reserves up to 20% of reserve (excluding interest and investment income).

**5.10 Restricted reserve fund**

The Restricted reserve fund is established to ensure sustainability of Trust operational activities and it is funded by management fees, the related profit on the restricted reserve fund's deposit accounts, net receipts from fixed price contracts, and cost recovery from projects through implementing office cost and administrative cost. The fund is utilized for operational expenses (non-recoverable) not chargeable to any donor, bridge financing of operational expenses (recoverable), tax expenses and disallowances and logistical expenses of the Board of Trustees/Executive Council meetings.

**5.11 Employee benefits**

**5.11.1 Short-term employee benefits**

Short-term employee benefits are expensed as the related service is provided. A liability is recognized for the amount expected to be paid if the Trust has a present legal or constructive obligation to pay this amount as a result of past service provided by the employee and the obligation can be estimated reliably.

**5.11.2 Provident Fund**

The Trust maintains a funded contributory provident fund for all regular eligible employees. The employees contributed a monthly amount at the rate of 4.17% of their gross salary till 31st January 2024. Afterwards each member subscribes monthly to the Fund at the rate of 6.25% of the gross salary with equal contribution by the Trust. Trust's corresponding contributions also at the same rates and is charged to the statement of income and expenditure.

Obligations for contributions to plan is recognized as an employee benefit expense in statement of income and expenditure when they are due.

**5.12 Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents in the statement of cash flow comprise of cash in hand and at banks.

**5.13 Financial instruments**

The Trust initially recognizes financial assets on the date when they are originated. Financial liabilities are initially recognized on the trade date when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

**5.13.1 Financial assets**

**Classification**

On initial recognition, a financial asset is classified as measured at:

- amortized cost;
- fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI); or
- fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)

The classification of financial assets at initial recognition depends on the financial asset's contractual cash flow characteristics and the Trust's business model for managing them.

**Financial instruments**

**(a) Amortized cost**

A financial asset is measured at amortized cost if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL: (i) it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and (ii) its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

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**(b) Fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI)**

A debt investment is measured at FVOCI if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL: (i) it is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets; and (ii) its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

**(c) Fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)**

All financial assets not classified as measured at amortized cost or FVOCI as described above are measured at FVTPL.

**Subsequent measurement**

**- Financial assets at amortised cost**

Measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. The amortized cost is reduced by impairment losses. Interest income, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairment are recognized in statement of income and expenditure. Any gain or loss on de-recognition is recognized in statement of income and expenditure. The Trust's financial assets at amortized cost include other receivables and bank balances.

**- Financial assets at FVTPL**

Measured at fair value. Net gains and losses, including any interest or dividend income, are recognized in profit or loss. The Trust does not have any financial asset at fair value through profit or loss.

**- Debt investments at FVOCI**

These assets are subsequently measured at fair value. Interest income calculated using the effective interest method, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairment are recognized in income and expenditure. Other net gains and losses are recognized in OCI. On de-recognition, gains and losses accumulated in OCI are reclassified to statement of income and expenditure.

**- Equity investments at FVOCI**

These assets are subsequently measured at fair value. Dividends are recognized as income in profit or loss unless the dividend clearly represents a recovery of part of the cost of the investment. Other net gains and losses are recognized in OCI and are never reclassified to profit or loss. The Trust does not have any investment in equity instrument.

**Derecognition**

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is primarily derecognized (i.e., removed from the Trust's statement of financial position) when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired; or
- The Trust has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement; and either (a) the Trust has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) the Trust has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

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**5.13.2 Impairment of financial asset**

The Trust recognises loss allowance for Expected Credit Loss (ECL) on financial assets measured at amortised cost and FVTOCI at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs except for the financial assets in which there is no significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition or financial assets which are determined to have low credit risk at the reporting date, in which case 12 months' ECL is recorded.

For financial assets (if any) the Trust applies IFRS 9 simplified approach to measure the expected credit losses (loss allowance) which uses a life time expected allowance. The Trust uses General 3-stage approach for other financial assets i.e. to measure ECL through loss allowance at an amount equal to 12-month ECL if credit risk on a financial instruments has not increased significantly since initial recognition.

Loss allowance for financial assets (if any) are always measured at an amount equal to life time ECLs.

Life time ECLs are the ECLs that results from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument. 12 months ECLs are portion of ECL that result from default events that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date.

ECLs are a probability weighted estimate of credit losses. Credit losses are measured at the present value of all cash shortfalls (i.e. the difference between cash flows due to the entity in accordance with the contract and cash flows that the Trust expects to receive).

The gross carrying amount of a financial asset is written off when the Trust has no reasonable expectation of recovering a financial asset in its entirety or a portion thereof.

**5.13.3 Financial liabilities**

Financial liabilities are classified as measured at amortized cost or FVTPL. A financial liability is classified as at FVTPL if it is classified as held-for-trading, it is a derivative or it is designated as such on initial recognition. Financial liabilities at FVTPL are measured at fair value and net gains and losses, including any interest expense, are recognized in the statement of income and expenditure. Other financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. Interest expense and foreign exchange gains and losses are recognized in statement of income and expenditure. Any gain or loss on derecognition is also included in statement of income and expenditure. The Trust's financial liabilities include accrued liabilities, accounts payable, lease liability and payable to implementing partners.

A financial liability is derecognized when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognized in the statement of income and expenditure.

**5.13.4 Off-setting of financial instruments**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset, and the net amount presented in the statement of financial position when, and only when, the Trust currently has a legally enforceable right to offset the amounts and intends either to settle them on a net basis or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

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**5.14 Income recognition**  
**Grants and donations**

Grants and donations are recognized as income as and when received and when the related conditions are fulfilled.

**Membership and management fees**

Membership fees are recognized when they become due, while management fees are recognized as and when the related conditions are fulfilled.

**Administration fees**

Trust recognizes administration fees over the period of time.

The administration fee charged for the execution of activities related to grant-funded projects is not considered grant income. In the context of grant-funded projects, the Trust charges administration fees to cover the costs associated with managing, coordinating, and implementing the project to recover indirect costs associated with project management, such as staff salaries, overhead expenses, and administrative support. Administration fees are considered a cost recovery mechanism to offset the indirect costs of managing the grant-funded projects.

This entails that the revenue recognition mechanism follows an over-time approach rather than an instantaneous event. Hence, the revenue is gradually recognized "over the period of time".

**Interest income on bank deposits and investments**

Interest on bank deposits and investments is recognized using the effective interest rate method.

**5.15 Fair value measurement**

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either;

- in the principal market for the asset or liability; or
- In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Trust. The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Trust uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data is available to measure fair value, maximizing the use of relevant observable inputs and minimizing the use of unobservable inputs.

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorized within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1 — Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2 — Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable; and
- Level 3 — Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable

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For assets and liabilities that are recognized in the financial statements at fair value on a recurring basis, the Trust determines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorization (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

The Trust's management determines the policies and procedures for both recurring fair value measurement and for non-recurring measurement. External valuers may be involved for valuation of significant assets and significant liabilities. For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Trust determines classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy, as explained above.

The Trust does not have such financial assets which are required to be classified in above given hierarchies.

**5.16 Lease liability**

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date, discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or if that rate cannot be readily determined, the Trust's incremental borrowing rate. Generally, the Trust uses incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate.

Lease payments in the measurement of the lease liability comprise the following:

- (i) fixed payments, including in-substance fixed payments;
- (ii) variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at
- (iii) amounts expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee; and
- (iv) the exercise price under a purchase option that the Trust is reasonably certain to exercise, lease payments in an optional renewal period if the Trust is reasonably certain to exercise an extension option, and penalties for early termination of a lease unless the Trust is reasonably certain not to terminate early.

The lease liability is measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. It is remeasured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or rate, if there is a change in the Trust's estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee, or if the Trust changes its assessment of whether it will exercise a purchase, extension or termination option.

When the lease liability is remeasured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right of use asset, or is recorded in statement of income and expenditure if the carrying amount of the right of use asset has been reduced to zero.

Variable lease payments are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which the condition that triggers those payments occurs.

The Trust has opted not to recognize right of use assets for short-term leases i.e. leases with a term of twelve (12) months or less. The payments associated with such leases are recognized in statement of income and expenditure when incurred.

**5.17 Contingent assets and liabilities**

- (i) Contingent assets are disclosed when the Trust has a possible asset that arises from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Trust. Contingent assets are not recognized until their realization becomes virtually certain.
- (ii) A contingent liability is disclosed when the Trust has a possible obligation as a result of past events, whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence, of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Trust; or the Trust has a present legal or constructive obligation that arises from past events, but it is not probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, or the amount of the obligation cannot be measured with sufficient reliability.

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6 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

	Cost				Rate per annum	Accumulated Depreciation				Net Book Value
	Balance at 01 July	Additions	Disposals	Balance at 30 June		Balance at 01 July	Charge for the year	Disposals	Balance at 30 June	Balance at 30 June
	Rupees					%	Rupees			
<b>2024</b>										
Lease hold improvements	1,465,667	24,600	-	1,490,267	20	566,298	213,666	-	779,964	710,303
Furniture and fixtures	2,623,893	838,673	-	3,462,566	14	1,178,632	269,177	-	1,447,809	2,014,757
Office equipment	4,800,933	764,063	-	5,564,996	20	4,424,902	255,764	-	4,680,666	884,330
Computer equipment	21,904,380	2,453,450	(1,607,280)	22,750,550	33	20,122,193	1,826,718	(1,607,277)	20,341,634	2,408,916
Mobile phones	375,560	287,989	-	663,549	33	340,576	122,741	-	463,317	200,232
Vehicles	11,562,828	-	(11,562,828)	-	20	9,539,511	745,940	(10,285,451)	-	-
	<u>42,733,261</u>	<u>4,368,775</u>	<u>(13,170,108)</u>	<u>33,931,928</u>		<u>36,172,112</u>	<u>3,434,006</u>	<u>(11,892,728)</u>	<u>27,713,390</u>	<u>6,218,538</u>
<b>2023</b>										
Lease hold improvements	4,633,332	1,014,807	(4,182,472)	1,465,667	20	4,068,211	462,206	(3,964,119)	566,298	899,369
Furniture and fixtures	2,253,371	1,197,219	(826,697)	2,623,893	14	1,822,048	172,085	(815,501)	1,178,632	1,445,261
Office equipment	5,879,337	24,749	(1,103,152)	4,800,933	20	5,140,278	242,538	(957,914)	4,424,902	376,032
Computer equipment	22,987,318	855,099	(1,938,037)	21,904,380	33	19,383,749	2,663,898	(1,925,454)	20,122,193	1,782,187
Mobile phones	375,560	-	-	375,560	33	278,955	61,621	-	340,576	34,984
Vehicles	11,562,828	-	-	11,562,828	20	8,410,370	1,129,141	-	9,539,511	2,023,318
	<u>47,691,746</u>	<u>3,091,874</u>	<u>(8,050,358)</u>	<u>42,733,262</u>		<u>39,103,610</u>	<u>4,731,489</u>	<u>(7,662,988)</u>	<u>36,172,112</u>	<u>6,561,151</u>

6.1 Depreciation charge has been allocated as follows:

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
Projects' expenses		-	205,553
Administrative expenses	6.2 & 22	<u>3,434,006</u>	<u>4,525,936</u>
		<u>3,434,006</u>	<u>4,731,489</u>
6.2 This depreciation charge includes:			
Depreciation on owned property and equipment - Restricted Reserve Fund and Reserve for contingencies and assets	13 & 14	1,548,263	1,386,917
Deferred capital grant	15	<u>1,885,743</u>	<u>3,139,019</u>
		<u>3,434,006</u>	<u>4,525,936</u>

6.3 Property and equipment include the cost of assets amounting to Rs 26,384,996 (2023: Rs 32,493,316) having a net book value of Rs 2,881,627 (2023: Rs 2,096,317) purchased from the deferred capital grants received from the United States Agency for International Development (USAID), the European Union (EU), Royal Netherland Embassy (RNE), United States Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor (DRL), Federal Republic of Germany- Foreign Office, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (FCDO) and the United Nation Development Programme (UNDP). Upon completion of relevant projects, these assets will be disposed off/ transferred as per the donors' guidelines.

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7 Intangible asset	Cost			Rate per annum	Accumulated Amortization			Net Book Value
	Balance at 01 July	Additions	Balance at 30 June		Balance at 01 July	Charge for the year	Balance at 30 June	Balance at 30 June
	Rupees				%	Rupees		Rupees
2024 Computer software	<u>1,597,369</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,597,369</u>	33	<u>1,500,006</u>	<u>97,362</u>	<u>1,597,369</u>	<u>-</u>
2023 Computer software	<u>1,597,369</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,597,369</u>	33	<u>968,588</u>	<u>531,418</u>	<u>1,500,006</u>	<u>97,363</u>

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7.1 Amortization charge has been allocated as follows:

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
Restricted reserve fund	14	-	2,011
Deferred capital grant	15	97,362	529,407
		<u>97,362</u>	<u>531,418</u>

8 RIGHT OF USE ASSET

Cost

Balance at 01 July		32,512,558	59,600,497
Additions during the year		-	32,512,558
Derecognition during the year		-	(59,600,497)
Balance at 30 June	8.1	<u>32,512,558</u>	<u>32,512,558</u>

Accumulated depreciation

Balance at 01 July		5,147,822	32,820,677
Charge for the year		6,502,512	7,825,804
Derecognition during the year		-	(35,498,659)
Balance at 30 June		<u>11,650,334</u>	<u>5,147,822</u>

Carrying amount

		<u>20,862,224</u>	<u>27,364,736</u>
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Useful life (years)

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Depreciation charge has been allocated as follows:

Projects' expenses	21	3,531,751	4,007,747
Administrative expenses	22	2,970,761	3,818,057
		<u>6,502,512</u>	<u>7,825,804</u>

8.1 On 30 August 2024, the Trust terminated the lease agreement for its office space, which had a remaining term of 3.5 years as of the reporting date.

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>9 ADVANCES</b>			
Advances to employees		1,257,588	2,790,229
Advance to vendors		-	13,207
Advances to implementing partners		14,582,764	11,672,653
		<u>15,840,352</u>	<u>14,476,089</u>

10 OTHER RECEIVABLES

Receivable from donors		3,321,930	-
Membership fees receivable		440,000	270,000
Others		13,673	273,824
		<u>3,775,603</u>	<u>543,824</u>

11 ADVANCE TAX - NET

Opening balance		1,486,986	514,480
Taxes paid during the year		2,133,045	972,506
		<u>3,620,031</u>	<u>1,486,986</u>

12 CASH AND BANK BALANCES

Cash in hand		10,604	32,894
Cash at bank			
- Savings accounts	12.1	134,534,364	(1,574,540)
- Current accounts		905,221	-
		135,439,585	(1,574,540)
Instruments in hand		-	222,405,547
		<u>135,450,189</u>	<u>220,863,901</u>

12.1 These carry interest at rates ranging from 8.5% to 9% (2023: 6.25% to 10.06%) per annum.

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		2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>13 RESERVE FOR CONTINGENCIES AND ASSETS</b>	<b>Note</b>		
Opening balance		14,673,037	14,149,694
Transferred to / (from) reserve for contingencies and asset:			
<b>Income</b>			
Membership fees		200,000	200,000
Interest income on saving accounts		705,996	740,904
Gain on disposal of property and equipment		12,575,647	-
<b>Expenses</b>			
Membership fees		(30,000)	-
Depreciation on owned property and equipment	6.2	(873,252)	(417,561)
		<u>12,578,391</u>	<u>523,343</u>
Closing balance		<u>27,251,428</u>	<u>14,673,037</u>

<b>14 RESTRICTED RESERVE FUND</b>			
Opening balance		25,776,374	32,256,233
Transferred to / (from) restricted reserve fund during the year:			
<b>Income</b>			
Interest income on saving accounts		4,163,791	3,324,069
Others		856,263	8,862,902
Accumulated Surplus		-	2,934,857
Exchange gain		14,141,281	-
<b>Expenses</b>			
Administrative expenses *	22	1,512,875	(14,099,119)
Tax expense for the year		-	(3,245,122)
Exchange loss	16	-	(3,286,079)
Depreciation on owned property and equipment -	6.2	(675,011)	(969,356)
Amortization on owned intangible assets		-	(2,011)
		<u>19,999,199</u>	<u>(6,479,859)</u>
Closing balance		<u>45,775,573</u>	<u>25,776,374</u>

\* Administrative expenses excludes depreciation and amortization expense for the year.

		2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>15 Deferred capital grants</b>	<b>Note</b>		
Opening balance		2,096,316	5,904,042
Assets purchased from restricted grants (transferred to deferred capital grant )	16	2,981,463	-
Deferred capital grants written off		(213,032)	(139,300)
Depreciation on property and equipment	6.2	(1,885,743)	(3,139,019)
Amortization of intangible assets	7.1	(97,362)	(529,407)
		<u>(1,983,105)</u>	<u>(3,668,426)</u>
Closing balance		<u>2,881,642</u>	<u>2,096,316</u>

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16 Restricted grants

Project	Donor	Opening balance			Grant received during the year	Interest income on saving accounts	Exchange gain/(loss)	Adjustments	Amount returned to the donor	Project expenses	Transferred to deferred capital grant	Closing balance	
		Restricted grant	Receivable from donor	Unspent balance payable to donor								Restricted grant	(Receivable) / Payable to donor
Rupees													
<b>2024</b>													
Promoting the Human Rights and Electoral Participation of People with Disabilities (PWDs), Transgender People, and Women in Pakistan (Grant no. SLMAQM17GR1167)	DRL	-	-	11,808,350	-	-	3,401,091	-	(8,407,259)	-	-	-	-
Women's Enjoyment of Rights, Empowerment and Leadership (Project no. P006189)	GAC	82,556,820	-	-	41,071,232	694,227	-	-	-	(121,272,071)	-	-	3,050,208
State of Governance in Pakistan (Grant no. ISLM/DAP-2019-20/07)	AUSAID	1,341,542	-	-	-	-	-	-	(193,037)	(1,148,505)	-	-	-
Electoral Quality and Inclusiveness in Pakistan (Grant no. SLMAQM20GR2222)	DRL	31,841,367	-	-	328,997,428	1,615,749	-	-	-	(356,048,741)	-	6,405,803	-
Election Tech Forum Project – Technology for Efficient and Effective Elections (Grant no.2020-08426)	NED	7,230,432	-	-	3,381,140	-	-	(531,707)	-	(10,079,865)	-	-	-
Election Observation in Punjab and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (24-23261A-PAK.O-2712)	NDI	-	-	-	82,877,290	1,667,335	-	-	-	(68,336,907)	-	16,207,718	-
Safe, Free and Effective Media (SAFE Media)- Grant no.SAQMIP23GR0108	DRL	-	-	-	71,125,879	175,804	-	-	-	(58,885,472)	(2,981,463)	9,434,748	-
Rights and Advancement for Marginalized Populations (RAMP)-SLMAQM21GR3234	DRL	6,085,950	-	-	128,319,646	1,569,893	-	-	-	(113,855,846)	-	22,119,643	-
Strengthening Electoral and Legislative Processes (SELP II)	UNDP	32,573,030	-	-	63,321,368	-	-	(1,413,699)	-	(97,802,630)	-	-	(3,321,931)
		161,629,141	-	11,808,350	719,093,983	5,723,008	3,401,091	(1,945,406)	(8,600,296)	(827,430,037)	(2,981,463)	54,167,912	(271,723)
<b>2023</b>													
Promoting the Human Rights and Electoral Participation of People with Disabilities (PWDs), Transgender People, and Women in Pakistan (Grant no. SLMAQM17GR1167)	DRL	8,522,271	-	-	-	-	(3,286,079)	-	-	-	-	-	11,808,350
Women's Enjoyment of Rights, Empowerment and Leadership (Project no. P006189)	GAC	131,356,647	-	-	129,447,704	14,005,836	-	-	-	(192,255,367)	-	82,556,820	-
State of Governance in Pakistan (Grant no. ISLM/DAP-2019-20/07)	AUSAID	3,539,126	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,197,584)	-	1,341,542	-
Electoral Quality and Inclusiveness in Pakistan (Grant no. SLMAQM20GR2222)	DRL	17,345,820	-	-	214,736,555	2,610,063	-	-	-	(202,851,071)	-	31,841,367	-
Election Tech Forum Project – Technology for Efficient and Effective Elections (Grant no.2020-08426)	NED	1,973,496	-	-	15,012,063	283,802	-	-	-	(10,038,929)	-	7,230,432	-
Enhancing Womens Workers Access to Market (Grant no.4000002828)	RNE	-	(4,159,125)	-	28,105,842	446,342	-	-	-	(24,393,059)	-	-	-
Enhancing Womens Political and Electoral Participation (EWPEP)	Federal Republic of Germany	-	(6,362,442)	-	147,632,105	1,933,484	-	-	(39,957,826)	(103,245,320)	-	-	-
Strengthening Media Freedom And Civic Space In Pakistan	FCDO	-	(7,924,287)	-	7,924,287	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rights and Advancement for Marginalized Populations (RAMP)-SLMAQM21GR3234	DRL	3,964,013	-	-	50,202,978	1,042,617	7,124	-	-	(49,130,782)	-	6,085,950	-
Strengthening Electoral and Legislative Processes (SELP II)	UNDP	-	-	-	73,082,460	1,413,699	-	-	-	(41,923,129)	-	32,573,030	-
		166,703,373	(18,445,854)	-	666,143,994	21,735,843	(3,278,955)	-	(39,957,826)	(626,035,241)	-	161,629,141	11,808,350

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	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>17</b>	<b>Lease liability</b>		
<b>17.1</b>	<b>Movement in lease liability</b>		
	Balance at 01 July	30,559,336	35,405,324
	Derecognition during the year	-	(32,619,978)
	Addition during the year	-	32,512,558
	Unwinding of finance cost	6,365,852	6,249,604
	Payments during the year	(9,825,200)	(10,988,172)
	Balance at 30 June	27,099,988	30,559,336
	Current portion of lease liabilities	(5,218,651)	(6,035,207)
	Non current portion of lease liabilities	21,881,337	24,524,129
<b>17.2</b>	<b>Amounts recognized in statement of income and expenditure</b>		
	Finance cost on lease liabilities	6,365,852	6,249,604
	Gain on early termination of old lease	-	(8,518,140)
<b>17.3</b>	<b>Amounts recognized in statement of cash flows</b>		
	Total cash outflows for lease	(9,825,200)	(10,988,172)
<b>17.4</b>	<b>Maturity Analysis</b>		
	The undiscounted maturity analysis of lease liabilities is as follows:		
	Not later than one year	10,577,952	9,979,200
	Later than one year but not later than five years	26,905,041	34,988,193
	Later than five years	-	-
		37,482,993	69,377,634
<b>18</b>	<b>TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES</b>		
	Accrued liabilities	4,032,000	1,019,709
	Accounts payable	8,687,978	14,474,227
	Payable to Donor	3,050,206	11,808,350
	Payable to implementing partners	13,165,202	10,205,575
	Withholding tax payable	704,488	211,465
		29,639,874	37,719,326
<b>19</b>	<b>CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS</b>		
	There are no contingencies and commitments at the current and prior year end.		
<b>20</b>	<b>OTHER INCOME</b>		
	Exchange gain	14,141,281	-
	Gain on sale of scrap	856,263	399,719
	Gain on termination of lease	-	8,518,140
	Gain on disposal of property and equipment	12,575,647	-
	Membership fees	200,000	200,000
		27,773,191	9,117,858

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	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>21 PROJECTS' EXPENSES</b>			
Women's Enjoyment of Rights, Empowerment and Leadership (Project no. P006189)	21.1	121,272,071	192,255,367
State of Governance in Pakistan (Grant no. ISLM/DAP-2019-20/07)	21.2	1,148,505	2,197,584
Electoral Quality and Inclusiveness in Pakistan (Grant no. SLMAQM20GR2222)	21.3	356,048,741	202,851,071
Election Tech Forum Project – Technology for Efficient and Effective Elections (Grant no.2020-08426)	21.4	10,079,865	10,038,929
Enhancing Women's Workers Access to Market (Grant no.4000002828)	21.5	-	24,393,059
Election Observation in Punjab and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (Grant no.24-23261A-PAK.0-2712)	21.6	68,336,907	-
Enhancing Womens Political and Electoral Participation (EWPEP)	21.7	-	103,245,320
Safe, Free and Effective Media (SAFE Media)-Grant no.SAQMIP23GR0108	21.8	58,885,472	-
Rights and Advancement for Marginalized Populations (RAMP)-SLMAQM21GR3234	21.9	113,855,846	49,130,782
Strengthening Electoral and Legislative Processes (SELP II)	21.10	97,802,630	41,923,129
		<u>827,430,037</u>	<u>626,035,241</u>
<b>21.1 Women's Enjoyment of Rights, Empowerment and Leadership (Project no. P006189)</b>			
Salaries wages and other benefits	21.1.1	7,783,554	42,953,559
Activity costs	21.1.2	83,036,158	116,880,029
Communication charges		190,382	377,289
Office supplies and stationary		1,160,897	619,446
Depreciation on right of use asset		321,972	611,215
Interest on lease liability		315,206	488,110
Office rent		71,091	90,609
Travel and accommodation		13,353,190	7,999,478
Meals and refreshment		2,015,953	1,284,847
Administrative expenses		13,023,668	20,950,785
		<u>121,272,071</u>	<u>192,255,367</u>
21.1.1 This includes a sum of Rs. 344,753 (2023: Rs. Rs. 1,775,363) on account of contributions to the employees' provident fund.			
<b>21.1.2 Activity costs</b>		<b>2024 Rupees</b>	<b>2023 Rupees</b>
Consultants and trainers cost		2,835,142	7,638,349
Multi-media campaign		19,767,083	-
Implementing partners expenses		60,433,933	109,241,680
		<u>83,036,158</u>	<u>116,880,029</u>

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	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>21.2 State of Governance in Pakistan</b>			
Consultants and trainers cost		-	2,197,584
Printing and publications		98,050	-
Travel expenses		393,521	-
Meals and Refreshment		383,547	-
Office Supplies and Stationary		430	-
Accommodation		272,957	-
		<u>1,148,505</u>	<u>2,197,584</u>
<b>21.3 Electoral Quality and Inclusiveness in Pakistan (Grant no. SLMAQM20GR2222)</b>			
Salaries wages and other benefits	21.3.1	65,484,109	62,220,015
Activity costs	21.3.2	221,263,750	101,347,007
Fuel expenses		1,194,500	1,259,271
Office supplies and stationary		1,466,852	858,419
Repairs and maintenance		33,370	74,940
Communication charges		833,070	753,705
IT Management		4,805,805	-
Depreciation on right of use asset		1,576,166	1,684,758
Interest on lease liability		1,543,040	1,345,430
Office rent		238,441	469,220
Postage, courier and carriage		86,304	74,536
Printing and publications		667,272	132,968
Travel and accommodation		25,715,917	16,218,314
Meals and refreshment		15,544,341	4,433,950
Administrative expenses		15,595,804	11,978,538
		<u>356,048,741</u>	<u>202,851,071</u>
<b>21.3.1</b>	This includes a sum of Rs. 2,955,941 (2023: Rs. 2,410,823) on account of contributions to the employees' provident fund.		
<b>21.3.2</b>	<b>Activity costs</b>	<b>2024 Rupees</b>	<b>2023 Rupees</b>
	Consultants and trainers cost	40,219,276	6,902,403
	Implementing partners expenses	181,044,474	94,444,604
		<u>221,263,750</u>	<u>101,347,007</u>

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21.4	Election Tech Forum Project Technology for Efficient and Effective Elections (Grant no.2020-08426)	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
	Salaries wages and other benefits	21.4.1	1,230,346	1,755,230
	Consultants and trainers cost		6,754,488	7,893,524
	Communication charges		35,648	79,448
	Printing & Publications		170,420	-
	Travel and accommodation		750,692	-
	Meals and refreshment		824,405	-
	Advertisement		78,000	-
	Depreciation on right of use asset		68,361	105,469
	Interest on lease liability		66,925	84,227
	Office rent		14,295	29,749
	Office supplies and stationary		30,840	34,983
	Utilities		55,445	56,299
			<u>10,079,865</u>	<u>10,038,929</u>

21.4.1 This includes a sum of Rs. 167,468 and (2023: Rs. 71,855) on account of contributions to the employees' provident fund.

21.5	Enhancing Women's Workers Access to Market (Grant no.4000002828)	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
	Salaries wages and other benefits		-	5,172,867
	Activity costs	21.5.1	-	12,143,417
	Communication charges		-	119,215
	Office supplies and stationary		-	359,146
	Depreciation on right of use asset		-	253,910
	Interest on lease liability		-	202,770
	Office rent		-	75,711
	Travel and accommodation		-	4,465,312
	Printing and publications		-	2,588
	Fuel expenses		-	136,527
	Repairs and maintenance		-	160,270
	Depreciation and amortization		-	37,617
	Office security		-	39,822
	Audit fee		-	1,000,000
	Utilities		-	145,011
	Others		-	78,876
			<u>-</u>	<u>24,393,059</u>

The project ended during the previous year on 30 September 2022 therefore no expenditure was incurred in the current year.

21.5.1	Activity costs	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
	Consultants and trainers cost	-	5,090,078
	Implementing partners expenses	-	7,053,339
		<u>-</u>	<u>12,143,417</u>

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21.6	Election Observation in Punjab and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (Grant no.24-23261A-PAK.0-2712)	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
	Salaries wages and other benefits	21.6.1	5,324,264	-
	Activity costs	21.6.2	21,748,727	-
	Communication charges		25,000	-
	Travel and accommodation		4,567,231	-
	Meals & Refreshment		29,190,074	-
	Printing and publications		1,332,943	-
	Bank Charges		30,752	-
	Administrative expenses		6,117,916	-
			<u>68,336,907</u>	<u>-</u>
21.6.1	This includes a sum of Rs. 248,894 (2023: Rs. Nil) on account of contributions to the employees' provident fund.			
21.6.2	Activity costs	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
	Consultants and trainers cost		7,515,368	-
	Implementing partners expenses		14,233,359	-
			<u>21,748,727</u>	<u>-</u>
21.7	Enhancing Womens Political and Electoral Participation (EWPEP)			
	Salaries wages and other benefits	21.7.1	-	14,015,275
	Activity costs	21.7.2	-	73,770,036
	Office supplies and equipment		-	278,294
	Repairs and maintenance		-	372,774
	Communication charges		-	458,412
	Depreciation on right of use asset		-	738,800
	Interest on lease liability		-	589,998
	Office rent		-	226,322
	Security charges		-	124,724
	Utilities		-	341,213
	Travel and accommodation		-	454,563
	Postage, courier and carriage		-	18,380
	Printing and publications		-	208,830
	Equipment support to NADRA		-	10,077,600
	Professional fee		-	417,626
	Depreciation		-	167,936
	Meal and refreshment		-	656,540
	Insurance cost		-	30,615
	Others		-	297,382
			<u>-</u>	<u>103,245,320</u>
21.7.1	The project ended during the previous year on 31 December 2022 therefore no expenditure was incurred in the current year.			

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	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>21.7.2 Activity costs</b>			
Implementing partners expenses		-	67,416,008
Consultants and trainers cost		-	6,354,028
		<u>-</u>	<u>73,770,036</u>
<b>21.8 Safe, Free and Effective Media (SAFE Media)</b>			
Salaries wages and other benefits	21.8.1	30,855,403	-
Activity costs	21.8.2	6,468,159	-
Office supplies and stationary		648,268	-
Depreciation on right of use asset		923,801	-
Interest on lease liability		904,386	-
Office rent		128,794	-
Travel and accommodation		10,730,647	-
Meals and refreshment		2,195,851	-
Fuel expenses		368,757	-
Communication charges		383,000	-
Advertisement		29,937	-
Printing and publications		63,732	-
Administrative expenses		5,184,737	-
		<u>58,885,472</u>	<u>-</u>
21.8.1	This includes a sum of Rs. 1,499,263 (2023: Rs. Nil) on account of contributions to the employees' provident fund. The project started during the current year on 19 September 2023.		
	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>21.8.2 Activity costs</b>			
Consultants and trainers cost		6,468,159	-
		<u>6,468,159</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>21.9 Rights and Advancement for Marginalized Populations (RAMP)-SLMAQM21GR3234</b>			
Salaries wages and other benefits	21.9.1	21,714,872	16,438,418
Activity costs	21.9.2	75,762,414	15,555,837
Fuel expenses		189,476	43,463
Office supplies and equipment		366,739	302,869
Communication charges		304,650	268,610
IT management		973,258	-
Depreciation on right of use asset		641,450	613,594
Interest on lease liability		627,969	490,010
Office rent		101,986	171,409
Meal and refreshment		528,841	1,345,763
Travel expenses		1,094,135	2,257,864
Printing & Publications		-	325,558
Accommodation		1,346,560	6,924,093
Administrative expenses		10,203,496	4,393,294
		<u>113,855,846</u>	<u>49,130,782</u>
21.9.1	This includes a sum of Rs. 978,475 (2023: Rs. 635,413) on account of contributions to the employees' provident fund.		
		2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>21.9.2 Activity costs</b>			
Implementing partners expenses		75,762,414	14,397,161
Consultants and trainers cost		-	1,158,676
		<u>75,762,414</u>	<u>15,555,837</u>

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21.10	Strengthening Electoral and Legislative Processes (SELP)	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
	Salaries wages and other benefits	21.10.1	7,663,033	9,175,359
	Activity costs	21.10.2	79,235,445	25,155,618
	Accommodation		242,537	758,551
	Travel expenses		1,173,803	943,481
	Meals and refreshment		246,000	854,679
	Advertisement		820,768	389,207
	Printing and publications		201,485	1,459,787
	Administrative expenses		8,219,559	3,186,447
			<u>97,802,630</u>	<u>41,923,129</u>

21.10.1 This includes a sum of Rs. 298,254 (2023: Rs. 360,838) on account of contributions to the employees' provident fund.

21.10.2	Activity costs	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
	Consultants and trainers cost		1,540,390	2,233,682
	Implementing partners expenses		77,695,055	22,921,936
			<u>79,235,445</u>	<u>25,155,618</u>

22 ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

	Consultants and trainers cost		3,845,214	210,000
	Salaries wages and other benefits	22.1	21,728,607	23,698,227
	Depreciation	6.1	3,434,006	4,525,936
	Depreciation on right of use asset	8	2,970,761	3,818,057
	Interest on lease liability		2,908,326	3,049,060
	Office rent		93,624	437,601
	Legal and professional fee		2,237,500	3,840,473
	Travel and accommodation		4,293,218	5,119,544
	Office supplies and other administrative expenses		6,312,928	3,843,338
	Auditors' remuneration	22.2	4,598,250	3,255,000
	Taxation		128,651	-
	Office security		1,620,978	1,300,504
	Amortization	7	97,362	531,418
	Utilities		3,348,345	2,212,033
	Repairs and maintenance		972,412	1,648,854
	Insurance costs		-	224,766
	Communication charges		424,740	528,169
	IT management		857,974	-
	Loss on disposal of property and equipment		-	277,941
	Fuel expenses		516,948	1,199,573
	Bank Charges		3,827	-
	Less: Administrative expenses charged to projects	22.4	<u>(58,345,179)</u>	<u>(40,509,064)</u>
			<u>2,048,493</u>	<u>19,211,430</u>

22.1 This includes sum of Rs. 593,665 (2023: Rs. 769,595) on account of contributions to the employees' provident fund.

22.2	Auditors' remuneration		2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
	Audit fee		4,278,250	3,105,000
	Out of pocket expenses		320,000	150,000
			<u>4,598,250</u>	<u>3,255,000</u>

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22.3 Total admin cost represents administrative cost of the Trust and related cost contribution towards projects in line with donor agreements which are for Women's Enjoyment of Rights, Empowerment and Leadership (Project no. P006189) project amount of Rs. 1,447,977 (2023: Rs. 3,806,019), for State of Governance in Pakistan (Grant no. ISLM/DAP-2019-20/07) amount of Rs. 227,763 (2023: Nil) and Strengthening Electoral and Legislative Processes (SELP II)-Grant no. UNDP-CFP-DC-2022-409-CON) amount of Rs. 236,593 (2023: Nil)

22.4 Administrative expenses charged to projects as follows;

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
Women's Enjoyment of Rights, Empowerment and Leadership (Project no. P006189)	21.1	13,023,668	20,950,785
Electoral Quality and Inclusiveness in Pakistan (Grant no. SLMAQM20GR2222)	21.3	15,595,804	11,978,538
Election Observation in Punjab and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (Grant no.24-23261A-PAK.0-2712)	21.6	6,117,916	-
Safe, Free and Effective Media (SAFE Media)	21.8	5,184,737	-
Rights and Advancement for Marginalized Populations (RAMP)-SLMAQM21GR3234	21.9	10,203,496	4,393,294
Strengthening Electoral and Legislative Processes (SELP)	21.10	8,219,559	3,186,447
		<u>58,345,179</u>	<u>40,509,064</u>

**23 TAXATION**

**Current**

For the current year

-	3,245,122
-	<u>3,245,122</u>

Reconciliation between tax expense and accounting profit:-  
Surplus / (deficit) before tax

<u>32,577,590</u>	<u>(5,646,251)</u>
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Applicable tax rate

<u>29%</u>	<u>29%</u>
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Tax on surplus / (tax credit) on deficit

9,447,501	(1,637,413)
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Minimum Tax Liability u/s 153(1)(b) @8% of total income

-	3,245,122
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Tax credit u/s 100C

<u>(9,447,501)</u>	<u>1,637,413</u>
-	<u>3,245,122</u>

**24 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS – FAIR VALUES AND RISK MANAGEMENT**

**24.1 Financial risk management**

The Trust has exposure to the following risks arising from financial instruments:

24.2.1 Credit risk

24.2.2 Liquidity risk

24.2.3 Market risk

**Risk management framework**

The Board of Trustees (the Board) has the overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Trust's risk management framework. The Board is responsible for developing and monitoring the Trust's risk management policies.

The Trust's risk management policies are established to identify and analyse the risks faced by the Trust, to set appropriate risk limits and controls, and to monitor risks and adherence to limits. Risk management policies and systems are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Trust's activities. The Trust, through its training and management standards and procedures, aims to maintain a disciplined and constructive control environment in which all employees understand their roles and obligations.

The Audit and HR Committee of the Trust oversee how management monitors compliance with Trust's risk management policies and procedures, and reviews the adequacy of the risk management framework in relation to the risks faced by the Trust. The Audit and HR Committee is assisted in its oversight role by Internal Audit.

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**24.2.1 Credit risk**

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Trust if a counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations. The Trust's credit risk is primarily attributable to other receivables and bank balances. The management believes that the Trust is not exposed to a major concentration of credit risks and the credit risk is limited as the major counter parties include financial institutions with reasonably high credit ratings.

**Concentration of credit risk**

The carrying amount of financial assets represents the maximum credit exposure. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting is as follows:

	Note	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
Other receivables	10	3,775,603	543,824
Bank balances	12	134,534,364	220,863,901
		<u>138,309,967</u>	<u>221,407,725</u>

Geographically there is no concentration of credit risk at the reporting date (2023: Nil) as all the financial assets are dominated in local rupees. The maximum exposure to credit risk for financial assets at the reporting date by type of counter party is as follows:

	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
Banks and financial institutions	134,534,364	220,863,901
Donors	3,321,930	-
Implementing partners	440,000	270,000
Others	13,673	273,824
	<u>138,309,967</u>	<u>221,407,725</u>

**Loss allowance for expected credit loss**

Bank balances are subject to impairment requirements of IFRS 9, however as the counterparty is the bank with reasonably high credit rating these balances are not subject to credit risk. The credit quality of bank balances, that are neither past due nor impaired, can be assessed by reference to external credit ratings (if available) or to historical information about counterparty default rate. Credit ratings and exposure of bank balances are appearing below. Further, the credit quality of grant receivables has been assessed as good by reference to the default history of donors. Receivable from donors against respective projects are historically received within a period of one month of falling due. Accordingly, the Trust has assessed an allowance based on life time expected credit losses, using the loss rate approach based upon reasonable and supportable information that is available, without undue cost and effort at the reporting data, about past events current conditions and forecast of future economic conditions that are relevant to the estimates of the expected credit losses.

**Bank balances**

The Trust considers that the bank balances have low credit risk based on external credit rating of the counterparties. Credit ratings and exposure of bank balances with counterparty are as follows:

	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating	Rating agency	Rupees
<b>2024</b>				
Mobilink Bank	A	A1	PACRA	905,221
Faysal Bank	AA	A1+	PACRA	134,534,365
<b>2023</b>				
Mobilink Bank	A	A1	PACRA	-
Faysal Bank	AA	A1+	PACRA	220,863,901

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24.2.2 Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Trust will not be able to meet its financial obligations, as they fall due. Prudent liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash and availability of funding to an adequate amount of committed credit facilities. The Trust follows an effective cash management and planning policy to ensure availability of funds and to take appropriate measures for new requirements.

The Trust ensures that it has sufficient cash on demand to meet expected cash outflows during its operating cycle. This excludes the potential impact of extreme circumstances that cannot reasonably be predicted, such as natural disasters.

The table below analyses the Trust's financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the reporting date to the contractual maturity date. The amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

	Note	Rupees			
		Carrying amount	Maturity up to one year	Maturity after one year and up to five year	Maturity after five years
<b>At 30 June 2024</b>					
Accrued liabilities	18	4,032,000	4,032,000	-	-
Accounts payable	18	8,687,978	8,687,978	-	-
Payable to implementing partners	18	13,165,202	13,165,202	-	-
Lease liability	17	27,099,988	5,218,651	21,881,337	-
<b>At 30 June 2023</b>					
Accrued liabilities	18	1,019,709	1,019,709	-	-
Accounts payable	18	14,474,227	14,474,227	-	-
Payable to implementing partners	18	10,205,575	10,205,575	-	-
Lease liability	17	30,559,336	6,035,207	24,524,129	-

It is not expected that the cash flows included in the maturity analysis could occur significantly earlier or at significantly different amounts.

All financial assets and financial liabilities are initially recognized at fair value of consideration paid or received, net of transaction costs as appropriate. The carrying values of financial assets and liabilities not carried at fair value is a reasonable approximation of their fair values.

24.2.3 Market Risk

Market risk, is the risk that results from changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates and interest rates. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimizing the return. The Trust is not exposed to any significant market risks from its operating activities.

a) Interest rate risk

The interest rate risk is the risk that the value of the financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in the market interest rates. The Trust does not have liabilities at variable rates.

b) Currency risk

The Pakistan Rupee (Rs) is the functional currency of the Trust and as there are no transactions and balances dominated in foreign currency. the Trust is not exposed to foreign currency risk as there no foreign currency balances.

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c) Fair value of financial assets and liabilities

The Trust does not account for any financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, and the Trust does not have derivatives as hedging instruments recognized under fair value hedge accounting model. The carrying values of financial instruments approximate their fair values. The fair values of these financial instruments are determined as the present value of future cash flows, discounted at market rates of interest at the reporting date. The fair value of financial assets is determined for disclosure purposes only.

25 FUND MANAGEMENT

TDEA's objective when managing funds is to safe guard TDEA's ability to continue as a going concern so that it can achieve its objectives, provide benefits to other stakeholders, and to maintain a strong fund base to support the sustained development of its activities in line with its objects.

26 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

All the trustees, entities with common directorship / trustee ship, provident fund and key management staff are related parties of TDEA. Transactions of TDEA with related parties during the year are as follows:

	2024 Rupees	2023 Rupees
<b>Transactions with employee benefit plan</b>		
Payments to provident fund	14,239,436	13,464,270
Charge for the year relating to provident fund	14,239,436	13,464,270
<b>Transactions with key management personnel</b>		
Remuneration of chief executive officer	15,813,251	23,440,530
Remuneration of key management personnel	47,992,695	63,686,321
<b>Remuneration, allowances and benefits</b>		
Managerial remuneration and allowances	45,837,289	61,185,779
Provident fund	2,155,406	2,500,542
	<u>47,992,695</u>	<u>63,686,321</u>
Number of Trustees	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>

27 NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

The number of total employees at the year end were 48 (2023: 54 employees), and the average number of employees during the year were 51 (2023:61 employees).

28 DATE OF AUTHORIZATION FOR ISSUE

The financial statements have been approved on 11 JAN 2025 by the Board of Trustees of TDEA.

  
 CHAIRPERSON

  
 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER