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## CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

As I wrote in last year's Report, the aim of the Swedenborg Society is to keep alive and relevant the literary and philosophical legacy of Emanuel Swedenborg, a man who achieved an unusually fruitful career in the public and scientific life of the Sweden and Europe of his day. In 1744 and 1745 he had his interests turned, by a series of unusual and intense spiritual experiences, to dimensions and scenes of the spiritual world, for which this world is a world of ultimates (using Swedenborg's term) on which the spiritual world rests by a system of metaphors and correspondences. This experience deepened and prolonged itself to the end of his life in 1772 but did not interrupt entirely his work in the political and cultural life of his country, but led to a vast and interesting, if somewhat prosaically written, description of these correspondences in a commentary on the Bible called *Arcana Caelestia* (or *Secrets of Heaven*).

As forecast in last year's report, the renovations of Swedenborg House have been largely completed, leading to a satisfactory rise in the occupancy and profits from our rental space. Our Governing Document has at last been completed but is as yet to have final approval.

Many publications have now left the printing press as listed on pages 4 and 5 of this report. The report lists the names of the staff on page 15 and I would like to thank all of them, but perhaps because of my own weakness in understanding financial matters, especially Anthony Finnigan. Peter Jones who helped in the bookshop has an unusual understanding of quantum physics where space and time lose their reality as we know them and by which the spiritual world of Swedenborg may eventually be explained in a scientific way. It has been a great pleasure being acquainted with our staff in all their variety.

My main thanks must be reserved for Stephen McNeilly, our Executive Director, who is the author of this report and also of the many good things which the Society has achieved in the last year.

David Lister, FRCS, Chairman of the Council

# THE SWEDENBORG SOCIETY

Report of the Council for the twelve months ended 31 December 2017

## Objectives and Activities

The Society exists to provide for the continuation of the public knowledge of the works of Emanuel Swedenborg and the appreciation of Swedenborg's ideas and influence on later generations.

The primary charitable objects of the Swedenborg Society are summarized as:

- To print, publish, purchase, sell and distribute as grants the literary remains of Emanuel Swedenborg, biographies of Swedenborg and literature in agreement with his writings;
- To organize meetings, lectures, conferences and other functions as a means of directing attention to, and promoting interest in, the works of Swedenborg;
- To encourage study of the works of Swedenborg.

The Society undertakes a number of activities to further these objectives:

- We grant books to public and university libraries;
- We organize events, lectures, seminars and exhibitions at Swedenborg House;
- We develop links with academic institutions to assist the research and study of Swedenborg's writings and their impact on later philosophical thought;
- We operate a bookshop to make the writings of Swedenborg and later books based on his ideas, available to the public;
- We house a library, archive and permanent collection of artefacts;
- We foster a community to all who share an interest or a curiosity in the ideas and works of Swedenborg.

### CAPACITY BUILDING

In recent years the Society has taken steps to increase its capacity to achieve its aims. The Society has invested in Swedenborg House to allow the offices to be let at an improved rate, and to increase the occupancy rate in Swedenborg Hall. The increased income generated by the premises is being used to renovate other areas of the building and to enhance the Society's ability to undertake activities in furtherance of its objectives by increasing its staffing resources. Over the next year the Society intends to complete its updating of Memorandum and Articles of Association to ensure that the Governing Document continues to meet the needs of the Society.

### BOOK GRANTS

The Society has long maintained a policy of giving its publications as grants to libraries,

universities and other public institutions in the UK and overseas. The Society is also a member of an umbrella body called Swedenborg Publishers International, which provides funding for translation and publishing projects around the world. The Society is keen to further its efforts in this sphere, and is considering taking an active role in providing financial support for doctoral research.

#### VOLUNTEERS

The Society is fortunate to be able to draw on volunteers to assist with the furtherance of its objectives by providing support for translating, editing, research, copy-editing and proofreading. Much of this effort is provided by members of the Society’s Advisory and Revision Board, who also play a crucial role in establishing a suitable forum for scholarly discussion and publishing strategy. The Society’s bookshop is open five days a week with the support of volunteers who also assist in welcoming visitors during events at Swedenborg House.

## Achievements and Performance

#### PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

The Council monitors the Society’s performance through a range of financial and non-financial performance indicators. The key ones are:

	2017	2016
Number of visitors to events	1,309	1,200
Number of members	596	683
Social Media reach	6,207	5,122
Distribution of books	3,142	2,379
Contribution from property	£120,673	£106,256

#### PRINTING, PUBLISHING, TRANSLATING AND EDITING

2017 saw the arrival of two key publications, namely John S Haller, Jr’s *Distant Voices: Sketches of a Swedenborgian World View* and *An Evening of Dreams* (vol. 5 of the Swedenborg Archive series) containing essays by Homero Aridjis, Eva Hoffman, Darian Leader, Tom McCarthy and Selina Mills, with an Introduction by Chloe Aridjis.

Dual-language English and Latin editions of Swedenborg’s *Doctrina Novae Hierosolymae de Domino*, *Doctrina Novae Hierosolymae de Scriptura Sacra*, *Doctrina Vitae pro Nova Hierosolyma ex praeceptis Decalogi* and *Doctrina Novae Hierosolymae de Fide* are now complete and are awaiting scheduling for 2018. These are edited and translated by John Elliott, with Robert Gill as consultant. John Elliott has also continued to work on a new English edition of *The New Jerusalem and Its Heavenly Doctrine*. The edition utilizes John Chadwick’s existing version from 1990, but includes new translations of the book’s lengthy sections of references to *Arcana Coelestia*—the first time these passages have been translated into English by the Swedenborg Society since the nineteenth century. Typesetting and design

work continues on the Latin indices to *Apocalypsis Revelata*.

Norman Ryder continued his work on the important reference tool *A Descriptive Bibliography of the Works of Emanuel Swedenborg (1688-1772)*. Typesetting and proof reading work for Volume Four is under way and Volume One was reprinted with corrections and addenda.

Another work completed during 2017 is Malcolm Peet's *Medicine, Mysticism and Mythology: Garth Wilkinson, Swedenborg and Nineteenth-Century Esoteric Culture*. This will be printed in early 2018. Other works made ready for 2018 include: *In Celebration of Tomas Tranströmer* featuring contributions from Homero Aridjis, Kjell Espmark, Monica Lauritzen, David Lister, Robin Robertson, Monica Tranströmer and Per Wästberg, and *Death Is Waking up: A Conversation with Marina Abramović* by Marina Abramović and Devin Zuber. A new edition of Ken Worpole's *New Jerusalem: the good city and the good society* was reprinted in hardback.

Work also continued on the new library edition of Swedenborg's published works. Following the academic models of Oxford World's Classics and Cambridge Texts in the History of Philosophy, but drawing on long-established Advisory and Revision Board policies, the library edition will aim to provide each of Swedenborg's works with a model of critical apparatus of high standard, in a clear and accessible format, familiar to scholars and university students alike. Work on adapting several existing translations of Swedenborg by John Chadwick for the new library series was commenced this year. A new translation of Swedenborg's *Divine Providence* has also been started by K C Ryder.

In light of the Society's aim to develop translators and scholars, Benjamin Glenn has been appointed on the Society's translation internship programme. The aim of this programme is to encourage new translators to learn from our existing experienced team, so that we can be sure of high standards in this most important aspect of the Society's publishing activities. Several promising candidates have been identified.

During 2017 the Advisory and Revision Board met twice during the year, in March and September. Members of the A&R Board are listed on page 15.

## EVENTS

2017 saw another successful year of events, exhibitions, talks, conferences, film festivals, reading groups and workshops. The Society has a broad and diverse programme of events, all free to the public, and attendance is up from 2016.

## TALKS

For the Swedenborg Birthday Meeting, on Saturday 28 January, Dr David Lister gave a talk entitled 'The Anatomy of Heaven'. The occasion also marked the launch of *Distant Voices* by John S Haller and featured a recital by violinist Joana Ly. September 14 saw a Q&A with the artist, illustrator and filmmaker David McKee. This was entitled *An Evening with Mr Benn and David McKee* and was followed by a screening of all 13 Mr Benn films in Swedenborg Hall. This event was organized in association with the Illustration Cupboard Gallery, in St

James's London. On September 18, at the Society's AGM, the artist Bridget Smith gave a talk on her artistic practice and work undertaken to date in her capacity as Artist in Residence. The occasion also saw the screening of Bridget's short film *Monitoring Space*.

#### EXHIBITIONS AND PERFORMANCES

##### *ad caput capitis: the lost skulls of Swedenborg*

Curated by Stephen McNeilly and organized in conjunction with the Bloomsbury Festival, Swedenborg House staged an exhibition of rare and previously unseen items from the Swedenborg Archive. The exhibition took place between the 18 and 21 of October and included exhibits by Vernon Watkins, a flag by the artist Jeremy Millar, talks by Iain Sinclair and Colin Dickey, and the display of other items from the Swedenborg Collection.

##### *The Humble Servant: Ceramic Art inspired by William Blake and Swedenborg*

Running conjointly with the exhibition *ad caput capitis: the lost skulls of Swedenborg* the Society organized an exhibition by ceramicist Diane Eagles in the bookshop. This included 4 hand-built ceramic pieces inspired by the engravings of William Blake for a pattern book of Josiah Wedgwood's queensware tableware in 1817. Adorned with quotations from Swedenborg's writings, and echoing the style of Blake's hand-coloured plates from his Lambeth poems, the ceramics replicate creamware of the period, with hand-applied coloured lead glaze and transfer printing. The exhibition ran for 6 weeks and came to a close on November 30. Diane gave an informal talk and guide to the exhibition on November 24.

##### *The Swedenborg Archive at Frith Street Gallery*

On Thursday 7 of December the Society staged an exhibition of significant items from its archive and collection at the beautiful Frith Street Gallery, Soho. The exhibition comprised of newly framed items from the Swedenborg Archive including an original letter by S T Coleridge; a signed card by R W Emerson; a fragment of Swedenborg's blotting paper; a typescript poem and letter by the Welsh Poet Vernon Watkins; a poster by Turner Prize winning artist Jeremy Deller; new art by our current Artist in Residence Bridget Smith; a painting by Peter Cartwright; a wax bust of Swedenborg by John Flaxman; and several other unique framed pieces. The occasion also saw the launch of *An Evening of Dreams* (volume 5 of the Swedenborg Archive series) containing essays by Homero Aridjis, Eva Hoffman, Darian Leader, Tom McCarthy and Selina Mills, with an Introduction by Chloe Aridjis.

#### SEMINARS AND DISCUSSION GROUPS

##### *The Anatomy of Heaven Seminar series and Arcana Caelestia Reading Group*

During February and March, the Society ran a series of seminar meetings led by Dr David Lister exploring some of the many interesting themes raised from his lecture 'The Anatomy of Heaven' held on January 28. Following on from these seminar groups the Society organized a monthly reading group related to Swedenborg's magnum opus *Arcana Caelestia*. These were led by David Lister, Stephen McNeilly, James Wilson, John Cunningham and many others,



and were scheduled for the last Thursday in every month. Both series introduced many new faces to the building, and were a great success.

#### CHILDREN'S WORKSHOPS

*Discover the hidden treasures of Swedenborg House*

Drawing workshops for children aged between 6-10.

On October 28 the Society organized the first in a series of children's drawing workshops. Run by the celebrated author and artist Sally Kindberg, and accompanied by artist and teacher Kylie McManus, children were led through a unique exploration of our collection of artefacts and treasures at Swedenborg House, including strange mechanical inventions, powdered wigs, and duck feather pens. More workshops are planned for 2018.

#### THE SWEDENBORG FILM FESTIVAL

This year saw the Society stage its eighth Swedenborg Film Festival. Curated by Gareth Evans (writer; presenter; producer of the films *Patience: After Sebald*, *By Our Selves* and *Unseen*; and Film Curator at the Whitechapel Gallery) and Nora Foster (Communications Manager, Frieze, and formerly Assistant Curator at the Swedenborg Society), the ongoing aim of the Festival is to promote new artistic and filmic responses to Swedenborgian thought, and to help raise the profile of Swedenborg House.

As with previous years, hundreds of entry applications were received from all around the world. The guest judge was the 2017 Man Booker Prize short-listed writer Ali Smith and, as a lead-in to the competition screenings on November 18, a series of 3 separate curated evenings were arranged and introduced by the author. The films screened during these curated evenings included: Jacques Rivette's *Céline and Julie Go Boating*; Federico Fellini's *Nights of Cabiria*; five short films by Agnes Varda; Joris Ivens & Mannus Franken's, *La Pluie*; René Clair's, *Paris qui dort*; Jean Vigo's, *À Propos de Nice*; Sarah Wood's, *I want to be a Secretary*; and Douglas Hickox's *Les Bicyclettes de Belsize*.

The shortlisted filmmakers and films included in the film festival on 18 November were as follows: *Delicatessen* by Fenglin Chen; *C-5-11* by Edward Ramsay-Morin; *Twelve Transmissions from the Occupied States Orbiting the Sun* by Michael Trigilio; *Purple Dreams* by Murat Sayginer; *Drops and Stardust* by Atobe Hiroshi; *Frequency* by Richard Hunter; *Scotch Broth* by Chay Milne; *Not the Same River, Not the Same Man* by Michelle Brand; *Light's Memory* by Julian Olariu; and *Granular Film—Beirut* by Charles-André Coderre. The winner of the Swedenborg Film Festival was Fenglin Chen for *Delicatessen*. Special mentions were also given for *Drops and Stardust* by Atobe Hiroshi, *Not the Same River, Not the Same Man* by Michelle Brand and *Scotch Broth* by Chay Milne.

The occasion also showcased invited screenings: *Causeway (notes from the)* by Louis Benassi; *Wynken, Blynken & Nod* by Chiara Ambrosio; *Lower Street: A Night Journey* by Andrea Luka Zimmerman; *Hotel Bardo (Fragments from 6. How Long Must I Dream?)* by Stanley Shtinter; and *Retreating the Line* by Esther Johnson.

#### ARTIST RESIDENCY

Bridget Smith continued in her role as Artist in Residence. Bridget's practice involves filmmaking and photography and she has exhibited internationally, featuring in public collections in Austria, Spain, Mexico, USA and the UK (including the V&A and the Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art). Bridget has worked previously with the Swedenborg Society during the 2010 bicentenary exhibition *Fourteen Interventions*, the 2011 Swedenborg Short Film Festival and the 2016 exhibition *Now It Is Permitted: 24 Wayside Pulpits*, co-curated with Stephen McNeilly. A photograph of Swedenborg Hall features in her 2007 book *Society*. She is represented by the Frith Street Gallery in London and her residency at Swedenborg House coincides with her Ph.D. research at the Royal College of Art. During 2017, Bridget gave a presentation of her work and research at the Society's AGM in September and she also took part in the exhibition at Frith Street Gallery in December. The final exhibition for her artist residency is scheduled for October 2018.

#### SWEDENBORG PH.D. SCHOLARSHIP

A scholarship reserve was set up in 2017 to help fulfil the Society's stated charitable aim to support academic, educational and scholarly activities in relation to the work and intellectual legacy of Swedenborg. Criteria regarding applications and selections are to be made public during 2018.

#### BOOKSHOP AND DISTRIBUTION

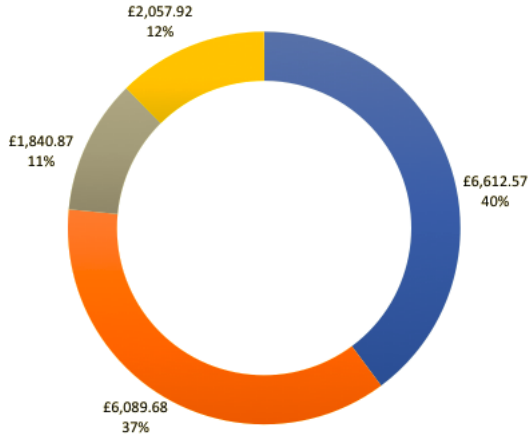
2017 saw continued use and activities in the Swedenborg Society's Bookshop. We are also pleased to note that Swedenborg Society titles continue to be stocked in a range of bookshops throughout the UK, including Foyles, Blackwell's, Daunt Books, Waterstones and a number of independent booksellers. During 2017 the Society also continued in its distribution of grants, supplying copies of its publications to individuals and institutions throughout the world.

As predicted in 2016, there has been an overall increase in sales for 2017. The Swedenborg Foundation continued to act as US distributors for 17 of the Society's titles. The distribution agreement with Combined Book Services (of Tonbridge, Kent), continued to provide new sales outlets and marketing opportunities. Commission from the latter services tend to be high, but as part of our desire to have copies of Swedenborg's works made as widely accessible as possible, it is felt necessary to increase availability of our publishing stock through established sales outlets (and therefore at decreased margins), rather than seek to limit distribution by handling all book sales in-house.

#### MARKETING AND PUBLICITY

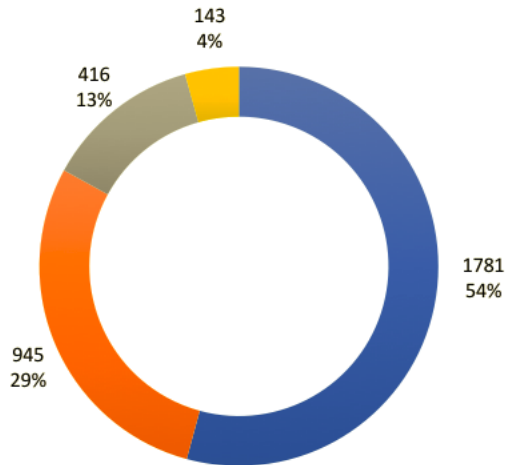
The Society's marketing and publicity strategy for 2017 continued to embrace a variety of media types and outlets, including traditional print based fliers and social media networks. A series of adverts were run in the *London Review of Books* printed magazine and website, and work progressed on the inaugural edition of a printed *Swedenborg Review*. New social media strategies are in their developmental stage and are being led by Denise Prentice with the help of Maia Gaffney-Hyde. P L Johnson continued in his role as editor of the Society's newsletter,

**BOOK SALES AND GRANTS**  
**VALUE OF BOOKS SOLD**  
(EXCLUDING POSTAGE)  
**TOTAL SALES: £14,543.12**



**BOOK SALES AND GRANTS**  
**NO. OF BOOKS SOLD**

**TOTAL SALES: 3142**



■ BOOKSHOP ■ ONLINE ■ DISTRIBUTOR ■ GRANTS

*Things Heard and Seen*, and produced one new issue which was posted to all members and is available free of charge in the Bookshop. Additional conventional publicity methods included printed invitations and flyers posted to the press and selected individuals, and handed out to visitors to Swedenborg House.

#### ARCHIVE, LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Further to last year's report, the transfer of the library and archive of the General Conference of the New Church was completed with a contract being signed in January 2017. The collection has since been valued by Bernard Quaritch Ltd. The value given, for purposes of insurance only, was £88,000.

The collection as a whole was assessed as being 'an important, and remarkably complete, collection documenting the history of the New Church from its foundation in the late-eighteenth century, almost to the present day, including its expansion across the globe'. Individual items noted of particular significance included: the first and second editions of Swedenborg's *Ludus Heliconius* published in Greifswald (1714) and Skara (1716), respectively; a Greek-Latin lexicon (1623) used by Jesper Swedberg and his son Emanuel Swedenborg, bearing both their ownership inscriptions; two autograph letters and a signed receipt by Swedenborg; an autograph letter of introduction (1715) for Swedenborg from Ulrika Eleonora, future queen of Sweden; an early nineteenth-century manuscript copy of the destroyed Great Eastcheap Minute Book, recording proceedings from 1787, including the founding of the New Jerusalem Church and its first General Conference in 1789, famously attended by William Blake and his wife, whose names are recorded therein; and records pertaining to the Hawkstone Meetings, initiated in 1806, for non-separatist Swedenborgians.

During the course of the year, significant additions were made to the General Conference Collection, with archival material and printed books being received from church societies closing at Brightlingsea, Southend and Burnley; and also records relating to New Church College received from Wellspring House in Manchester.

Other notable donations to the Swedenborg Society's library and archives included a modern reproduction of a bust of Swedenborg (c. 1920) housed at the Stockholm New Church, donated by Göran Appelgren; and a book cabinet and collection of rare Swedenborg editions donated from the estate of Nancy Dawson.

The cataloguing of the Swedenborg Society's own archive has almost been completed now, with sections D ('Swedenborgiana'), E ('Catalogues, Lists & Slips'), G ('Miscellaneous') and J ('Lectures & Addresses') all added this year, and a start made on section M, a substantial collection of portraits, busts, lantern slides, photographs and images. In total, over 11,600 items have now been recorded on the library's online catalogue.

The librarians again conducted several tours and talks about the Swedenborg Society, its collection and its premises during the year, including to classes from Florida State University; Boston University (Study Abroad Programme); and the Svenska Kyrkan (Swedish Church in London); they also prepared an illustrated slide show for Richard Lines, former Secretary of the Society, to accompany his talk to the Islington Archaeology & History Society on the history and work of the Swedenborg Society.

This year saw several items of consequential importance in the collection—including an autograph letter by Samuel Taylor Coleridge and a piece of Swedenborg’s own blotting paper—professionally mounted, framed and preserved by the prestigious art conservators John Jones London. Many of these items were later displayed to the public in exhibitions held at Swedenborg House in October, and at Frith Street Gallery in December.

#### PREMISES

The Swedenborg Society’s premises at 20-21 Bloomsbury Way remain an essential component of the Society’s ongoing charitable activities and investment income. During 2017, refurbishment was completed on the top floor flat. The space has been refitted, repurposed and decorated as office space and determination is now awaited from Camden Council regarding change of use. Repair, painting and restoration work on the façade of the building was completed. During May the basement light-well was renovated and turned into a garden space with plants and seating for visitors. Extensions to the Society’s Strongroom and Archive are still at the planning stage. The Kitchen, Gents and Ladies toilets have been renovated and re-decorated, and restoration and repair of the 1925 terazzo floors are scheduled for 2018. As with previous years, Swedenborg House underwent a comprehensive Fire, Health and Safety Risk Assessment. During 2017 all renovation work has been completed on time and within budget.

## Financial Review

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in the notes and comply with the Society’s Governing Document. They have also been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and the Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities (SORP 2015).

The Society’s has been fortunate in 2017 to benefit from several very generous donations from members that allowed the Society to generate a surplus for the year. The financial and budgetary controls put in place last year have allowed the Society to concentrate its efforts on its core activities of publishing and events.

The Society’s activities are funded primarily through income generated by its investment portfolio and property, with additional income generated through membership subscriptions and book sales.

Total incoming resources for the year amounted to £660,099 (2016: £440,104) and total resources expended for the year was £459,020 (2016: £467,953), resulting in a net surplus before investment gains of £201,079 (2016: deficit of £27,849). In addition, the Society’s investment portfolio increased in value over the year by £445,776 (2016: £735,706). This resulted in a net surplus of £646,855 (2016: £707,857). Total funds at 31 December 2017 were £15,478,941 (2016: £14,832,086).

#### RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Society is exposed to various risks in the pursuance of its charitable objectives.

The Society's activities are diverse, and the Council monitors the risks facing the Society periodically. The principal risks are:

- *Loss of the building*

Swedenborg House is critical to the Society's success both as the location of its head office and as a key source of income through event hire and rent received. The Society has mitigated this risk through a comprehensive assessment of fire and health and safety issues at the building, and through holding appropriate insurance.

- *Membership changes*

The Society is a membership organization and needs to attract new members in order to grow and for the membership to prosper. The Society considers that the events programme—open to all and free of charge—is a key way in which this risk is mitigated. The Society is increasing its presence on social media as a way of connecting with an audience that has historically not engaged with the Society.

- *Credit risk*

The Society has a modest exposure to credit risk, as relatively small amounts of its incoming resources are subject to credit arrangements.

#### INVESTMENT POLICY

The trustees have delegated day to day management of the Society's investment portfolio to Quilter Cheviot. The Society's investments are the primary means of funding its activities and are held to produce a reasonable level of income whilst allowing the potential for capital growth.

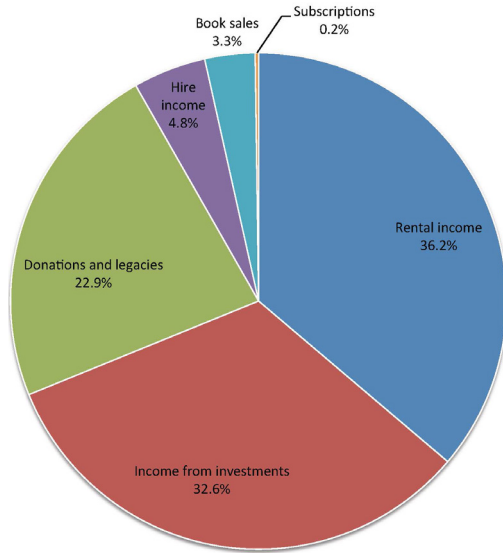
#### RESERVES POLICY

At 31 December 2017 total unrestricted funds amounted to £15,377,196 (2016: £14,818,162). The majority of these funds are represented by the Society's premises, which houses the Society's library, archiving and administrative activities, and its investment portfolio, which is held to provide income over the long-term. These could not be disposed of without seriously impairing the Society's ability to continue its charitable activities over the long-term.

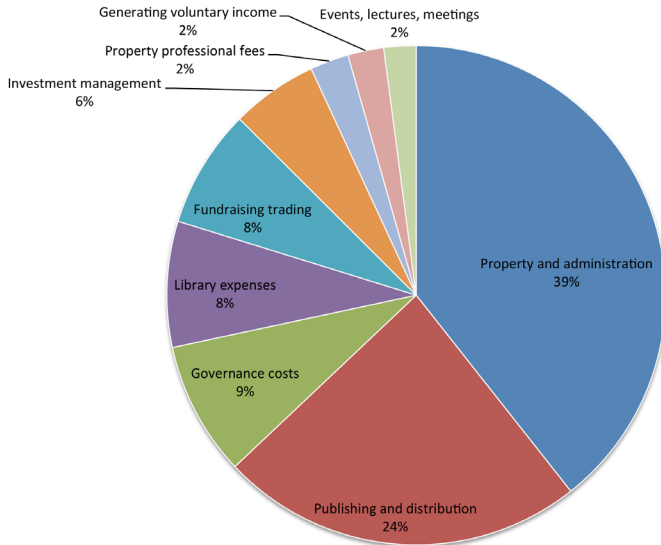
The amount of free reserves—defined as unrestricted funds less fixed assets and investments—at 31 December 2017 was £132,703 (2016: £124,710). This level of free reserves represents 90 days of operating costs (2016: 86 days), which the Council considers provides a reasonable buffer to enable the Society to manage temporary changes in its income streams or expenditure profile.

Much of the Society's work is long-term in character, with the work of translation, revision and publication taking place over a number of years. The Council have designated a reserve of 70% of the Society's investment portfolio as a Capital Investment Reserve to provide for continuity of these long-term operations. The balance of the Capital Investment Reserve at 31 December 2017 was £4,180,428 (2016: £3,787,007).

## Sources of Unrestricted Income



## Resources Expended



## GIFTS AND LEGACIES

The Council acknowledges with thanks the legacy received as follows:

Norman Turner	£ 93,642
Margaret Jackson	£ 2,540
Geoffrey Turner	£ 18,903
Total legacies for 2017	£115,085

## Structure, Governance and Management

### GOVERNANCE

The Society is a company limited by guarantee and a charity registered in England and Wales. The charity is governed by its Articles of Association dated 8 November 1973. The Society is run by a board of Trustees called the Council. The Council delegates the day-to-day running of the Society to its Executive Director and takes advice from a number of subcommittees, including a Finance and Premises Subcommittee, an Executive Subcommittee, a Library and Archive Subcommittee and the Advisory and Revision Board. All paid-up members of the Society are eligible for election to the Council, which is the Society's decision-making body, in accordance with the procedures set out in the Articles of Association. The Council has the power to fill casual vacancies by co-option. New members of the Council are given copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association and are advised by the Chairperson and Executive Director of their duties as company directors and charity Trustees. Council decisions are taken by majority vote. Members of the subcommittees are elected by the Council. New candidates for the Council, following an informal interview/meeting with the Chairperson and Council, are invited to attend a preliminary Council meeting and are given a copy of the Society's Annual Report, the Minutes of three previous Council meetings and a copy of the Charity Commission's *The Essential Trustee*.

During 2017 the Council also continued in their preparations for a Trustee Handbook which aims to include comprehensive details of Trustee inductions; Trustee training; Trustee decision making; Trustee meeting protocols; and other such items as given as best practice from the Charity Commission. Advised by the Charity Law Solicitor's Bates Wells Braithwaite, the Trustees continued to work on a newly revised and updated Governing Document which is to be submitted to the Charity Commission for review and approval during 2018. Christen Jamar also continued in her role as Trustee Clerk, a supporting role for the Trustees, which includes the duties of minute taking, researching and keeping the Council informed of recommended best practice.

### 2017 COUNCIL ELECTION

Revd Alan Cowley, Revd Frederick Charles Elphick and Nigel Sutton, having retired under Article 32, were re-elected as ordinary members of the Council. Mr Homero Aridjis, former Mexican Ambassador to the Netherlands and Switzerland, was elected President, and Mr John Cunningham, a long-standing member of the Council and Chairman of the Council from 1993



to 2006, was elected Vice-President of the Society for the year 2017/18 at the Annual General Meeting held on 18 September. At the same meeting Mr Alec Morley was elected as Hon. Treasurer for the same period and the Revd Ethan McCardell was elected onto the Council. After many years active and useful service Howard Turner stood down from the Council.

#### MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

David Lister, FRCS (Chairperson); Mr Homero Aridjis (President); Mr John Cunningham, FCII (Vice-President); Mr Alec Morley, MA (Hon. Treasurer); Revd F C Elphick, MDiv; Mr Michael Hiller; Mr P L Johnson; Mr Nigel Sutton; Revd Alan Cowley; Revd Ethan McCardell. Members of the Council are also directors of the company.

#### MEMBERS OF THE ADVISORY AND REVISION BOARD

David Lister, FRCS (Chairman); Mr James Wilson, BA (Secretary); Revd Göran Applegren; Mrs Josephine Appelgren, MA; Revd John Elliott, BA, BD; Revd F C Elphick, MDiv; Revd Robert Gill; Revd Alan Lewin; Mr Stephen McNeilly, MA; Mr Kenneth Ryder, MA; Revd Norman Ryder; Revd Alan Cowley; Mr Alex Murray, BA.

#### STAFF

Stephen McNeilly continued in his role as Executive Director and James Wilson continued his role as Editor and Librarian. Alex Murray, Assistant Librarian, continued in his post throughout the year. Maia Gaffney-Hyde continued on a part-time basis helping with publicity, events and publishing projects. Oliver Hancock was also employed on a part-time basis to help with proofreading and other publishing matters. Jacob Cartwright was contracted on a part-time basis to help with upkeep, maintenance and renovations to the building. Denise Prentice continued in her role as Administrator and Office Manager and Anthony Finnigan ACA continued in his role as the Society's Accountant. During 2017 we bid farewell to Nilifur Lewis who served as the Society's Bookkeeper. The pay structure at Swedenborg House is decided by the Council and follows recommendations of Ashworth Black, market review specialists, and is in line with charitable sector wages for the South-East and London area.

#### VOLUNTEERS

As mentioned above, volunteers provide a vital support for the continuation of our charitable activities and also an important framework for social networking and people investment. Our team of dedicated onsite volunteers for 2016 were John Cunningham, David Lister, Maxwell Phillips, Jeanne Ango, Peter Jones, Amanda Hellryd and Lolita Sobolyova. The work of all our volunteers and interns is greatly appreciated and vital for the continued work of the Society.

#### HEALTH AND SAFETY POLICY

The general provisions of the Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 are such that it is incumbent upon the Council of the Society to exercise a duty of care to ensure, as far as is reasonably practicable, the safety of their employees at work by maintaining safe plant; safe systems of

work; safe premises; ensuring safe access to and egress from the premises and maintaining a safe working environment without risks and with adequate facilities and arrangements for staff welfare; also ensuring adequate instruction, training and supervision. The Swedenborg Society is also bound by the Act to ensure the safety, while on its premises, of all persons, employees, contractors and visitors (either working or otherwise) using the facilities there.

During 2017 the Society undertook its comprehensive yearly Fire and Safety Risk Assessment of the premises. The Council have determined to review its Fire, Health and Safety policies annually. Jacob Cartwright, Stephen McNeilly and James Wilson were the designated first aiders and fire officers.

#### COMPANY MATTERS

This report represents a Directors' Report as required by section 417 of the Companies Act 2006. In its preparation the Council has taken advantage of the exemption available to small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

#### PUBLIC BENEFIT

The Society has had due regard to the public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission. The Society's charitable aims relate to the furtherance of education, culture and philosophy, and the Society seeks to ensure that its activities in this regard are accessible to all as far as possible. The vast majority of events held by the Society are free to attend, and the Society grants its books to libraries free of charge. The Council considers that through the Society's programme of events, publishing, translating and publicity the Society is acting for the public benefit in the pursuance of its objects.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

#### STATEMENT OF THE COUNCIL'S RESPONSIBILITIES

The members of the charity's Council (whose members are also directors of The Swedenborg Society for the purposes of company law) are responsible for preparing the Council's Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice). Company law requires the Council to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Council is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and

- prepare the financial statements on an ongoing concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in business.

The Council is responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. It is also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

In so far as the Council is aware:

- there is no relevant audit information of which the charitable company's auditor is unaware; and
- the Council has taken all steps that it ought to have taken to make itself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information.

The Council is responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the charitable company's website. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

By Order of the Council

David Lister, FRCS  
Chairperson of the Council

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of The Swedenborg Society (the 'charitable company') for the year ended 31 December 2017 which comprise the statement of financial activity, the balance sheet, the statement of cash flows and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 *The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland* (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charitable company's affairs as at 31 December 2017 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charitable company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### **Conclusions relating to going concern**

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the trustees have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

### **Other information**

The trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the

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financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

### **Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006**

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the trustees' report, which includes the directors' report prepared for company law purposes, for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the directors' report included within the trustees' report has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

### **Matters on which we are required to report by exception**

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the charitable company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the trustees' report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of trustees' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- the trustees' were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies' exemptions in preparing the trustees' report and from the requirement to prepare a strategic report.

### **Responsibilities of trustees**

As explained more fully in the trustees' responsibilities statement set out on page 16 the trustees (who are also the directors of the charitable company for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charitable company'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 the trustees either intend to liquidate the charitable company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

### **Auditor's 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 auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an

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audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) 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.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: <https://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities>. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

### **Use of our report**

This report is made solely to the charitable company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charitable company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charitable company and the charitable company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Elizabeth Irvine (Senior Statutory Auditor) Date: 25th July 2018

For and on behalf of WMT  
Chartered Accountants  
Statutory Auditors

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THE SWEDENBORG SOCIETY (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE) STATEMENT OF  
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES INCORPORATING THE INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

		Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Endowment Funds	Total 2017	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Endowment Funds	Total 2016
	Notes	£	£	£	£	£		£	£
<b>Income</b>	1								
Donations and legacies	6	132,310	88,000	-	220,310	28,900	-	-	28,900
Charitable activities:			-						
Book sales		18,725	-	-	18,725	11,995	-	-	11,995
Other trading activities - hire income		27,209	-	-	27,209	65,061	-	-	65,061
Investments	7	393,299	-	556	393,855	333,592	-	556	334,148
<b>Total</b>		<u>571,543</u>	<u>88,000</u>	<u>556</u>	<u>660,099</u>	<u>439,548</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>556</u>	<u>440,104</u>
<b>Expenditure</b>	1								
Raising funds:									
Cost of generating voluntary income		11,206	-	-	11,206	32,452	-	-	32,452
Fundraising trading and other costs	8	35,274	-	-	35,274	37,750	-	-	37,750
Investment management costs	9	37,202	-	59	37,261	44,473	-	62	44,535
Charitable activities	10	375,279	-	-	375,279	353,216	-	-	353,216
<b>Total</b>		<u>458,961</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>459,020</u>	<u>467,891</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>467,953</u>
Net gains/(losses) on investments									
Realized gains/(losses) on investments		3,450	-	-	3,450	61,174	-	-	61,174
Unrealized gains/(losses) on investment assets	14	442,505	-	(179)	442,326	673,983	-	549	674,532
		<u>445,955</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(179)</u>	<u>445,776</u>	<u>735,157</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>549</u>	<u>735,706</u>
<b>Net income/(expenditure) before transfers</b>		<u>558,537</u>	<u>88,000</u>	<u>318</u>	<u>646,855</u>	<u>706,814</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,043</u>	<u>707,857</u>
Transfers between funds		497	-	(497)	-	494	-	(494)	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		<u>559,034</u>	<u>88,000</u>	<u>(179)</u>	<u>646,855</u>	<u>707,308</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>549</u>	<u>707,857</u>
Fund balances at 1 January 2017		14,818,162	-	13,924	14,832,086	14,110,854	-	13,375	14,124,229
<b>Fund balances at 31 December 2017</b>		<u>15,377,196</u>	<u>88,000</u>	<u>13,745</u>	<u>15,478,941</u>	<u>14,818,162</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,924</u>	<u>14,832,086</u>

The notes numbered 1 to 24 form part of these financial statements

THE SWEDENBORG SOCIETY (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)  
 BALANCE SHEET  
 AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2017

	Notes	2017		2016	
		£	£	£	£
<b>Fixed Assets</b>					
Tangible assets	1, 12		4,514,561		4,525,729
Heritage assets	12		330,500		242,500
Investment property	13		4,529,137		4,529,137
Investments	14		5,972,040		5,410,010
			<u>15,346,238</u>		<u>14,707,376</u>
<b>Current Assets</b>					
Stocks			100		100
Debtors	15		84,326		96,534
Cash at bank and in hand			134,214		136,836
			<u>218,640</u>		<u>233,470</u>
<b>Creditors</b>					
Amounts falling due within one year	16		(85,937)		(108,760)
<b>Net Current Assets</b>			<u>132,703</u>		<u>124,710</u>
<b>Net Assets</b>			<u>15,478,941</u>		<u>14,832,086</u>
<b>The funds of the charity</b>					
Endowment funds	17		13,745		13,924
Unrestricted income funds					
General fund	18		1,926,377		1,759,484
Property reserve	19		7,492		58,772
Capital investment reserve	19		4,180,428		3,787,007
Scholarship reserve	19		50,000		0
Freehold property revaluation reserve	20		8,970,499		8,970,499
Heritage asset revaluation reserve	20		242,400		242,400
Restricted funds					
Heritage asset	21		88,000		0
<b>Total Funds</b>	22		<u>15,478,941</u>		<u>14,832,086</u>

Under the Companies Act 2006 s454, on a voluntary basis the Trustees can amend these financial statements if they subsequently prove to be defective.

Approved by the Council on 28th June 2018 and signed on its behalf by David Lister FRCS, *Chair of the Council*.

The notes numbered 1 to 24 form part of these financial statements

Charity Registration No: 209172  
 Company Registration No: 00209822



THE SWEDENBORG SOCIETY (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)  
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	<b>Total 2017</b>	<b>Total 2016</b>
	£	£
<b>Cash used in operating activities</b>		
<b>Net cash (used in) operating activities</b>	<b>(190,949)</b>	<b>(371,301)</b>
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Dividends, interest and rents from investments	393,855	334,148
Purchase of fixed assets	(89,274)	(15,610)
Acquisition cost of investments	(351,829)	(472,065)
Disposal proceeds of investments	235,575	555,195
<b>Net cash provided by investing activities</b>	<b>188,327</b>	<b>401,668</b>
<b>Change in cash and cash equivalents in the year</b>	<b>(2,622)</b>	<b>30,367</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January</b>	<b>136,836</b>	<b>106,469</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December</b>	<b>134,214</b>	<b>136,836</b>
<b>Reconciliation of net income/(expenditure) to net cash flow from operating activities:</b>		
Net income/(expenditure) for the year	646,855	707,857
Depreciation charges (including loss on disposal)	12,442	12,083
Realized and unrealized gains on investments	(445,776)	(735,707)
Dividends, interest and rents from investments	(393,855)	(334,148)
(Increase)/decrease in debtors	12,208	(32,783)
Increase/(decrease) in creditors	(22,823)	11,397
<b>Net cash (used in) operating activities</b>	<b>(190,949)</b>	<b>(371,301)</b>
<b>Analysis of cash and cash equivalents</b>		
Cash in hand	134,214	136,836
<b>Total cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>134,214</b>	<b>136,836</b>

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**1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The principal accounting policies adopted, judgments and key sources of estimation uncertainty in the preparation of the financial statements are as follows:

a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015) - (Charities SORP (FRS 102)), the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Companies Act 2006.

The Swedenborg Society meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognized at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy notes.

b) Preparation of the accounts on a going concern basis

The Trustees consider that the Charity will be able to continue in operation for the foreseeable future and that on this basis the charity is a going concern.

c) Incoming resources

Income is recognized when the charity has entitlement to the funds, any performance conditions attached to the item of income have been met, it is probable that the income be received and the amount can be measured reliably

Investment income, comprising income from rent, service charges, dividends and interest, is accounted for on a receivable basis.

For legacies, entitlement is taken as the earlier of the date on which either: the charity is aware that probate has been granted, the estate has been finalized and notification has been made by the executors to the Trust that a distribution will be made, or when a distribution is received from the estate. Receipt of a legacy, in whole or in part, is only considered probable when the amount can be measured reliably and the charity has been notified of the executor's intention to make a distribution. Where legacies have been notified to the charity, or the charity is aware of the granting probate, and the criteria for income recognition have not been met, then the legacy is treated as a contingent asset and disclosed if material.

Income received in advance of room hire or provision of other specified service is deferred until the criteria for income recognition are met.

d) Interest receivable

Interest on funds held on deposit is included when receivable and the amount can be reliably measured by the charity; this is normally upon notification of the interest paid or payable by the bank.

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**1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

e) Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available to spend on activities that further any of the purposes of the charity. Designated funds are unrestricted funds of the charity which the trustees have decided at their discretion to set aside to use for a specific purpose. Endowment funds are historical donations given to the charity to be held as capital, where the trustees have discretionary power to use the funds as income.

f) Expenditure and irrecoverable VAT

Expenditure is recognized once there is a legal or constructive obligation to make a payment to a third party, it is probable that settlement will be required and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is classified under the following activity headings:

- costs of raising funds comprise a proportion of the property costs and their associated support costs.
- expenditure on charitable activities includes property, shop and publication costs with associated support costs.
- investment management costs comprise investment management fees and professional fees.

Irrecoverable VAT is charged as a cost against the activity for which the expenditure was incurred.

g) Allocation of support costs

Support costs are those functions that assist the work of the charity but do not directly undertake charitable activities. Support costs include back office costs, finance, personnel, payroll and governance costs which support the charity's programmes and activities. These costs, with the exception of payroll costs, have been allocated between the cost of raising funds and expenditure on charitable activities based on estimated floor space as follows:

Charitable activities 77.1%

Trading costs 22.9%

Payroll costs have been allocated based on the estimated time spent by support staff as follows:

Costs of generating voluntary income 25%

Charitable activities 75%

h) Fixed assets

Individual fixed assets costing £1,000 or more are capitalized at costs and are depreciated over their estimated useful economic life on a straight line basis as follows:

Fixtures and fittings 7% - straight line

Office equipment 25% - straight line.

The freehold land and property is held at a valuation prepared by the directors. This valuation is considered by the directors on an annual basis to determine whether there has been any

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**1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

impairment in the value of the property. No depreciation is charged in relation to the property as the directors consider that any depreciation charge would be immaterial after taking into account the estimated residual value of the property.

i) Heritage assets

The Society holds an extensive library and archive relating to the life and works of Emanuel Swedenborg, held primarily for the purposes of transferring knowledge and promoting culture. This collection is considered to be a heritage asset and is stated in the balance sheet at an attributed value based on a valuation performed by Bernard Quaritch Limited. The asset is not depreciated as it is considered to have an indefinite life. Material additions, through purchase or donation, to the library are capitalized at their fair value.

j) Investment property

The proportion by floor area of the freehold property, Swedenborg House, that is rented out to tenants is classified as investment property.

The investment property is held at a valuation, determined by reference to the discounted rental return of the property for the next 50 years.

k) Investments

Investments are held at market value.

l) Stock

Stocks of books, printed sheets and papers are included in the accounts at a nominal value of £100, based on significant uncertainties with regards to the realizable value of the books held. Disposal proceeds and acquisition costs are taken to the Statement of Financial Activities in the year in which they are received/paid.

m) Debtors

Trade and other debtors are recognized at the settlement amount due after any trade discount offered. Prepayments are valued at the amount prepaid net of any trade discounts due.

n) Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and short-term highly liquid investments with a short maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition or opening of the deposit or similar account.

o) Creditors and provisions

Creditors and provisions are recognized where the charity has a present obligation resulting from a past event that will probably result in the transfer of funds to a third party and the amount due to settle the obligation can be measured or estimated reliably. Creditors and provisions are normally recognized at their settlement amount after allowing for any trade discounts due.

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**1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

p) Financial instruments

The charity only has financial assets and liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognized at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value.

q) Pensions

Pension costs represent payments to individual pension schemes of employees. Pension costs are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities in the period to which they relate.

r) Judgments in applying accounting policies and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported for assets and liabilities as at the balance sheet date and the amounts reported for revenue and expenses during the year. The nature of estimation means the actual outcomes could differ from those estimates.

The key sources of estimation uncertainty that could have an impact on the financial statements relate to the valuation of the freehold property, as included in fixed assets and investment property, and the valuation of the heritage assets. Note 13 describes the factors considered in the valuation of the property and note 12 gives details of the external valuation of the heritage assets.

**2. LEGAL STATUS OF THE SOCIETY**

The Society is a company limited by guarantee and has no share capital. The liability of each member in the event of winding-up is limited to £5.

**3. CORPORATION TAXATION**

The charity is exempt from tax on income and gains falling within section 505 of the Taxes Act 1988 or section 252 of the Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992 to the extent that these are applied to its charitable objects.

**4. NET SURPLUS OF THE PERIOD**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
The net movement in funds for the period is stated after charging:	£	£
Auditor's remuneration	<u>5,250</u>	<u>5,000</u>

**5. EMPLOYEE INFORMATION**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
Staff costs:	£	£
Wages and salaries	162,201	160,158
Social security costs	11,759	11,248
Pension contributions	<u>9,162</u>	<u>33,831</u>
	<u>183,122</u>	<u>205,237</u>

The average number of employees during the period was 7 (2016: 6). No employees (2016: nil) earned in excess of £60,000.

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**5. EMPLOYEE INFORMATION (CONTINUED)**

No Council Member was remunerated during the year. Reimbursement of travel expenses of £6,817 (2016: £3,917) were made to 5 (2016: 3) Council Members during the year. Nothing was owed (2016: £Nil) to a Trustee at the year end for reimbursement of expenses incurred. There are no other related party transactions which require disclosure in the accounts.

The key management personnel of the Society comprise the Council and the Executive Director. The total employee benefits of the key management personnel of the Society were £60,201 (2016: £73,500).

**6. INCOME FROM DONATIONS AND LEGACIES**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Donations	15,950	12,934
Subscriptions	1,275	1,540
Legacies	115,085	14,426
Donations in kind	<u>88,000</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>220,310</u>	<u>28,900</u>

The Society benefits greatly from the involvement and enthusiastic support of its volunteers, details of which are given in our annual report. In accordance with FRS 102 and the Charities SORP (FRS 102), the economic benefit contribution of general volunteers is not recognized in the accounts. Included in Donations in kind is £88,000 (2016: nil) that is restricted.

**7. INVESTMENT INCOME**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Rental income	183,180	159,830
Service charges receivable	23,918	24,050
Interest and dividends receivable	<u>186,757</u>	<u>150,268</u>
	<u>393,855</u>	<u>334,148</u>

**8. FUNDRAISING, TRADING AND OTHER COSTS**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Wages and salaries	6,349	5,154
Property costs	23,384	24,853
Administration	2,692	4,967
Depreciation	<u>2,849</u>	<u>2,767</u>
	<u>35,274</u>	<u>37,750</u>

**9. INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT COSTS**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Portfolio management	25,749	24,170
Property professional fees	<u>11,512</u>	<u>20,365</u>
	<u>37,261</u>	<u>44,535</u>

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**10. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Lectures and meetings	1,782	3,511
Education and outreach	1,086	-
Publishing and distribution:		
Printing and binding	73,310	52,093
Books purchased for resale	2,986	3,341
Revision and translation	35,301	29,933
Property, shop and stock room expenses	173,966	161,967
Events	9,582	19,507
Library and catalogue expenses	37,404	35,376
Governance costs	<u>39,862</u>	<u>47,488</u>
	<u>375,279</u>	<u>353,216</u>

As outlined in the accounting policies, relevant expenses are apportioned between charitable activities and other costs based on utilization of floor space.

Included in governance costs is £5,250 (2016: £5,000) in respect of audit fees.

Included in total expenditure is £51,281 (2016: £36,228) relating to the ongoing refurbishment of Swedenborg House.

**11. SUPPORT COSTS**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Premises		
Repairs and maintenance	16,586	34,833
Building works	51,281	36,228
Office operating costs	58,446	65,589
Support staff salaries	27,725	28,198
Office salaries	43,054	62,764
Audit fees	5,250	5,000
Accountancy services	<u>16,342</u>	<u>17,820</u>
	<u>218,684</u>	<u>250,432</u>

Allocation of support costs:

Costs of generating voluntary income	10,764	31,382
Fundraising, trading and other costs	35,274	37,750
Expenditure on charitable activities	<u>172,646</u>	<u>181,300</u>
	<u>218,684</u>	<u>250,432</u>

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**11. SUPPORT COSTS (CONTINUED)**

Support costs include back office costs, finance, personnel, payroll and governance costs which support the charity's programmes and activities.

Costs that cannot be allocated directly, with the exception of payroll, have been apportioned between charitable activities and fundraising costs based on estimated floor space as outlined in the accounting policies. Payroll costs relating to support staff have been apportioned equally between costs of generating voluntary income and expenditure on charitable activities.

**12. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS**

	<b>Freehold Land and Buildings</b>	<b>Fixtures, Fittings and Equipment</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Cost / valuation</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
At 1 January 2017	4,470,863	113,791	4,584,654
Additions	-	1,274	1,274
Disposals		(416)	(416)
At 31 December 2017	<u>4,470,863</u>	<u>114,649</u>	<u>4,585,512</u>
<b>Depreciation</b>			
At 1 January 2017	-	58,926	58,926
Charge for the year	-	12,285	12,285
On disposals	-	(260)	(260)
At 31 December 2017	<u>-</u>	<u>70,951</u>	<u>70,951</u>
<b>Net book value</b>			
At 31 December 2017	<u>4,470,863</u>	<u>43,698</u>	<u>4,514,561</u>
At 31 December 2016	<u>4,470,863</u>	<u>54,866</u>	<u>4,525,729</u>

All assets are held for the benefit of the charity.

The freehold property has been measured on 1 January 2014 at its fair value, and as permitted by FRS 102, that fair value will be used as its deemed cost as at the date of transition to FRS 102.

The comparable amount under the historical cost basis for land and buildings is immaterial due to the age of the asset and its small original cost.



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**12. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS (CONTINUED)**

**TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - HERITAGE ASSETS**

<b>Cost</b>	<b>Heritage Assets</b>
	<b>£</b>
At 1 January 2017	242,500
Additions	88,000
At 31 December 2017	<u>330,500</u>
<b>Net book value</b>	
At 31 December 2017	<u>330,500</u>
At 31 December 2016	<u>242,500</u>

The heritage assets relate to the library and archives. They are included in the financial statements at a valuation based on insurance value. The historic cost was £100 and there were no transactions in respect of heritage assets during 2016 and the previous four reporting periods. In 2015, an external valuation was undertaken by Bernard Quaritch Limited, an independent antiquarian valuation experts who valued these assets at £242,500 for insurance purposes. The valuation is reviewed on a regular basis by the Society. During the year new items have been gifted to the Society by the General Conference of the New Church. These additions have been valued by Bernard Quaritch Ltd as at 31 December 2017 and have been given a carrying value of £88,000. The library was established in 1824 and provides an important resource for those researching Swedenborg. It has five main sections: The Swedenborg Collection; the Archives; Collateral titles; Periodicals; and the General Conference Collection. The library is a research library and is open to the public. Further details are provided in the Report of the Council .

Full information is available on the Society's website [www.swedenborg.org.uk/library](http://www.swedenborg.org.uk/library).

The carrying value of the heritage assets under the historical cost basis would be immaterial due to the age and low cost of these assets.

**13. INVESTMENT PROPERTY**

Valuation	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
At 1 January 2017 and 31 December 2017	<u>4,529,137</u>	<u>4,529,137</u>

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**13. INVESTMENT PROPERTY (CONTINUED)**

The fair value of the investment property as at 1 January 2014, the FRS 102 transition date, was calculated based on the rental return of the property for the next 50 years, discounted based on the average risk free investment return over the past 15 years. This present value has been compared to recent investment transactions in Bloomsbury for reasonableness. In the opinion of the Trustees, and based on the review of investment transactions over the period, there has been no significant change in the value of the investment property in the year ended 31 December 2017.

**14. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	£	£
Market value at 1 January	5,410,010	4,757,433
Disposals at market value	(232,125)	(494,020)
Acquisitions at cost	<u>351,829</u>	<u>472,065</u>
	5,529,714	4,735,478
Unrealized gains	<u>442,326</u>	<u>674,532</u>
Market value at 31 December	<u>5,972,040</u>	<u>5,410,010</u>
Historical cost at 31 December	<u>3,964,525</u>	<u>3,807,327</u>

The following investments comprised more than 5% of the investment fund at valuation at 31 December 2017:

Mercantile Investment Trust	£370,430
Findlay Park LLP American Fund	£391,710

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	£	£
Analysis of investments held		
Fixed interest - UK	755,600	681,641
Fixed interest - Non UK	114,742	115,165
Equities - UK	2,588,972	2,307,719
Equities - Non UK	2,499,182	2,269,787
Property fund	<u>13,544</u>	<u>35,698</u>
	<u>5,972,040</u>	<u>5,410,010</u>

Fixed asset investments represent financial assets measured at fair value through income and expenditure.

**15. DEBTORS**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	£	£
Trade debtors	17,147	30,222
Prepayments and accrued income	<u>67,179</u>	<u>66,312</u>
	<u>84,326</u>	<u>96,534</u>

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**15. DEBTORS (CONTINUED)**

Included in prepayments and accrued income is an amount of £22,604 (2016: £27,044) due after more than one year.

**16. CREDITORS**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	£	£
Trade creditors	5,664	3,436
Other creditors	47,037	49,116
Accruals and deferred income	<u>33,236</u>	<u>56,208</u>
	<u>85,937</u>	<u>108,760</u>

**DEFERRED INCOME**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	£	£
Deferred income as at 1 January	13,170	27,907
Released during the year	(13,170)	(27,907)
Deferred during the year	<u>15,645</u>	<u>13,170</u>
Deferred income as at 31 December	<u>15,645</u>	<u>13,170</u>

Deferred income comprises advance bookings for the hire of rooms at Swedenborg House.

**17. ENDOWMENTS**

	<b>Balances</b>	<b>Net incoming</b>	<b>Gains</b>	<b>Balances</b>
	<b>1.1.17</b>	<b>resources</b>	<b>and transfers</b>	<b>31.12.17</b>
	£	£	£	£
Endowment fund	<u>13,924</u>	<u>318</u>	<u>(497)</u>	<u>13,745</u>

The permanent endowment comprises the Coulson Bequest Fund, the income from which is unrestricted.

**18. GENERAL FUND**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	£	£
Balance at 1 January 2017	1,759,484	1,472,752
Net incoming resources per SOFA	559,034	707,308
Resources expended charged to designated funds	51,280	36,228
Transfer to capital investment reserve	(393,421)	(456,804)
Transfer to scholarship reserve	(50,000)	-
Balance at 31 December 2017	<u>1,926,377</u>	<u>1,759,484</u>

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**19. DESIGNATED FUNDS**

	<b>Balances 1.1.17</b>	<b>Net incoming resources</b>	<b>Gains and transfers</b>	<b>Balances 31.12.17</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Property reserve	58,772	(51,280)	-	7,492
Capital investment reserve	3,787,007	-	393,421	4,180,428
Scholarship reserve	-	-	50,000	50,000

The property reserve is a fund designated for exceptional expenditure required to maintain the property.

The capital investment reserve was designated by the Trustees and is equivalent to 70% of the Society's investment portfolio. Much of the Charity's work is long-term in character, including a commitment to maintain the library and archives, and therefore justifies this designated reserve to ensure the continuity of operations.

The scholarship reserve was set up in 2017 to help the Society's stated charitable aim to support academic, educational and scholarly activities in relation to the work and intellectual legacy of Swedenborg.

**20. REVALUATION RESERVES**

<u>Freehold property revaluation reserve</u>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
As at 1 January	8,970,499	8,970,499
Revaluation	-	-
Reserve at 31 December	<u>8,970,499</u>	<u>8,970,499</u>
<u>Analysis of reserve</u>		
Land and buildings	4,456,017	4,456,017
Investment property	<u>4,514,482</u>	<u>4,515,482</u>
	<u>8,970,499</u>	<u>8,970,499</u>
<u>Heritage asset revaluation reserve</u>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
As at 1 January	<u>242,400</u>	<u>242,400</u>

The heritage assets were revalued in 2015. The donation of heritage assets in the year have been included in restricted funds as detailed in note 21.

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**21. RESTRICTED FUNDS**

	Balances 1.1.17	Net incoming resources	Gains and transfers	Balances 31.12.17
	£	£	£	£
Heritage asset	-	88,000	-	88,000

The heritage asset restricted fund represents an archive donated to the Society. The conditions of the donation are such that the heritage asset will revert to the donor in the event that the Society ceases to operate or otherwise opts to no longer hold the archive.

**22. ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS**

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Endowment Funds	Total Funds
	£	£	£	£
Tangible fixed assets	4,757,061	88,000	-	4,845,061
Investment property	4,529,137	-	-	4,529,137
Investments	5,958,295	-	13,745	5,972,040
Current assets	218,640	-	-	218,640
Current liabilities	(85,937)	-	-	(85,937)
Total net assets	15,377,196	88,000	13,745	15,478,941
Unrealized gains/(losses) included in above:				
On tangible fixed assets	9,212,899	-	-	9,212,899
On investment assets (see note below)	1,926,727	-	3,929	2,007,515

**Reconciliation of movements in unrealized gains on investment assets**

Unrealized gains at 1 January 2017	1,598,575	-	4,108	1,602,683
Net gains arising on revaluations in year	442,505	-	(179)	442,326
Gains realized on disposals	(37,494)	-	-	(37,494)
Unrealized gains at 31 December 2017	2,003,586	-	3,929	2,007,515

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**23. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Financial assets that are debt instruments at amortized costs		
Debtors - Trade debtors	17,147	30,222
Cash at bank and in hand	<u>134,214</u>	<u>136,836</u>
	<u>151,361</u>	<u>167,058</u>
Financial liabilities measured at amortized costs		
Trade creditors	5,664	3,436
Other creditors	<u>43,945</u>	<u>49,117</u>
	<u>49,609</u>	<u>52,553</u>

**24. GRANT COMMITMENTS**

As at 31 December 2017 the charity had grant commitments of up to £7,088 (2016: £7,088) in relation to the Artist in Residency project.

## List of Members as at 31 December 2017

\* = new member

### Honorary Life Members

Mr Lars Bergquist  
Mr John Cunningham  
Revd John E Elliott  
Mr P L Johnson  
Revd Norman Ryder  
Mr G Roland Smith  
Miss Madeline G Waters

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L Aibara, Mr H N, Bombay, India  
Aitken, Mr Alastair, London  
L Alberly, Mr Oliver, Bromley  
L Alden, Revd Kenneth J, Lake Worth, FL, USA  
L Allaby, Mr M A G, Aylesbury  
Allais, Mrs B G, Edenglen, RSA  
Allen, Mrs H C, Essex  
L Allison, Mrs Annette, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
Amirani, Miss Giti, London  
Amos, Mr Patrick, Colchester  
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L Appलगren, Revd G, Bromma, Sweden  
L Appलगren, Mrs G, Bromma, Sweden  
Arnold, Revd I A, Eight Mile Plains, QLD,  
Australia  
L Ashworth, Mrs J, Accrington  
L Asplundh, Mr E B, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
L Asplundh, Mrs E B, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
L Asplundh, Revd K H, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
L Asplundh, Mrs K H, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
Asplundh, Mr Ned, Huntingdon Valley, PA,  
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L Asplundh, Mr R H, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
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Atherton, Mrs A D, Bournemouth  
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L Azekawa, Mr Yoshiyuki, Paris, France
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L Bain, Mr Hugh, Glasgow  
L Bain, Mrs P N, Perth
- L Baker, Mr D M, Essendon  
L Baker, Dr Gregory, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
L Baker, Mr Peter, Barnsley  
L Baker, Mr R W, London  
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Netherlands  
Bambury, Mr L, Nottingham  
L Bank, Revd C, Shipley  
Baptiste, Mr T, London  
L Barshack, Mr Lior, Tel-Aviv, Israel  
L Barton, Mr D J, Ipswich  
L Barton, Ms Irina, Richmond, Surrey  
L Bateman, Mr Philip, Kenilworth, RSA  
L Batt, Mons F, Paris, France  
L Batt, Mme F, Paris, France  
L Baynes, Mrs Karin, Wells  
Bellinger, Miss J, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
L Benson, Mr A S, Accrington  
L Benson, Mr J, Mt Tamborine, QLD, Australia  
L Benson, Mrs J, Mt Tamborine, QLD, Australia  
L Bentley, Mr Andrew, Derby  
Bentley, Dr G, Derby  
Bentley, Mrs G, Derby  
Berman, Dr David, Dublin, Ireland  
L Berridge, Mr A J, Deal  
L Berridge, Dr John C, Deal  
L Berridge, Mr R J, London  
L Berto, Mrs L C, Glenview, IL, USA  
L Bignell, Mrs Gail, Eastcote  
Biko, Thank-God Unodi, Abolga, Nigeria  
L Billington, Mrs T, Upper Woolhampton  
Birdseye, Mr D, Woodford Green  
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L Blanco-Roldan, Mrs Mercedes, Madrid, Spain  
L Böning, Mr J W, Haarlem, Netherlands

L Boolsen, Revd G, Valby, Denmark  
 L Boolsen, Mrs G, Valby, Denmark  
 L Booth, Mrs P R, Bournemouth  
 L Boothby, Mr Ambrose, Llandudno  
 L Borelli, Mr L, Columbia, SC, USA  
 L Bot, Mr Frits, The Netherlands  
     Bowie, Mrs Anne, Perth  
     Bowley, Mr W, Angaston, SA, Australia  
     Bowley, Mrs W, Angaston, SA, Australia  
 L Bown, Revd C D, Kelvin, RSA  
     Bowyer, Mr C, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
     Bowyer, Mrs C, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
 L Boyd, Mrs M L, North Perth, WA, Australia  
     Boyle, Mr Kevin, London  
 L Boyes, Mrs J, Carseldine, QLD, Australia  
     Boysen, Mr Joseph, London  
 L Braam, Mr A, Etobicoke, ONT, Canada  
 L Bradfield, Mr T M, Etobicoke, ONT, Canada  
 L Bradshaw, Mrs W, Preston  
 L Bray, Mr Ted, Kettering  
 L Braybrook, Mr Mark, Basingstoke  
     Breadon, Revd John, Windsor  
 L Brigg, Miss Joyce, Clitheroe  
 L Brinch, Mrs J L, Forest Row  
 L Britton, Mr D, Colchester  
     Britton, Mrs Elizabeth, Stroud  
     Brock, Mr C I, Goolwa, SA, Australia  
 L Brock, Dr E J, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
 L Brock, Mrs E J, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
 L Brock, Dr R R A, Collinswood, SA, Australia  
 L Brooks, Mr David, St John, NB, Canada  
 L Brown, Mrs B L, Lynwood, WA, Australia  
 L Brown, Mrs D J Latham, Leeds  
 L Brown, Revd Helen, Addlestone  
     Brown, Mrs K T, Pretoria, Transvaal, RSA  
 L Brown, Mr L, Macclesfield  
 L Brown, Mrs Lach, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
 L Bruell, Mr A R, Felsted  
 L Bruell, Mrs A R, Felsted  
 L Brun, Mr Anders, London  
 L Buckley, Mr Michael N, Brighton  
 L Bula, Mr L A, Bexhill-on-Sea  
 L Burl, Mr Wilfred, Erina, NSW, Australia  
 L Burniston, Mr J, Folkestone  
 L Burniston, Mr Mark, Witney  
 L Burnley, Mrs J, Bradford  
 L Burton, Mrs Marian, Manchester  
 L Buss, Mr Clive L, Umtentweni, RSA  
 L Buss, Rt Revd P M, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
 L Buss, Mrs P M, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
 L Butler, Mr Raymond, Newton Stewart  
 L Bylund, Mr G, Hägersten, Sweden

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L Campbell, Ms Agnes, Huddersfield  
 L Campbell, Mr Richard, Hatboro, PA, USA  
 L Cansell, Mrs Anne, Manchester  
     Carosin, Miss Genevieve, Lathlain, WA,  
     Australia  
     Carson, Frederick, Cumbria, UK  
 L Carswell, Miss Mary Alice, Bryn Athyn, PA,  
     USA  
     Cartmel, Fred, Dumbartonshire, UK  
 L Chadwick, Mrs Jean, Stockport  
 L Chambers, Mr C J, Rossendale  
     Chapman, Mr R W, Jr, Portland, ME, USA  
 L Chesworth, Mrs Sue, Huddleigh  
 L Chigbo, Dr Chuba, Cuffley  
 L Chiles, Mrs C, London  
     Christensen, Mrs B, Humbel, Denmark  
 L Clark, Mrs H M, Glasgow  
 L Clark, Miss Hazelle, London  
 L Clarke, Mr Gary A, Filey  
 L Clarkson, Mr Godfrey, Sutton-on-Sea  
 L Clarkson, Mr J A, Glasgow  
 L Clayton, Mrs V, Accrington  
     Clemett, Ms Liz, Uttoxeter  
 L Clemson, Mr David, London  
 L Clover, Mr A D, Shrewsbury  
 L Clubb, Mr Michael, Derby  
 L Clubb, Mrs Betty, Derby  
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 L Cole, Mrs C S, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
 L Cole, Revd S D, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
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 L Cooper, Mr G M, Mitchellville, MD, USA  
 L Cooper, Mrs G M, Mitchellville, MD, USA  
 L Cooper, Mr Kent, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
     Cooper, Mrs Kent, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
 L Cooper, Miss Primrose, Uckfield  
 L Cooper, Mrs Rey W, Bryn Athyn, PA, USA  
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 L Costello, Dr Michael, London  
     Costello, Mrs R, Semington  
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     Cowley, Revd Alan, Beckenham  
     Cowley, Mr J, Weltevreden Park, Transvaal,  
     RSA  
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 Curry, Mr P H, Farnham

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