

**DOTASIA FOUNDATION LIMITED
REPORTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2023**



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**DOTASIA FOUNDATION LIMITED
DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2023**

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements of DotAsia Foundation Limited ("the Company") for the year ended 30 September 2023 on pages 6 to 10.

Principal activities

The principal activities of the Company are to organize and support community projects and socio-technological initiatives with charitable purposes that fulfil its mandate of relief of poverty, digital inclusion, advancement of education, and promoting internet development in Asia.

Directors

The directors during the financial year and up to the date of this report were:

ACHARYA, Santanu	(Retired on 26 February 2023)
ADEEL, Kashif	(Retired on 26 February 2023)
BARRETT, Thomas Anthony	(Appointed on 23 May 2024)
BUDIMANSYAH, Andi	(Retired on 26 February 2023)
CARTER, Jordan Tracy	(Appointed on 26 February 2023, based on board resolution dated 1 November 2023 deemed ceased to hold office on 26 February 2023, and re-appointed on 14 November 2023)
CHAN, Ting-I	(Appointed on 26 February 2023, based on board resolution dated 1 November 2023 deemed to hold office on 26 February 2023, and re-appointed on 14 November 2023)
CHANG, Che Hang	(Resigned on 5 April 2023)
CHELLIKATTUVELI SIVANANDAN, Sathees Babu	
CHUNG, Edmon Wang On	
DISINI, Jose Emmanuel	(Retired on 26 February 2023)
HILYARD, Maureen Moari Marama	(Appointed on 26 February 2023, based on board resolution dated 1 November 2023 deemed to hold office on 26 February 2023, and re-appointed on 14 November 2023)
IBRAGIMOV, Murodkhodja	(Resigned on 3 April 2023)
KIM, Bo Young	(Appointed on 23 May 2024)
LAY, Jose Angelino	(Appointed on 14 November 2023)
MAEMURA, Akinori	(Appointed on 26 February 2023)
SALEH, Alireza	(Retried on 23 May 2024)
SHRESTHA, Rupesh Bhakta	(Appointed on 23 May 2024)
STRICKLAND, Ellen Iresa	(Retired on 26 February 2023)
TODOROV, Leonid	(Resigned on 3 April 2023)
YU, Jo-Fan	(Appointed on 23 May 2024)

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Permitted indemnity provisions

During the year and up to the date of this report, a permitted indemnity provision for the benefit of the Company's directors was in force. An appropriate insurance cover for the directors' liability has been arranged in respect of legal actions against its directors arising out of corporate activities.

Management contracts

No contracts concerning the management and administration of the whole or any substantial part of the business of the Company were entered into or existed during the year.

Reporting exemption

The Company falls within the reporting exemption for the financial year under section 359(1) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance. Accordingly, the Company is exempted from preparing a business review and disclosing certain information as required in section 388(1) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

Auditor

Abacus CPA Limited, Certified Public Accountants retire and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-appointment. A resolution for the re-appointment of Abacus CPA Limited, Certified Public Accountants as the Company's auditor is to be proposed at the forthcoming annual general meeting.

On behalf of the Board



CHUNG, Edmon Wang On
Director

21 FEB 2025

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE MEMBERS OF
DOTASIA FOUNDATION LIMITED
(incorporated in Hong Kong and limited by guarantee)

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of DotAsia Foundation Limited ("the Company") set out on pages 6 to 10, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 30 September 2023, and the income statement for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the financial statements of the Company are prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the Hong Kong Small and Medium-sized Entity Financial Reporting Standard ("SME-FRS") issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA") and have been properly prepared in compliance with the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing ("HKSAs") and with reference to Practice Note 900 (Revised), Audit of Financial Statements Prepared in Accordance with the Small and Medium-sized Entity Financial Reporting Standard issued by the HKICPA. 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 Company in accordance with the HKICPA's Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants ("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.

Information other than the financial statements and auditor's report thereon

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises all the information, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and 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, 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.

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE MEMBERS OF
DOTASIA FOUNDATION LIMITED**
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Responsibilities of directors and those charged with governance for the financial statements

The directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the SME-FRS issued by the HKICPA and the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, and for such internal control as the directors 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 directors are responsible for assessing the 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 directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

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 and to report our opinion solely to you, as a body, in accordance with section 405 of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report.

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with HKSAs 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.

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE MEMBERS OF
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Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (continued)

As part of an audit in accordance with HKSAs, 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 Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' 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 Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's 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 auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

We communicate with those charged with governance 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.

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Certified Public Accountants
Hong Kong, 21 FEB 2025

Fung Wing Lap
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DOTASIA FOUNDATION LIMITED
INCOME STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

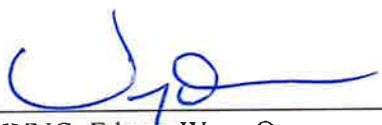
	Note	2023 USD	2022 USD
Revenue	3	276,146	265,712
Project costs		(267,028)	(257,098)
General and administrative expenses		<u>(9,118)</u>	<u>(8,614)</u>
Surplus before tax	4	-	-
Income tax expenses	6	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Surplus for the year		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

The accompanying Accounting Policies and Explanatory Notes form an integral part of, and should be read in conjunction with, these financial statements.


DOTASIA FOUNDATION LIMITED
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

	Note	2023 USD	2022 USD
Current assets			
Account receivable		12,000	25,000
Amount due from the sole member	7	<u>34,931</u>	<u>7,830</u>
		<u>46,931</u>	<u>32,830</u>
Current liabilities			
Accruals		<u>46,931</u>	<u>32,830</u>
Net assets			
		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Equity			
Accumulated funds	8	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

Approved on behalf of the Board by:



 CHUNG, Edmon Wang On
 Director



 MAEMURA, Akinori
 Director

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DOTASIA FOUNDATION LIMITED
ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

1. Reporting entity

DotAsia Foundation Limited (“the Company”) is a company incorporated in Hong Kong as a company limited by guarantee and not having a share capital. The Company’s registered office is located at 12/F, Daily House, 35-37 Haiphong Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong. The principal activities of the Company are to organize and support community projects and socio-technological initiatives with charitable purposes that fulfil its mandate of relief of poverty, digital inclusion, advancement of education, and promoting internet development in Asia.

The sole member of the Company is DotAsia Organisation Limited.

2. Basis of preparation and accounting policies

The Company qualifies for the reporting exemption as a small private company under section 359(1)(a) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance (Cap. 622) and is therefore entitled to prepare and present its financial statements in accordance with the Small and Medium-sized Entity Financial Reporting Standard (“SME-FRS”) issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

These financial statements comply with the SME-FRS and have been prepared under the accrual basis of accounting and on the basis that the Company is a going concern.

The measurement base adopted is the historical cost convention.

The following are the specific accounting policies that are necessary for a proper understanding of the financial statements:

(a) Revenue

Revenue is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and when the revenue can be measured reliably, on the following bases:

- (i) Donation income is recognised when the right to receive such revenue has been established.

(b) Foreign exchange

The reporting currency of the Company is United States Dollars (“USD”), unless otherwise stated.

Foreign currency transactions are converted at the exchange rate applicable at the transaction date. Foreign currency monetary items are translated into USD using exchange rates applicable at the end of the reporting period. Gains and losses on foreign exchange are recognised in the income statement.

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2. Basis of preparation and accounting policies (continued)

(c) Taxation

Income tax expense represents current tax expense. The income tax payable represents the amounts expected to be paid to the taxation authority, using the tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period. Deferred tax is not provided.

3. Revenue

An analysis of the Company's revenue is as follows:

	2023 USD	2022 USD
Support service fee (IGFSA Secretariat)	12,000	12,000
Sponsorship / Donation		
- APriGF	43,000	59,282
- HBS Carbon Footprint Project	47,455	35,001
- Donation	43,916	41,250
Other income	-	7,908
Subsidy	129,775	110,271
	<u>276,146</u>	<u>265,712</u>

4. Surplus for the year

Surplus for the year is arrived at after charging:

	2023 USD	2022 USD
Staff costs:		
- salaries and other benefits	191,496	173,000
- retirement benefits	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

5. Directors' remuneration

Directors' remuneration disclosed pursuant to section 383(1) of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance is as follows:

	2023 USD	2022 USD
Fees	-	-
Other emoluments	-	-
Retirement benefits	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

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6. Income tax expense

No provision for Hong Kong Profits Tax has been made in the financial statements as the Company is an approved charitable institution. It is exempted from payment of Profits Tax by virtue of section 88 of the Inland Revenue Ordinance. The Company also received revenue from its sole member over half of the gross receipts, it deems that the Company does not carry on business pursuant to section 24(1) of the Inland Revenue Ordinance.

7. Amount due from the sole member

The amount due from the sole member is unsecured, interest-free and has no fixed repayment terms.

8. Changes in equity – Accumulated Funds

	USD
At 1 October 2022	-
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	<u>-</u>
At 30 September 2023	<u>-</u>

9. Other material related party transactions

In addition to the transactions and balances disclosed elsewhere in these financial statements, the Company had the following transactions and balances with related parties:

	2023	2022
	USD	USD
Donation from a director	43,916	41,250
Subsidy from the sole member	129,775	110,271
Office expenses to the sole member	3,558	4,035
Expenses paid on behalf by the sole member	<u>191,496</u>	<u>173,000</u>

10. Approval of financial statements

These financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Company's Board of Directors on **21 FEB 2025**