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Office of the Scottish **Charity Regulator**

Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
Period start date				Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	01	Jan	2025	To	31	Dec	2025

Reference and administration details

Charity name
Other names charity is known by
Registered charity number
Charity's principal address

THE INDIA RURAL EVANGELICAL FELLOWSHIP (UK)
SC33100
62 Holmhead Road, Cumnock, KA18 1UA Scotland.
Postcode KA18 1UA

Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	David R G Hunt	Chairman		
2	Nick Beacher			
3	Aileen Bell			
4	Lyndsey Clarke			
5	Jason Leitch			
6	Stewart Shaw	Treasurer		

Reference and administration details

Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

Trust Deed

Trustee recruitment and appointment

Recruitment is as and when needed; appointment is by existing trustees. There were no changes to the trustees during this reporting period.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

a) the advancement of the Christian faith amongst the people of Andhra Pradesh, India, through the support of Indian pastors and evangelists and in other ways charitable in law; b) the advancement of education amongst the people of Andhra Pradesh, India, through the support of Indian children and teachers, and in other ways charitable in law; c) the relief of poverty and sickness amongst the people of Andhra Pradesh, India, through the provision of medical teams and supplies and in other ways charitable in law; d) the general benefit of the people of Andhra Pradesh, India, in whatever ways are considered appropriate and charitable in law.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

Fund raising through various sponsorship schemes and direct giving.
Medical team visits to India, biennially.
Publicity through literature and visits to churches, schools, etc.

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Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

- The work of IREF(India) was supported from the UK through the sponsorship of 37 Repalle-based children, 29 CDC children, 4 student nurses, 10 village workers and 6 teachers, plus various other designated and undesignated donations.
- Three remittances of funds were made to IREF(India) during 2025 via our sister organisation IREF(USA); a fourth quarterly remittance was not possible due to some technical issues with IREF(India)'s bank account which we hope will be resolved soon.
- A Medical Team from the UK travelled to India in January 2025, for which substantial funds were raised.
- Our supporters were kept well informed of the activities of IREF(India) through quarterly newsletters and through a regularly updated IREF Facebook page.
- The trustees met twice during the year (via Zoom) and kept in touch in between via emails.
- IREF(UK) continues to work closely with our sister organisation, IREF(USA), exchanging information on a regular basis.
- A Safeguarding policy was drawn up and adopted by the trustees.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

- IREF(UK)'s policy is to remit donated funds to IREF(India) on a quarterly basis, whilst holding small reserves to enable the charity to respond to special and/or urgent needs.

Details of any deficit

none

Donated facilities and services (if any)

none

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Other optional information

none

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	David Richard Gainer Hunt	
Position (e.g. Chair)	Chairman	
Date	05/01/2026	