



## **Liberal Democrats for Electoral Reform Liberal Democrats Accounts for Year Ending 31st December 2024**

**Registered Address:** 1 Vincent Square, London, SW1P 2PN

### **Elected Representatives**

### **Responsible Officers**

For the purposes of the Political Parties Elections Referendums Act 2000, the responsible officers are:

<u>Names</u>	<u>Position</u>
Keith Sharp	Chair
Kay Kirkham	Treasurer

### **Branches**

There are no branches

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### **Accounting Notes**

This statement of accounts uses accruals accounting method.

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**Income Overview**

Income is mainly from membership subscriptions and sponsorship

**Expenditure Overview**

Expenditure is mainly for activities at party conference and donation to General Election campaign

**Balance Sheet Overview**

Reserves have reduced marginally because of General Election campaign donations

**Overview of Political Activities**

We campaigned to increase awareness of Electoral Reform within the party and with other sympathetic organisations.

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**Income and Expenditure Account**

	Note	2024	2023
<b><u>Income</u></b>			
Membership	1	£2,512.72	£2,263.00
Affiliations	2	£0.00	£0.00
Donations	3	£115.00	£0.00
Branch income	4	£0.00	£0.00
Fundraising income	5	£0.00	£0.00
Investment income	6	£0.00	£0.00
Transfers in	7	£0.00	£0.00
Property & rental income / Other services	8	£0.00	£0.00
Miscellaneous	9	£1,146.50	£2,931.00
<b>Total income</b>		<b>£3,774.22</b>	<b>£5,194.00</b>
<b><u>Expenditure</u></b>			
Premises	-	£0.00	£0.00
Office & admin costs	-	£1,083.56	£1,150.93
Branch expenditure	4	£0.00	£0.00
Staff costs	10	£0.00	£0.00
Transfers out	7	£0.00	£0.00
Campaigning costs	-	£750.00	£145.94
Fundraising costs	5	£0.00	£0.00
Financing charges and Taxation	11	£94.48	£77.09
Depreciation	12	£0.00	£0.00
(Profit) / loss on sale of assets	15	£0.00	£0.00
Miscellaneous	9	£2,288.68	£3,535.45
<b>Total expenditure</b>		<b>£4,216.72</b>	<b>£4,909.41</b>
<b>(Deficit) / surplus</b>		<b>£(442.50)</b>	<b>£284.59</b>

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**Balance Sheet**

	Note	2024	2023
<b><u>Fixed Assets</u></b>			
Property	12	£0.00	£0.00
Fixtures and fittings	12	£0.00	£0.00
Office equipment	12	£0.00	£0.00
Investments	6	£0.00	£0.00
<b>Total fixed assets</b>		<b>£0.00</b>	<b>£0.00</b>
<b><u>Current Assets</u></b>			
Cash in hand and at bank	6	£4,486.99	£4,929.49
Stock	13	£0.00	£0.00
Debtors and Prepayments	14	£0.00	£0.00
<b>Total current assets</b>		<b>£4,486.99</b>	<b>£4,929.49</b>
<b><u>Liabilities</u></b>			
Creditors and Accruals	-	£0.00	£0.00
Loans outstanding	15	£0.00	£0.00
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<b>£0.00</b>	<b>£0.00</b>
<b><u>Total Net Assets / (Liabilities)</u></b>		<b>£4,486.99</b>	<b>£4,929.49</b>
<b><u>Reserves</u></b>			
Accumulated fund at the start of the year		£4,929.49	£4,644.90
Transfers between accumulated fund and other funds		£0.00	£0.00
Deficit / surplus		£(442.50)	£284.59
Accumulated fund at the end of the year		£4,486.99	£4,929.49
Asset Revaluation Reserve		£0.00	£0.00
Other funds		£0.00	£0.00
<b>Total reserves</b>		<b>£4,486.99</b>	<b>£4,929.49</b>

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**Notes to the Accounts**

**Note 1: Membership**

Membership fees received via the central party

2024	2023
£2,512.72	£2,263.00

**Note 2: Affiliations**

There were no affiliation fees

2024	2023
£0.00	£0.00

**Note 3: Donations**

Cash and cash equivalent donations

Notional / Donations in Kind

**Total Donations**

2024	2023
£115.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
<u>£115.00</u>	<u>£0.00</u>

**Note 4: Branch Income and Expenditure**

This area has no branches

2024		2023	
Income	Expenses	Income	Expenses
<u>£0.00</u>	<u>£0.00</u>	<u>£0.00</u>	<u>£0.00</u>

**Note 5: Fundraising Income and Expenditure**

There were no fundraising events this year.

**Note 6: Investment Income**

Bank accounts

Investments

2024		2023	
Year-end balance	Income received	Year-end balance	Income received
£4,486.99	£0.00	£4,929.49	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00

**Note 7: Transfers**

From / to Liberal Democrat regional/state/central parties

From / to other Liberal Democrat local parties

Internal transfers between branches and accounting unit

From / to other Liberal Democrat accounting units

2024	
Incoming	Outgoing
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
<u>£0.00</u>	<u>£0.00</u>

**Note 8: Property and rental income / Office services**

Rent received

Other services income

2024	2023
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
<u>£0.00</u>	<u>£0.00</u>

**Note 9: Miscellaneous Income / Expenditure**

Conference sponsorship

Conference bookings

2024		2023	
Income	Expense	Income	Expense
£1,146.50		£2,931.00	
	£2,288.68		£3,535.45
£1,146.50	£2,288.68	£2,931.00	£3,535.45

**Note 10: Salary Costs**

Salary costs

Employer's National Insurance and Pension costs

Training costs

Number of staff

2024	2023
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
0	0

**Note 11: Financing Charges and Taxation**

Bank charges

Interest charged

Taxation charged

2024	2023
£94.48	£77.09
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£94.48	£77.09

**Note 12: Fixed Assets**

Value at start of year

Additions

Disposals

Revaluations

Depreciation

**Value at end of year**

Property	Fixtures & Fittings	Equipment	Total
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00

**Note 13: Stock**

Opening balance

Movements: Increase

Movements: Decrease

**Closing balance**

2024	2023
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00

**Note 14: Debtors and Prepayments**

Prepayments

Debtors

£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00

**Note 15: Loans**

Outstanding at start of year

Capital repayments

New loans

2024	2023
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00
£0.00	£0.00

**Note 16: Profit / (Loss) on Disposal of Assets**

No assets were disposed of during the year

Book value at disposal	Sale Proceeds	Profit / (Loss) on Disposal
£0.00	£0.00	£0.00


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**Declaration**

I confirm that the above statement of accounts has been prepared in accordance with guidance issued by the Electoral Commission and is correct to my knowledge.

In addition I confirm that these accounts have been approved by the executive committee of Liberal Democrats for Electoral Reform Liberal Democrats.

Signature:

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Name: Kay Kirkham

Position: Treasurer

Date: 03.03.25

Signature:

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Name: Keith Sharp

Position: Chair

Date: 03.03.25

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**Independent Examiner's Report**

I have examined the Income and Expenditure and Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st December 2024 together with the underlying accounting records and confirm that the accounts are in accordance therewith.

I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that the accounting records were not kept as required; the accounts are in accordance with the accounting records; the accounts comply with the requirements of the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000.

Signature:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Mathon', is written inside a rectangular box.

Name: Dominic Mathon

Position: Independent Examiner

Date: 13.02.25