TRANSPARENCY INTERNATIONAL MACEDONIA - Skopje

Financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 and

Independent Auditor's Report

August 2024, Skopje

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To:
The Management of
Transparency International Macedonia
SKOPJE

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Transparency International Macedonia (in the following text "Organization"), which comprise the Balance Sheet as of 31 December 2023, the Statement of Revenues and Expenses, and the Statement of Changes in Funds for the year then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes.

Management's responsibility for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the Accounting Law for Non-profit Organizations and the standards for reporting under the cash basis of accounting. This responsibility includes: designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing applicable in the Republic of North Macedonia and published in Official Gazette no 79/2010. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

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To: The Management of Transparency International Macedonia SKOPJE

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (Continued)

Auditor's opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements of Transparency International Macedonia give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Organization as of 31 December 2023, as well as the operating results and the changes in the funds for the year than ended, in accordance with the Accounting Law for Non-profit Organizations and standards for reporting under the cash basis of accounting.

Skopje, 26 August 2024 година

Certified Auditor Zvonko Kocovski Managing Partner Nenad Tortevski





STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES For the Year Ended 31 December 2023 In MKD thousands

	Notes	2023	2022
Revenues	4	11.911	8.681
Transfer of surplus from the previous year		846	3.131
TOTAL REVENUES		12.757	11.812
Operating expenses	5	9.825	10.888
Capital expenses	6	55	78
TOTAL EXPENSES		9.880	10.966
Surplus of revenues over expenses		2.877	846

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

The accompanying financial statements were authorised for issue by the management of the Organization on 28 February 2024 and were signed on its behalf by:

Secretary General Metodi Zajkov

	Notes	31 December 2023	31 December 2022
ASSETS	B 		(
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	7	181	166
		181	166
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	8	2.906	887
		2.906	887
TOTAL ASSETS		3.087	1.053
LIABILITIES AND OPERATING FUND			
OPERATING FUND			
Operating Fund	9	181	166
Surplus of revenues over expenses		2.877	846
		3.058	1.012
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable	10	29	41_
		29	41
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUNDS		3.087	1.053

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN OPERATING FUND As of 31 December 2023 In MKD thousands

	Operating Fund	Difference between revenues and expenses	TOTAL
Balance as of 01 January 2022	213	3.131	3.344
Transferred surplus of revenues over expenses from the previous year	20	(3.131)	(3.131)
Additions of fixed assets	78	·	78
Depreciation	(125)	-	(125)
Surplus of revenues over expenses	-	846	846
Balance as of 31 December 2022	166	846	1.012
Transferred surplus of revenues over expenses from the previous year		(846)	(846)
Additions of fixed assets	55	-	55
Depreciation	(92)	-	(92)
Revaluation	52	-	52
Surplus of revenues over expenses		2.877	2.877
Balance as of 31 December 2023	181	2.877	3.058

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Year Ended 31 December 2023 All amounts are expressed in MKD thousand, unless otherwise stated

1. ESTABLISHMENT AND ACTIVITY

TRANSPARENCY INTERNATIONAL MACEDONIA is a non-profit organization established in 2006 according to the Law of Associations of Citizens and Foundations.

The Organization is registered in the Register of the Association of Citizens and Foundations. The main activity of the Organization is to establish a system of good governance for efficient fight and prevention against corruption, implemented through various project activities.

The Organization is located in Skopje, with the address - Naum Naumovski Borce 58.

The total number of employees as of 31 December 2023 is 5 employees (31 December 2022 - 5 employees).

2. BASIS FOR PREPARATION AND PRESENTATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements of the Organization are conducted in accordance with the Non-Profit Organization Accounting Law and the standards for reporting under the cash basis of accounting for presentation of the balance sheet items, balances of the assets, liabilities, sources of the assets, revenues and expenses, and the operating results on a true, fair, confidential, complete, punctual basis.

The amounts in the statements and the notes are stated in thousands of MKD, except when otherwise indicated in the text.

3. BASIC ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The basic accounting policies used for preparation of the financial statements are listed in the following text.

3.1 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprises of the cash on hand and the cash on the gyro account in the commercial banks.

Money at the cash account and at the bank accounts stated in domestic currency are presented in the general ledger at their nominal value, while the foreign exchange currency is stated according to the exchange rate of NBRM at the reporting date.

3.2 Material and non-material investments

Material and non-material investments (fixed assets) are stated at their cost value. The cost of the fixed assets comprise the purchasing price increased for the import customs, VAT, manipulative expenses and all other expenses that can be added to the cost, i.e. to the purchasing expenses. The operating fund of the Organization increases for the amount of the value of fixed assets purchased.

The revaluation of fixed assets (tangible and intangible assets) is performed because of additional valuation if the annual inflation rate, measured with the official industrial product price index, is higher than 30%. The revaluation basis is the cost of the assets.

Revaluated i.e. market value of the assets is determined by indexing.

3.3 Depreciation

Tangible and intangible assets (fixed assets) are depreciated using the straight-line method, so their cost and revaluated amount are depreciated in equal annual amounts during the estimated utilization period of the fixed assets. The amount of the current depreciation is recorded on the burden of the operating fund.

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3. BASIC ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

3.3 Depreciation (Continued)

The depreciation rates, applied by the Organization in 2023 are as follows: 1-2,5% for buildings, 10-20% for equipment and vehicle, 12-16% for furniture and 20% for computer equipment. The calculation of the depreciation is performed separately for each item, and not for groups of assets.

3.4 Recognition of the revenues and expenses

Revenues and expenses of the non-profit organizations are recognized according to the modified accrual basis of accounting.

According to the modified accrual basis of accounting the revenues i.e. expenses are recognized in the accounting period of calculation in which they appear under criteria of measurement and availability. Revenues i.e. expenses are measurable when they can be stated by their value. Revenues i.e. expenses are available when they are realized, i.e. when they appear (paid) in the accounting period or within the period of 30 days after the accounting period, under condition to be related to the accounting period and serve for payment of the liabilities for the period (if liabilities for payment appear in the accounting period).

3.5 Amounts stated in foreign currency

The transactions in foreign currency are stated in MKD according to the Official exchange rate of NBRM at the date of transaction.

Foreign exchange assets and liabilities of the balance sheet are stated in MKD according to the official exchange rates on the balance sheet date.

The Income Statement includes the net foreign exchange gains and losses that resulted from the conversion of the amounts into foreign currency in the period when they occurred.

The average (closing) exchange rates of the denar related to the foreign exchange currencies (for one unit of foreign exchange currency) as of 31 December are as follows:

	2023	In MKD 2022
EUR	61,4950	61,4932
USD	55,6516	57,6535

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Year Ended 31 December 2023 All amounts are expressed in MKD thousand, unless otherwise stated

4. REVENUES FROM DONATIONS

	2023	2022
Revenues from donations	11.911	8.155
Subvention	_	80
Extraordinary income - received court litigation		446
Total	11.911	8.681

During 2023 the following revenues from donations were realized:

no	Donor	Project	2023
1	European Commission DG NEAR	EU4 Rule of Law: Citizen Engagement for Public Integrity (CEPI) in the Western Balkans and Turkey (IPA/2021/425-933)	4.115
2	Ministry of Foreign Affairs Germany	Promoting Active Citizen Engagement to Fight Against Corruption in South Eastern Europe (ACE) (FKZ AZ07220080)	3.776
3	European Commission DG NEAR	Integrity Watch in the Western Balkans and Turkey: Civil society combating corruption with political integrity data (IPA/2022/440-992)	1.884
4	Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs	Smart Balkan Program: Core Grant (SB MKD CG 02/2023-001)	1.572
5	Embassy of Switzerland in North Macedonia/Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)	Citizen Engagement for Public Integrity (Contract No 81079445)	320
6	Embassy of France in North Macedonia	Promoting Active Citizen Engagement to Fight Against Corruption in North Macedonia	244
	Total		11.911

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Year Ended 31 December 2023 All amounts are expressed in MKD thousand, unless otherwise stated

During 2022 the following revenues from donations were realized:

no Donor

Purchased equipment

Total

1	European Commission DG NEAR	EU4 Rule of Law: Citizen Engagement for Public Integrity (CEPI) in the Western Balkans and Turkey (IPA/2021/425-933)	5.004
2	Ministry of Foreign Affairs Germany	Promoting Active Citizen Engagement to Fight Against Corruption in South Eastern Europe (ACE) (FKZ AZ07220080)	1.868
3	Global Initiative against transnational organized crime- Austria	Updating of Anti-Corruption Pledges Monitor	18
4	USAID CEP represented by the East West Management Institute	Monitoring Report on implementation of the recommendation from the Vulnerability to Corruption Assessment (VCA) in State Institutions with authority in physical planning, urbanism and construction	91
5	European Commision DG NEAR	Ending impunity for Grand Corruption in western Balkan and Turkey	70
6	Center for Study and Democracy Tirana grant from National Endowment for Democracy	Advocacy on Strengthening Whistleblowers' Legislation in Public Institutions	11
	Total		8.15
	OPERATING EXPENSES	2022	2022
		2023	2022
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Project

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7. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

		Equipment
Cost as of 01 January 2022	{ -	664
Additions in the year		78
Balance as of 31 December 2022	8 -	742
Additions in the year	\ 	55
Balance as of 31 December 2023	·-	797
Accumulated depreciation as of 1 January 2	2022	451
Depreciation		125
Balance as of 31 December 2022	·-	576
Depreciation	90=	92
Revaluation		(52)
Balance as of 31 December 2023	_	616
Net book value as of:		
- 31 December 2022		166
- 31 December 2023	-	181
8. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
	2023	2022
Current account	2.893	874
Deposit	13	13
Balance at 31 December	2.906	887
9. OPERATING FUND		
	2023	2022
Operating fund – noncurrent assets	181	166
Balance at 31 December	181	166

The changes in the Operating fund are stated in the Statement of changes in the operating funds on page 5.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Year Ended 31 December 2023 All amounts are expressed in MKD thousand, unless otherwise stated

10. ACCOUNTS PAYABLES

	2023	2022
Domestic accounts payable	29	41
Balance at 31 December	29	41

11. OFF-BALANCE RECORDS

As of 31 December 2023, the Organization has no off-balance sheet exposure based on issued bank guarantees.

12. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There are no material subsequent events that would have an impact on the understanding of financial statements.