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Operating Report

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The Committee of Management presents its operating report of the Police Federation of Australia ("the Federation") for the year ended 30 June 2023.

Names of Committee of Management members and period positions held during the financial year

The names of each person who has been on the Committee of Management during the financial year are:

Name	Position	Period of Appointment
Ian Leavers	President	1/7/2022 to 30/6/2023
Alex Caruana	Vice President	1/7/2022 to 30/6/2023
Colin Riley ²	Vice President	1/7/2022 to 14/5/2023
Paul McCue	Treasurer	1/7/2022 to 26/5/2023
Mark Carroll	Executive	1/7/2022 to 30/6/2023
Michael Kelly	Executive	1/7/2022 to 1/6/2023
Karl Reiter (aka David)	Executive/Treasurer ¹	1/7/2022 to 30/6/2023
Kevin Morton	Executive	1/7/2022 to 30/6/2023
Nathan Finn	Executive	26/5/2023 to 30/6/2023
Paul Gale	Executive	1/6/2023 to 30/6/2023

1. Appointed Treasurer on 4 July 2023

2. Resigned on 14 May 2023

Review of principal activities, the results of those activities and any significant changes in the nature of those activities during the year

There have been no significant changes in activities of the PFA during the past year as we continue to pursue our key initiatives as outlined in our 2022-27 Strategic Plan.

A detailed record of the Federation's activities can be found in the annual report which will be presented to the Federal Council in September 2023 and uploaded to the Federation's website.

The PFA continues to monitor the hearings and activities of a range of Parliamentary Committees inquiries including:

- Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity – Annual Report
- Parliamentary Joint Committee on Law Enforcement – Annual Report
- Department of Home Affairs – Annual Report
- National Anti-Corruption Commission Bill 2022 and the National Anti-Corruption Commission (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) Bill 2022
- Presumptive Workers' Compensation Provisions for First Responders - Stakeholder Consultation Submission
- Inquiry into Experience, Opportunities & Challenges for co-investment in multi-carrier regional mobile infrastructure (black spot issues)
- Treasury Employment White Paper
- Inquiry into community Safety, support services and job opportunities in the Northern Territory
- Challenges and Opportunities for law enforcement in addressing Australia's Illicit Drug Problem
- Inquiry into Criminal Activity & Law Enforcement during the COVID-19 Pandemic
- Intelligence Oversight & Other Legislation Amendment (Integrity Measures) Bill 2020
- Review of Surveillance Legislation Amendment (Identify & Disrupt) Bill 2020

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- Security Legislation (Critical Infrastructure Protection) Bill 2022
- In-camera hearing by Parliamentary Joint Committee on Law Enforcement's Inquiry into Illicit Tobacco
- Mental Health & Suicide Prevention Inquiry
- Inquiry into Family Law Amendment (Federal Family Violence Orders) Bill 2021
- Inquiry into the Inadequacy & Efficacy of Australia' Anti-money Laundering & Counter -Terrorism Financing Regime
- 2021 Regional Telecommunications Review
- Telecommunication Legislation Amendment (Information Disclosure) Bill 2022
- Inquiry into the Perceptions and Status of Vocational Education and Training
- Paid Parental Leave Amendment (Improvements for Families and Gender Equality) Bill 2022
- Treasury's Review of Legislating the Objectives of Superannuation.

We are also prioritising activities around:

- Superannuation;
- Salary Packaging;
- Member benefits programs;
- Member mental health & wellbeing;
- Industrial and other member entitlements;
- Research;
- Financial governance;
- Police recruitment and retention;
- The creation of a National Firearms Registry;
- Police Officer education and training;
- Member OH&S; and
- Equity and diversity of the police workforce.0

No significant changes in the nature of the Federation's activities occurred during the financial year.

A review of the operations and the results of the Federation is performed in regular meetings of the Committee of Management. The Committee of Management believe that they have furthered the interests of its members throughout the year through the conducting of the Federation's principal activities.

The surplus for the Federation for the year ended 30 June 2023 was \$62,681 (2022: \$95,220) and the Committee of Management believe that the activities of the Federation have achieved their objectives for the financial year.

Significant changes in financial affairs

There were no significant changes in the financial affairs of the Federation during the year.

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Right of members to resign

A member may resign from the membership of the Federation by notice in writing addressed and delivered to the Secretary of the member's Branch, Zone Secretary or Chief Executive Officer, as per Rule 11(b). In accordance with Section 174(1) of the RO Act, a member of the organisation may resign from membership by written notice addressed and delivered to a person designated for the purpose in the rules of the organisation or a branch of the organisation.

Officers or members who are superannuation fund trustee(s) or director of a company that is a superannuation fund trustee where being a member or officer of a registered organisation is a criterion for them holding such position

No officer or employee of the Federation acts:

- i) as a trustee of a superannuation entity or an exempt public sector superannuation scheme; or
- ii) as a director of a Company that is a trustee of a superannuation entity or an exempt public sector superannuation scheme.

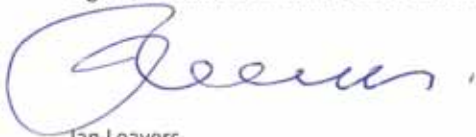
Number of members

There were 65,287 members of the Federation as at 30 June 2023 (2022: 66,029).

Number of employees

As at 30 June 2023 the Federation had 3 full-time equivalent employees (2022: 3).

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Committee of Management:



Ian Leavers
President



Karl David
Treasurer

Dated: 11 September 2023

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Committee of Management Statement


For the Year Ended 30 June 2023

On 11 September 2023 the Committee of Management of the Police Federation of Australia ("the Federation") passed the following resolution in relation to the general purpose financial report (GPFR) for the year ended 30 June 2023:

The Committee of Management declares that in its opinion:

- a) the financial statements and notes comply with the Australian Accounting Standards;
- b) the financial statements and notes comply with any other requirements imposed by the Reporting Guidelines or Part 3 of Chapter 8 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (the RO Act);
- c) the financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of the financial performance, financial position and cash flows of the Federation for the financial year to which they relate;
- d) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Federation will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable; and
- e) during the financial year to which the GPFR relates and since the end of that year:
 - i. meetings of the committee of management were held in accordance with the rules of the organisation including the rules of a branch concerned; and
 - ii. the financial affairs of the Federation have been managed in accordance with the rules of the organisation including the rules of a branch concerned; and
 - iii. the financial records of the Federation have been kept and maintained in accordance with the RO Act; and
 - iv. where the organisation consists of two or more reporting units, the financial records of the Federation have been kept, as far as practicable, in a consistent manner with each of the other reporting units of the organisation; and
 - v. where information has been sought in any request by a member of the Federation or the General Manager duly made under section 272 of the RO Act, that information has been provided to the member or the General Manager; and
 - vi. where any order for inspection of financial records has been made by the Fair Work Commission under section 273 of the RO Act, there has been compliance.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Committee of Management.



Ian Leavers
President



Karl David
Treasurer

Dated: 11 September 2023

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Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

For the Year Ended 30 June 2023

	Note	2023 \$	2022 \$
Revenue from contracts with customers	3	1,277,622	1,244,099
Other income	3	23,408	191,090
		<u>1,301,030</u>	<u>1,435,189</u>
Employee benefits expense	4	(449,543)	(551,974)
Delegation expenses		(335,876)	(267,407)
Depreciation expense		(102,349)	(75,924)
National Foundation expenses		(30,319)	(73,733)
Property expenses		(62,729)	(64,376)
Professional fees		(81,782)	(45,672)
Computer and web design costs		(54,866)	(36,893)
Donations	4	-	(150,000)
Other expenses		(120,885)	(73,990)
		<u>62,681</u>	<u>95,220</u>
Result for the year		62,681	95,220
Other comprehensive income for the year		-	-
		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year		62,681	95,220

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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Balance Sheet

As at 30 June 2023

	Note	2023 \$	2022 \$
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	5	460,614	955,312
Trade and other receivables	6	6,572	11,252
Financial assets	7	500,000	-
Prepayments		55,083	14,547
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		1,022,269	981,111
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Right-of-use assets	8	1,403	9,824
Property, plant and equipment	9	1,671,766	1,675,139
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		1,673,169	1,684,963
TOTAL ASSETS		2,695,438	2,666,074
LIABILITIES			
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	10	82,962	84,694
Employee benefits	11	168,551	192,070
Lease liabilities	8	1,505	8,701
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		253,018	285,465
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Employee benefits	11	2,999	2,292
Lease liabilities	8	-	1,577
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		2,999	3,869
TOTAL LIABILITIES		256,017	289,334
NET ASSETS		2,439,421	2,376,740
EQUITY			
Reserves	12	572,074	572,074
Retained earnings		1,867,347	1,804,666
TOTAL EQUITY		2,439,421	2,376,740

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Statement of Changes in Equity

For the Year Ended 30 June 2023

	Retained Earnings \$	Asset Revaluation Reserve \$	Total \$
Balance at 1 July 2022	1,804,666	572,074	2,376,740
Result for the year	62,681	-	62,681
Balance at 30 June 2023	<u>1,867,347</u>	<u>572,074</u>	<u>2,439,421</u>
Balance at 1 July 2021	1,709,446	572,074	2,281,520
Result for the year	95,220	-	95,220
Balance at 30 June 2022	<u>1,804,666</u>	<u>572,074</u>	<u>2,376,740</u>

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Statement of Cash Flows

For the Year Ended 30 June 2023

	Note	2023 \$	2022 \$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Receipts from members		1,408,917	1,355,117
Other receipts		23,696	210,199
Payments to suppliers and employees		(1,329,532)	(1,402,498)
Interest received		1,866	659
Finance costs		(317)	(746)
Net cash provided by operating activities	18(a)	<u>104,630</u>	<u>162,731</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:			
Payments for plant and equipment		<u>(90,555)</u>	<u>(79,461)</u>
Net cash (used by) investing activities		<u>(90,555)</u>	<u>(79,461)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:			
Loan to related party	7	(500,000)	-
Payment of finance lease liabilities		<u>(8,773)</u>	<u>(8,345)</u>
Net cash (used by) financing activities		<u>(508,773)</u>	<u>(8,345)</u>
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents held		(494,698)	74,925
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		<u>955,312</u>	<u>880,387</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	5	<u><u>460,614</u></u>	<u><u>955,312</u></u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements are general purpose financial statements and have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB) that apply for the reporting period, and the *Fair Work (Registered Organisation) Act 2009* (RO Act). For the purpose of preparing the general purpose financial statements, the Police Federation of Australia ("the Federation") is a not-for-profit, other incorporated entity, incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

The financial statements, except for cash flow information, have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for certain assets and liabilities measured at fair value, as explained in the accounting policies below. Historical cost is generally based on the fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets. Except where stated, no allowance is made for the effect of changing prices on the results or the financial position. The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars.

(b) Comparative figures

When required by accounting standards, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.

(c) Revenue and other income

Revenue from contracts with customers

The core principle of AASB 15 is that revenue is recognised on a basis that reflects the transfer of promised goods or services to customers at an amount that reflects the consideration the Federation expects to receive in exchange for those goods or services.

Revenue is recognised by applying a five-step model as follows:

1. Identify the contract with the customer;
2. Identify the performance obligations;
3. Determine the transaction price;
4. Allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations; and
5. Recognise revenue as and when control of the performance obligations is transferred.

Generally the timing of the payment for sale of goods and rendering of services corresponds closely to the timing of satisfaction of the performance obligations, however where there is a difference, it will result in the recognition of a receivable, contract asset or contract liability.

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(c) Revenue and other income

None of the revenue streams of the Federation have any significant financing terms as there is less than 12 months between receipt of funds and satisfaction of performance obligations.

The revenue recognition policies for the principal revenue streams of the Federation are:

Membership services

For membership subscription arrangements that meet the criteria to be contracts with customers, revenue is recognised when the promised goods or services transfer to the customer as a member of the Federation.

There is only one distinct membership service promised in the arrangement. Accordingly, the Federation recognises revenue as the membership service is provided, which is typically based on the passage of time over the subscription period to reflect the Federation promise to stand ready to provide assistance and support to the member as required.

If there is more than one distinct good or service promised in the membership subscription, the Federation allocates the transaction price to each performance obligation based on the relative standalone selling price of each promised good or service. In performing this allocation, standalone selling prices are estimated if there is no observable evidence of the price that the Federation charges for that good or service in a standalone sale. When a performance obligation is satisfied, which is either when the customer obtains control of the good (for example, books or clothing) or as the service transfers to the customer (for example, member services or training course), the Federation recognises revenue at the amount of the transaction price that was allocated to that performance obligation.

For member subscriptions paid annually in advance, the Federation has elected to apply the practical expedient to not adjust the transaction price for the effects of a significant financing component because the period from when the customer pays and the good or services will transfer to the customer will be one year or less.

When a member subsequently purchases additional goods or services from the Federation at their standalone selling price, the Federation accounts for those sales as a separate contract with a customer.

Capitation fees

Where the Federation's arrangement with a branch or another reporting unit meets the criteria to be a contract with a customer, the Federation recognises the capitation fees promised under that arrangement when or as it transfers services rendered.

In circumstances where the criteria for a contract with a customer are not met, the Federation will recognise capitation fees as income upon receipt.

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(c) Revenue and other income

Interest revenue

Interest revenue is recognised on an accrual basis using the effective interest rate method.

Other income

Other income is recognised on an accrual basis when the Federation is entitled to it.

(d) Capitation fees and levies paid

Capitation fees and levies are recognised on an accrual basis and recorded as an expense in the year to which it relates.

(e) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of GST.

The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included as part of receivables or payables in the balance sheet.

Cash flows in the statement of cash flows are included on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is classified as operating cash flows.

(f) Income tax

The Federation is exempt from income tax under section 50.1 of the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997* however still has an obligation for Fringe Benefits Tax (FBT) and the Goods and Services Tax (GST).

(g) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash is recognised at its nominal amount. Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with bank, other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturity of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and subject to insignificant risk of changes in value.

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(h) Financial instruments

Financial instruments are recognised initially on the date that the Federation becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

On initial recognition, all financial instruments are measured at fair value plus transaction costs.

Financial assets

All recognised financial assets are subsequently measured in their entirety at amortised cost.

Classification

On initial recognition, the Federation classifies its financial assets as those measured at amortised cost.

Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their initial recognition unless the Federation changes its business model for managing financial assets.

Amortised cost

Assets measured at amortised cost are financial assets where:

- the business model is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- the contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

The Federation's financial assets measured at amortised cost comprise trade and other receivables and cash and cash equivalents in the balance sheet.

Subsequent to initial recognition, these assets are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method less provision for impairment.

Interest income and impairment are recognised in profit or loss. Gain or loss on derecognition is recognised in profit or loss.

Impairment of financial assets

Impairment of financial assets is recognised on an expected credit loss (ECL) basis for financial assets measured at amortised cost.

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(h) Financial instruments

Financial assets

When determining whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition and when estimating ECL, the Federation considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort. This includes both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis based on the Federation's historical experience and informed credit assessment; including forward looking information.

The Federation uses the presumption that an asset which is more than 30 days past due has seen a significant increase in credit risk.

The Federation uses the presumption that a financial asset is in default when:

- the other party is unlikely to pay its credit obligations to the Federation in full, without recourse to the Federation to actions such as realising security (if any is held); or
- the financial asset is more than 6 months past due.

Credit losses are measured as the present value of the difference between the cash flows due to the Federation in accordance with the contract and the cash flows expected to be received. This is applied using a probability weighted approach.

Trade receivables

Impairment of trade receivables have been determined using the simplified approach in AASB 9 which uses an estimation of lifetime expected credit losses. The Federation has determined the probability of non-payment of the receivable and multiplied this by the amount of the expected loss arising from default.

The amount of the impairment is recorded in a separate allowance account with the loss being recognised in bad debt expense. Once the receivable is determined to be uncollectable then the gross carrying amount is written off against the associated allowance.

Where the Federation renegotiates the terms of trade receivables due from certain customers, the new expected cash flows are discounted at the original effective interest rate and any resulting difference to the carrying value is recognised in profit or loss.

Other financial assets measured at amortised cost

Impairment of other financial assets measured at amortised cost are determined using the expected credit loss model in AASB 9. On initial recognition of the asset, an estimate of the expected credit losses for the next 12 months is recognised. Where the asset has experienced significant increase in credit risk then the lifetime losses are estimated and recognised.

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(h) Financial instruments

Financial liabilities

The Federation measures all financial liabilities initially at fair value less transaction costs. Subsequently financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

The financial liabilities of the Federation comprise trade and other payables and lease liabilities.

Impairment of Financial Assets

At the end of the reporting period the Federation assesses whether there is any objective evidence that a financial asset is impaired.

Financial assets at amortised cost

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss on financial assets carried at amortised cost has been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the financial assets original effective interest rate.

Impairment on loans and receivables is reduced through the use of an allowance accounts, all other impairment losses on financial assets at amortised cost are taken directly to the asset.

Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against other income in profit or loss.

(i) Impairment of non-financial assets

All assets are assessed for impairment at the end of each reporting period to the extent that there is an impairment trigger. Where indications of impairment exist, the asset's recoverable amount is estimated, and an impairment adjustment made if the asset's recoverable amount is less than its carrying amount.

The recoverable amount of an asset is the higher of its fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. Value in use is the present value of the future cash flows expected to be derived from the asset. Where the future economic benefit of an asset is not primarily dependent on the asset's ability to generate future cash flows, and the asset would be replaced if the Federation were deprived of the asset, its value in use is taken to be its depreciated replacement cost.

(j) Leases

At inception of a contract, the Federation assesses whether a lease exists - i.e. does the contract convey the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

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(j) Leases

This involves an assessment of whether:

- The contract involves the use of an identified asset - this may be explicitly or implicitly identified within the agreement. If the supplier has a substantive substitution right then there is no identified asset.
- The Federation has the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from the use of the asset throughout the period of use.
- The Federation has the right to direct the use of the asset i.e. decision making rights in relation to changing how and for what purpose the asset is used.

(i) Right-of-use asset

At the lease commencement, the Federation recognises a right-of-use asset and associated lease liability for the lease term. The lease term includes extension periods where the Federation believes it is reasonably certain that the option will be exercised.

The right-of-use asset is measured using the cost model where cost on initial recognition comprises of the lease liability, initial direct costs, prepaid lease payments, estimated cost of removal and restoration less any lease incentives received.

The right-of-use asset is depreciated over the lease term on a straight line basis and assessed for impairment in accordance with the impairment of assets accounting policy.

(ii) Lease liability

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments at the commencement of the lease. The discount rate is the rate implicit in the lease, however where this cannot be readily determined then the Federation's incremental borrowing rate is used.

Subsequent to initial recognition, the lease liability is measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. The lease liability is remeasured whether there is a lease modification, change in estimate of the lease term or index upon which the lease payments are based (e.g. CPI) or a change in the Federation's assessment of lease term.

Where the lease liability is remeasured, the right-of-use asset is adjusted to reflect the remeasurement or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

Exceptions to lease accounting

The Federation has elected to apply the exceptions to lease accounting for both short-term leases (i.e. leases with a term of less than or equal to 12 months) and leases of low-value assets. The Federation recognises the payments associated with these leases as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(k) Property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the asset.

Under cost model, the asset is carried at its cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Costs include purchase price, other directly attributable costs and the initial estimate of the costs of dismantling and restoring the asset, where applicable.

Land and buildings

Land and buildings are measured using the revaluation model.

Assets measured using the revaluation model are carried at fair value at the revaluation date less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Revaluations are performed every 3 years or if management believe there is a material movement in the value of an asset under the revaluation model. A revaluation surplus is credited to the asset revaluation reserve in equity [refer note 12].

Freehold land and buildings are carried at fair value based on periodic valuations by external valuers, less subsequent depreciation for buildings.

The last valuation done on the Federation's land and buildings to the fair value was 30 June 2021.

Revaluations are performed whenever there is a material movement in the value of an asset under the revaluation model; or on a triennial basis, whichever comes first.

In periods when the freehold land and buildings are not subject to an independent valuation, the Committee of Management conducts appropriate enquiries and analysis to ensure the carrying amount for the land and buildings is not materially different to the fair value.

Increases in the carrying amount arising on revaluation of land and buildings are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the revaluation surplus in equity. Revaluation decreases that offset previous increases of the same class of assets shall be recognised in other comprehensive income under the heading of revaluation surplus. All other decreases are charged to the profit or loss.

Any accumulated depreciation at the date of the revaluation is eliminated against the gross carrying amount of the asset and the net amount is restated to the revalued amount of the asset.

Freehold land and buildings that have been contributed at no cost, or for nominal cost are valued and recognised at the fair value of the asset at the date it is acquired.

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(k) Property, plant and equipment

Depreciation

Property, plant and equipment, excluding freehold land, is depreciated on a straight-line basis over the assets useful life to the Federation, commencing when the asset is ready for use.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable asset are shown below:

Fixed asset class	Depreciation rate
Buildings	2.5%
Plant, equipment and furniture (including IT hardware)	7.5% - 33%
Motor Vehicles	15%

At the end of each reporting period, the depreciation method, useful life and residual value of each asset is reviewed. Any revisions are accounted for prospectively as a change in estimate.

(l) Employee benefits

(i) *Defined contribution schemes*

Obligations for contributions to defined contribution superannuation plans are recognised as an employee benefit expense in profit or loss in the periods in which services are provided by employees.

(ii) *Short-term obligations*

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits and accumulating sick leave that are expected to be settled wholly within 12 months after the end of the period in which the employees render the related service are recognised in respect of employees' services up to the end of the reporting period and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. The liabilities are presented as current employee benefit obligations in the balance sheet.

(iii) *Other long-term employee benefit obligations*

The liabilities for long service leave are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months after the end of the period in which the employees render the related service. They are therefore measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the end of the reporting period. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the end of the reporting period of high-quality corporate bonds with terms and currencies that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows. Remeasurements as a result of experience adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions are recognised in profit or loss.

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(l) **Employee benefits**

(iii) *Other long-term employee benefit obligations*

The obligations are presented as current liabilities in the balance sheet if the Federation does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least twelve months after the reporting period, regardless of when the actual settlement is expected to occur.

(m) **Contingent liabilities and contingent assets**

Contingent liabilities and contingent assets are not recognised in the statement of financial position but are reported in the relevant notes. They may arise from uncertainty as to the existence of a liability or asset or represent an existing liability or asset in respect of which the amount cannot be reliably measured. Contingent assets are disclosed when settlement is probable but not virtually certain, and contingent liabilities are disclosed when settlement is greater than remote.

(n) **Adoption of new and revised accounting standards**

No accounting standard has been adopted earlier than the application date stated in the standard.

(o) **New accounting standards for application in future periods**

Certain new accounting standards have been published that are not mandatory for 30 June 2023 reporting periods and have not been early adopted by the Federation. These standards are not expected to have a material impact on the Federation in the current or future reporting periods and on foreseeable future transactions.

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2 Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgements

Those charged with governance make estimates and judgements during the preparation of these financial statements regarding assumptions about current and future events affecting transactions and balances.

These estimates and judgements are based on the best information available at the time of preparing the financial statements, however as additional information is known then the actual results may differ from the estimates.

The significant estimates and judgements made have been described below:

Key estimates - property held at fair value

Independent valuations of property (land and buildings) carried at fair value were obtained effective 30 June 2021. The Committee of Management have reviewed these valuations and consider them to remain appropriate for reflecting the fair values of the property as at the current balance date. The valuation is an estimation which would only be realised if the property is sold. Note 1(k) and 8(a) provide information on the valuation obtained.

Key estimates - useful lives of depreciable assets

Management reviews its estimate of the useful lives of depreciable assets at each reporting date, based on the expected utility of the assets. Uncertainties in these estimates relate to technical obsolescence that may change the utility of certain property, plant and equipment.

Key estimates - employee entitlements

As described in the accounting policies, employee provisions are measured at management's best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the obligation at the end of the reporting period. These estimates are made taking into account a range of possible outcomes and will vary as further information is obtained.

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3 Revenue and other income

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Revenue from contracts with customers		
<i>Revenue received from other reporting units</i>		
Australian Federal Police Association	75,295	76,989
Police Association of New South Wales	326,134	315,271
Police Association of South Australia	90,658	90,254
Police Association of Tasmania	26,947	25,725
Police Association of Northern Territory	30,688	29,711
Queensland Police Union	231,488	223,951
Police Association of Victoria	338,128	330,875
Western Australian Police Union	134,829	127,879
Other - Police Association of New Zealand	23,455	23,444
	<u>1,277,622</u>	<u>1,244,099</u>
Other income		
Administration charges income from National Police Memorial	-	150,000
Interest income	1,866	659
Other income	21,542	40,431
	<u>23,408</u>	<u>191,090</u>
	<u>1,301,030</u>	<u>1,435,189</u>

Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers

Revenue from contracts with customers has been disaggregated; the following table shows this breakdown:

Timing of revenue recognition		
- Over time	1,277,622	1,244,099
- At a point in time	-	-
	<u>1,277,622</u>	<u>1,244,099</u>
Revenue from contracts with customers		
	<u>1,277,622</u>	<u>1,244,099</u>

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4 Result for the period

The result for the period includes the following specific expenses

	Note	2023 \$	2022 \$
Employee benefits expense comprises:			
<i>Employees other than office holders*:</i>			
- Wages and salaries		380,658	456,065
- Superannuation		45,024	53,639
- Leave and other entitlements		23,861	42,270
		<u>449,543</u>	<u>551,974</u>
Conference and meeting expenses		248,366	182,092
Legal costs - other legal matters		14,722	4,850
Donations that exceed \$1,000		-	150,000

* There are no employees of the Federation that are elected to any Officer positions as defined under the RO Act.

5 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash at bank		<u>460,614</u>	<u>955,312</u>
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6 Trade and other receivables

Trade receivables		6,572	11,252
Provision for impairment	(a)	-	-
		<u>6,572</u>	<u>11,252</u>

(a) Impairment of receivables

The Federation applies the simplified approach to providing for expected credit losses prescribed by AASB 9, which permits the use of the lifetime expected loss provision for all trade receivables. To measure the expected credit losses, trade receivables have been grouped based on shared credit risk characteristics and the days past due. The expected credit losses incorporate forward looking information. There is no provision for impairment required at 30 June 2023 (2022: Nil).

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6 Trade and other receivables

(b) Receivables from other reporting units

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Australian Federal Police Association	-	1,097
Police Association of Northern Territory	1,000	699
Police Association of New South Wales	-	1,265
Police Association of Victoria	316	1,032
Police Association of Tasmania	260	-
Receivables from other reporting units (net)	<u>1,576</u>	<u>4,093</u>

(c) Credit risk - Trade and Other Receivables

The following table details the Federation's trade and other receivables exposure to credit risk (prior to collateral and other credit enhancements) with ageing analysis and impairment provided for thereon. Amounts are considered as 'past due' when the debt has not been settled, within the terms and conditions agreed between the Federation and the customer or counter party to the transaction. Receivables that are past due are assessed for impairment by ascertaining solvency of the debtors and are provided for where there is objective evidence indicating that the debt may not be fully repaid to the Federation.

The balances of receivables that remain within initial trade terms (as detailed in the table) are considered to be of high credit quality.

	Gross amount	Past due and impaired	Past due but not impaired		Within initial trade terms
			(days overdue)		
	\$	\$	> 30	> 90	\$
			\$	\$	
2023					
Trade receivables	3,840	-	-	-	3,840
2022					
Trade receivables	11,252	-	-	-	11,252

There are no balances within trade receivables that contain assets that are not impaired and are past due. It is expected that these balances will be received when due.

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7 Financial Assets

Loans to Related Party

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Loans to other reporting units		
Police Association of Northern Territory	500,000	-

The loan is unsecured, interest free and repayable within 12 months of balance date.

8 Leases

Federation as a lessee

The Federation has leases over IT equipment. The remaining lease period is for 10 months, with no option to extend.

Right-of-use assets

	Computer Equipment \$
Year ended 30 June 2023	
Balance at beginning of year	9,824
Depreciation charge	(8,421)
Balance at end of year	1,403

Year ended 30 June 2022

Balance at beginning of year	18,245
Depreciation charge	(8,421)
Balance at end of year	9,824

Lease liabilities

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Current	1,505	8,701
Non-current	-	1,577
	1,505	10,278

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8 Leases

Lease liabilities maturity analysis

The maturity analysis of lease liabilities based on contractual undiscounted cash flows is shown in the table below:

	< 1 year	1 - 5 years	> 5 years	Total undiscounted lease liabilities	Lease liabilities included in this Balance Sheet
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
2023					
Lease liabilities	1,515	-	-	1,515	1,505
2022					
Lease liabilities	9,090	1,515	-	10,605	10,278

Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

The amounts recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income relating to leases where the Federation is a lessee are shown below:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Interest expense on lease liabilities	317	746
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	8,421	8,421
	<u>8,738</u>	<u>9,167</u>

Statement of Cash Flows

Total cash outflow for leases	<u>8,773</u>	<u>8,345</u>
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9 Property, plant and equipment

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Land and buildings		
At independent valuation	1,553,286	1,553,286
Accumulated depreciation	(42,382)	(20,525)
	<u>1,510,904</u>	<u>1,532,761</u>
Plant and equipment		
At cost	268,636	198,851
Accumulated depreciation	(160,624)	(96,654)
	<u>108,012</u>	<u>102,197</u>
Motor vehicles		
At cost	74,779	54,008
Accumulated depreciation	(21,929)	(13,827)
	<u>52,850</u>	<u>40,181</u>
Total property, plant and equipment	<u>1,671,766</u>	<u>1,675,139</u>

(a) Valuation of land and buildings

An independent valuation of 21 Murray Crescent, Griffith, ACT, was performed as at 30 June 2021. The original cost of the land and buildings was \$996,249. As a result, a revaluation surplus was credited to the asset revaluation reserve in equity (refer note 12) of \$68,323.

The Federation obtains independent valuations for its land and buildings at least every three years. At the end of each reporting period, the Federation update their assessment of the fair value, taking into account the most recent independent valuation. The Committee determine value within a range of reasonable fair value estimates.

The best evidence of fair value is current prices in an active market for similar properties.

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9 Property, plant and equipment

(b) Movements in carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment

Movement in the carrying amounts for each class of property, plant and equipment between the beginning and the end of the current financial year:

	Land and buildings	Plant, equipment and furniture	Motor Vehicles	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Year ended 30 June 2023				
Balance at the beginning of year	1,532,761	102,197	40,181	1,675,139
Additions	-	69,784	20,771	90,555
Depreciation expense	(21,857)	(63,969)	(8,102)	(93,928)
Balance at the end of the year	1,510,904	108,012	52,850	1,671,766
Year ended 30 June 2022				
Balance at the beginning of year	1,500,000	114,899	48,282	1,663,181
Additions	53,286	26,175	-	79,461
Depreciation expense	(20,525)	(38,877)	(8,101)	(67,503)
Balance at the end of the year	1,532,761	102,197	40,181	1,675,139

10 Trade and other payables

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Trade payables	23,492	20,731
Other payables	59,470	63,963
	82,962	84,694

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11 Employee benefits

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
CURRENT		
Annual leave	107,956	97,423
Long service leave	60,595	94,647
	<u>168,551</u>	<u>192,070</u>
NON-CURRENT		
Long service leave	<u>2,999</u>	<u>2,292</u>

(a) Total employee benefits attributable to:

Employees other than office holders*:

Annual leave	107,956	97,423
Long service leave	63,594	96,939
	<u>171,550</u>	<u>194,362</u>

* There are no employees of the Federation that are elected to any Officer positions as defined under the RO Act.

12 Reserves

Asset revaluation reserve

The asset revaluation reserve records fair value movements on property, plant and equipment held under the revaluation model.

Asset revaluation reserve	<u>572,074</u>	<u>572,074</u>
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13 Financial risk management

The main risks Police Federation of Australia is exposed to through its financial instruments are credit risk, liquidity risk and market risk consisting equity price risk.

The Federation's financial instruments consist mainly of deposits with banks, accounts receivable and accounts payable.

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13 Financial risk management

The totals for each category of financial instruments, measured in accordance with AASB 9 as detailed in the accounting policies to these financial statements, are as follows:

	Note	2023 \$	2022 \$
Financial Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	5	460,614	955,312
Trade and other receivables	6	6,572	11,252
Financial assets	7	500,000	-
Total financial assets		967,186	966,564
Financial Liabilities			
Trade and other payables		69,087	70,762
Lease liabilities	8	1,505	10,278
Total financial liabilities		70,592	81,040

The table below reflects the undiscounted contractual maturity analysis for financial liabilities.

The timing of cash flows presented in the table to settle financial liabilities reflects the earliest contractual settlement dates and does not reflect management's expectations that banking facilities will be rolled forward. The amounts disclosed in the table are the undiscounted contracted cash flows and therefore the balances in the table may not equal the balances in the balance sheet due to the effect of discounting.

Financial liability maturity analysis - Non-derivative

	Within 1 year		> 1 year		Total	
	2023 \$	2022 \$	2023 \$	2022 \$	2023 \$	2022 \$
Financial liabilities due for payment						
Trade and other payables	82,962	84,694	-	-	82,962	84,694
Finance lease liabilities	1,515	9,090	-	1,515	1,515	10,605
Total contractual outflows	84,477	93,784	-	1,515	84,477	95,299

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13 Financial risk management

(a) Credit risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in a financial loss to the Federation.

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents and deposits with banks and financial institutions, as well as credit exposure to wholesale and retail customers, including outstanding receivables and committed transactions.

The Federation has adopted a policy of only dealing with creditworthy counterparties as a means of mitigating the risk of financial loss from defaults.

Trade receivables consist of a large number of customers, spread across diverse geographical areas. Ongoing credit evaluation is performed on the financial condition of accounts receivable.

Committee of Management considers that all the financial assets that are not impaired for each of the reporting dates under review are of good credit quality, including those that are past due.

The credit risk for liquid funds and other short-term financial assets is considered negligible, since the counterparties are reputable banks with high quality external credit ratings.

(b) Market risk

The Federation is not exposed to a material level of interest rate risk or equity price risk.

(c) Net income/(expenses) from financial assets

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
<i>Financial assets at amortised cost</i>		
Interest revenue	1,866	659
Interest expense	(317)	(746)

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14 Fair Value Measurement

The Federation measures Land and buildings at fair value on a recurring basis:

Fair value hierarchy

AASB 13 *Fair Value Measurement* requires all assets and liabilities measured at fair value to be assigned to a level in the fair value hierarchy as follows:

Level 1	Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.
Level 2	Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
Level 3	Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The table below shows the assigned level for each asset and liability held at fair value by the Federation:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
2023	\$	\$	\$	\$
Recurring fair value measurements				
Land and buildings	-	1,510,904	-	1,510,904

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
2022	\$	\$	\$	\$
Recurring fair value measurements				
Land and buildings	-	1,532,761	-	1,532,761

Fair value measurements are performed in accordance with note 9(a).

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15 Auditor's remuneration

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Remuneration of the auditor Daley Audit, for:		
- financial statement audit services	22,400	20,600
- other services*	5,220	5,500
	<u>27,620</u>	<u>26,100</u>

*Other services are for accounting, tax and secretarial services.

16 Key Management Personnel Remuneration

Total remuneration paid to key management personnel of the Federation during the year were as follows:

Short-term benefits	328,970	319,875
Post-employment benefits	25,522	23,977
Other long term benefits	6,334	15,457
	<u>360,826</u>	<u>359,309</u>

17 Related party transactions

Related Parties

(a) Key management personnel

Any person(s) having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity, directly or indirectly, including any office holder (whether executive or otherwise) of that entity is considered key management personnel.

For details of disclosures relating to key management personnel, refer to Note 16: Key Management Personnel Remuneration.

(b) Transactions with related parties

Capitation fees received from related parties are disclosed at note 3 and balances are disclosed in note 6(b).

Other reporting units are provided with and/or reimbursed for travel expenses incurred in the course of undertaking the Federation's business. These costs are not considered to be related party transactions and hence have not been included in this disclosure. Similarly, they are not considered to be cash outflows to other reporting units.

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18 Cash flow information

(a) Reconciliation of result for the period to cashflows from operating activities

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Result for the year	62,681	95,220
Cash flows excluded from profit attributable to operating activities		
Non-cash flows in profit:		
- depreciation	102,349	75,924
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
- (increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	4,680	(10,087)
- (increase)/decrease in other assets	(40,536)	6,050
- increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	(1,732)	(46,647)
- increase/(decrease) in employee provisions	(22,812)	42,271
Cashflow from operations	<u>104,630</u>	<u>162,731</u>

(b) Net cash flows from Reporting Units

Inflows

Australian Federal Police Association	80,270	78,791
Police Association of New South Wales	363,636	348,452
Police Association of South Australia	100,244	99,279
Police Association of Tasmania	28,938	29,786
Police Association of Northern Territory	39,830	33,402
Queensland Police Union	257,388	247,044
Police Association of Victoria	374,936	363,283
Western Australian Police Union	148,889	140,666
	<u>1,394,131</u>	<u>1,340,703</u>

Outflows

Police Association of Northern Territory	<u>500,000</u>	-
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19 Contingent liabilities

In the opinion of the Committee of Management, the Federation did not have any contingencies at 30 June 2023 (30 June 2022: None).

20 Events after the end of the Reporting Period

The financial report was authorised for issue by the Committee of Management on 11 September 2023.

There has not been any matter or circumstance occurring subsequent to the end of the financial year that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect, the operations of the Federation, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Federation in subsequent financial periods.

21 Section 272 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

In accordance with the requirements of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, the attention of the members is drawn to the provisions of Sub-sections (1) to (3) of Section 272, which reads as follows:-

Information to be provided to members or the General Manager:

1. A member of a reporting unit, or the General Manager, may apply to the reporting unit for specified prescribed information in relation to the reporting unit to be made available to the person making the application.
2. The application must be in writing and must specify the period within which, and the manner in which, the information is to be made available. The period must not be less than 14 days after the application is given to the reporting unit.
3. A reporting unit must comply with an application made under subsection (1).

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Officer Declaration Statement

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I, Ian Leavers, being the President, and Karl David, being the Treasurer of the Police Federation of Australia, declare that the following activities did not occur during the reporting period ending 30 June 2023.

The reporting unit did not:

- agree to receive financial support from another reporting unit to continue as a going concern (refers to agreement regarding financial support not dollar amount)
- agree to provide financial support to another reporting unit to ensure they continue as a going concern (refers to agreement regarding financial support not dollar amount)
- acquire an asset or liability due to an amalgamation under Part 2 of Chapter 3 of the RO Act, a restructure of the branches of an organisation, a determination or revocation by the General Manager, Fair Work Commission
- receive periodic or membership subscriptions
- ~~receive capitation fees or any other revenue amount from another reporting unit~~
- receive revenue via compulsory levies
- receive donations or grants
- receive revenue from undertaking recovery of wages activity
- incur fees as consideration for employers making payroll deductions of membership subscriptions
- pay capitation fees or any other expense to another reporting unit
- pay affiliation fees to other entity
- pay compulsory levies
- pay a grant that was \$1,000 or less
- pay a grant that exceeded \$1,000
- pay a donation that was \$1,000 or less
- pay a donation that exceeded \$1,000
- pay wages and salaries to holders of office
- pay superannuation to holders of office
- pay leave and other entitlements to holders of office
- pay separation and redundancy to holders of office
- pay other employee expenses to holders of office
- ~~pay wages and salaries to employees (other than holders of office)~~
- ~~pay superannuation to employees (other than holders of office)~~
- ~~pay leave and other entitlements to employees (other than holders of office)~~
- pay separation and redundancy to employees (other than holders of office)
- pay other employee expenses to employees (other than holders of office)
- pay to a person fees or allowances to attend conferences or meetings as a representative of the reporting unit
- ~~incur expenses due to holding a meeting as required under the rules of the organisation~~
- pay legal costs relating to litigation
- ~~pay legal costs relating to other legal matters~~
- pay a penalty imposed under the RO Act or the Fair Work Act 2009
- ~~have a receivable with other reporting unit(s)~~
- have a payable with other reporting unit(s)
- have a payable to an employer for that employer making payroll deductions of membership subscriptions
- have a payable in respect of legal costs relating to litigation
- have a payable in respect of legal costs relating to other legal matters
- have an annual leave provision in respect of holders of office

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- have a long service leave provision in respect of holders of office
- have a separation and redundancy provision in respect of holders of office
- have other employee provisions in respect of holders of office
- ~~have an annual leave provision in respect of employees (other than holders of office)~~
- ~~have a long service leave provision in respect of employees (other than holders of office)~~
- have a separation and redundancy provision in respect of employees (other than holders of office)
- have other employee provisions in respect of employees (other than holders of office)
- have a fund or account for compulsory levies, voluntary contributions or required by the rules of the organisation or branch
- transfer to or withdraw from a fund (other than the general fund), account, asset or controlled entity
- ~~have a balance within the general fund~~
- ~~provide cash flows to another reporting unit and/or controlled entity~~
- ~~receive cash flows from another reporting unit and/or controlled entity~~
- have another entity administer the financial affairs of the reporting unit
- make a payment to a former related party of the reporting unit



Ian Leavers
President



Karl David
Treasurer

Dated: 11 September 2023

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Report required under subsection 255(2A)

For the Year Ended 30 June 2023

The Committee of Management presents the expenditure report as required under subsection 255(2A) on the Federation for the year ended 30 June 2023.

Categories of Expenses	2023 \$	2022 \$
Remuneration and other employment-related costs and expenses - employees	449,543	551,974
Advertising	-	-
Operating costs	671,418	706,474
Donations to political parties	-	-
Legal costs	14,722	4,850



Ian Leavers
President



Karl David
Treasurer

Dated: 11 September 2023



Independent Audit Report to the members of Police Federation of Australia

Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Police Federation of Australia ("the Federation"), which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2023, the statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the year ended 30 June 2023, notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, the committee of management statement, the subsection 255(2A) report and the officer declaration statement.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report presents fairly, in all material aspects, the financial position of the Federation as at 30 June 2023, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year ended on that date in accordance with:

- (i) the Australian Accounting Standards; and
- (ii) any other requirements imposed by the Reporting Guidelines or Part 3 of Chapter 8 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (the RO Act).

We declare that management's use of the going concern basis in the preparation of the financial statements of the Federation is appropriate.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Federation in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* ("the Code") that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also 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.

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Information Other than the Financial Report and Auditors Report Thereon

The Committee of Management are responsible for the other information. The other information obtained at the date of this auditor's report is in the operating report accompanying the financial report.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report 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.

Responsibilities of Committee of Management for the Financial Report

The Committee of Management of the Federation are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the RO Act, and for such internal control as the Committee of Management determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the Committee of Management are responsible for assessing the Federation'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 Committee of Management either intend to liquidate the Federation or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is 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 audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards 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 the financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, 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 Federation's internal control.



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- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Committee of Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Committee of Management's 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 Federation'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 report 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 Federation to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the committee of management 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.

I declare that I am an auditor registered under the RO Act.

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Michael Mundt
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