

EZRA INSTITUTE FOR CONTEMPORARY  
CHRISTIANITY >

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# financial statements

>YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

MAC LLP  
CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS

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## REVIEW ENGAGEMENT REPORT

To the Directors of Ezra Institute for Contemporary Christianity:

We have reviewed the statement of financial position of Ezra Institute for Contemporary Christianity as at December 31, 2016 and the statements of operations, changes in net assets, and cash flows for the year then ended. Our review was made in accordance with generally accepted standards for review engagements and accordingly consisted primarily of inquiry, analytical procedures and discussion related to information supplied to us by the organization.

A review does not constitute an audit and consequently we do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that these financial statements are not, in all material respects, in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

*MAC LLP.*

Waterloo, Ontario  
May 29, 2017

LICENSED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS  
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# statement of financial position

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	2016	2015
<i>assets</i>		
<b>current</b>		
Cash	\$ 114,833	\$ 64,442
Accounts receivable	2,341	3,512
Inventory (Note 3)	<u>11,542</u>	<u>14,715</u>
	128,716	82,669
<b>capital assets (Note 4)</b>	3,664	544
<b>trademark</b>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>
	<u>\$ 137,380</u>	<u>\$ 88,213</u>
<i>liabilities</i>		
<b>current</b>		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 6,131	\$ 2,618
<b>net assets</b>		
Unrestricted net assets	<u>131,249</u>	<u>85,595</u>
	<u>\$ 137,380</u>	<u>\$ 88,213</u>

Approved on behalf of the board:

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Director

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Director

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# statement of changes in net assets

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	2016	2015
<b>balance, beginning of year</b>	\$ 85,595	\$ 90,748
Excess of revenue over expenses for year	<u>45,654</u>	<u>(5,153)</u>
<b>balance, end of year</b>	\$ <u>131,249</u>	\$ <u>85,595</u>

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# statement of operations

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	2016	2015
<b>revenue</b>		
Donations	\$ 242,386	\$ 143,127
Resource sales	5,692	14,788
Conference fees	-	3,033
Interest and other income	<u>171</u>	<u>49</u>
	<u>248,249</u>	<u>160,997</u>
<b>expenses</b>		
Amortization	1,629	652
Bank charges and interest	504	1,084
Cost of resource sales and distribution	14,465	24,356
Donor management and administration	4,284	3,814
Employment expenses	109,992	54,575
Insurance	1,550	1,485
Itinerant speaking, teaching and preaching	7,583	3,681
Office and general administration	3,617	4,272
Professional fees	2,960	2,540
Publishing	31,708	29,664
Training, events and conferences	16,387	31,786
Transfers to qualified donees	770	675
Web based content delivery	<u>7,146</u>	<u>7,566</u>
	<u>202,595</u>	<u>166,150</u>
<b>excess of revenue over expenses for year</b>	<u>\$ 45,654</u>	<u>\$ (5,153)</u>

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## statement of cash flows

&gt;YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	2016	2015
<b>operating activities</b>		
Excess of revenue over expenses for year	\$ 45,654	\$ (5,153)
Adjustments for:		
Amortization	<u>1,629</u>	<u>652</u>
	47,283	(4,501)
Changes in non-cash working capital:		
Decrease in accounts receivable	1,171	25,010
Decrease in inventory	3,173	2,273
Increase in accounts payable and accrued liabilities	<u>3,514</u>	<u>1,368</u>
	55,141	24,150
<b>investing activities</b>		
Purchase of capital assets	<u>(4,750)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in cash for the year	50,391	24,150
Cash Balance, beginning of year	<u>64,442</u>	<u>40,292</u>
<b>cash balance, end of year</b>	<b><u>\$ 114,833</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 64,442</u></b>

# notes to financial statements

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## 1. purpose of organization

The mission of Ezra Institute for Contemporary Christianity, the "Charity", is to advance and teach the religious tenets, doctrine and observances associated with the evangelical Christian faith by providing spiritual and educational resources to Canadians. The Charity is incorporated in Canada and is a registered charity for income tax purposes.

## 2. significant accounting policies

**Basis of Accounting** - These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

**Revenue Recognition** - The Charity follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received. Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue when the expense is incurred.

Resource sales revenue is recognized when the sales transaction is complete. Conference fees are recognized as earned.

### **Financial Instruments**

*Measurement* - The Charity initially measures its financial assets and liabilities at fair value. The Charity subsequently measures all its financial assets and financial liabilities at amortized cost.

Financial assets measured at amortized cost include cash and accounts receivable.

Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost include accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

The Charity has not designated any financial asset or liability to be measured at fair value.

*Impairment* - Financial assets measured at cost are tested for impairment when there are indicators of impairment. The amount of the write-down is recognized as operating cost. The previously recognized impairment loss may be reversed to the extent of the improvement, directly or by adjusting the allowance account, provided it is not greater than the amount that would have been reported at the date of the reversal had the impairment not been recognized previously. The amount of the reversal is recognized as income from operations.

*Transaction costs* - The Charity recognizes its transaction costs in excess of revenue over expenses in the period incurred. However, financial instruments that will not be subsequently measured at fair value are adjusted by the transaction costs that are directly attributable to their origination, issuance or assumption.

**Inventory** - Inventory is valued at the lower of cost or net realizable value. The method of determining cost is on the average cost basis.



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**Capital Assets and Amortization** - Purchased capital assets are recorded at cost. Contributed capital assets are recorded at fair value at the date of contribution. Amortization is provided in the accounts using the following methods and annual rates:

Asset	Method	Rate
Computer equipment	Reducing balance	55%
Software	Reducing balance	100%

**Contributed Materials and Services** - Volunteers contribute their time to assist the Charity in carrying out its service delivery activities. Because of the difficulty of determining their fair value, contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements.

The Charity receives contributed materials, the fair value of which may or may not be reasonably determinable. Contributed materials are recognized as donations when fair value can be determined. No contributed materials were recognized as donation revenue during the year.

**Disclosure and Use of Estimates** - The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. These estimates are reviewed periodically, and as adjustments become necessary, they are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known.

Estimates are used when accounting for certain items such as revenues, allowance for doubtful accounts, useful lives of capital assets and asset impairments.

### 3. inventory

Inventory is comprised of the following:

	2016	2015
Product for resale	\$ <u>11,542</u>	\$ <u>14,715</u>

Inventory expensed during the year was \$8,958 (2015 - \$14,576).

### 4. capital assets

	cost	accumulated amortization	net 2016	net 2015
Computer equipment	\$ 8,737	\$ 5,073	\$ 3,664	\$ 544
Software	<u>628</u>	<u>628</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	\$ <u>9,365</u>	\$ <u>5,701</u>	\$ <u>3,664</u>	\$ <u>544</u>

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## 5. financial instruments

**Risk management** - It is management's opinion that the Charity is not exposed to significant interest rate, currency, credit, market or liquidity risks arising from its financial instruments. There has been no change to the risk exposures from the prior year.

## 6. comparative figures

Certain of the comparative figures have been restated to conform to the presentation adopted for the current year.