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Certified Public  
Accountants of Uganda

**STRESS FREE  
INVESTMENT CLUB  
ANNUAL REPORT  
AND  
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED  
30TH JUNE  
2022**

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# CLUB INFORMATION

## COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Brian Yesigye Bravo/ Executive Director  
Atumanya Anxious/ General Secretary/Legal advisor  
Lydia Kitakufe/ Treasurer  
Grace Aluco/ Administrator  
Linda Arach/ Ass. Administrator  
Ronald Sebunya/ Head of Investment  
Dan Nuwamanya/ IT Officer  
Alex Lubega/ US Coordinator  
Ambition Kwesigwa/ Public Relations officer  
Ronald Serwanja/Committee Member  
Benjamin Kiige Collins / Committee Member  
Katumuhaire Assy / Committee Member  
Gloria Tibakunirwa /Committee Member  
Dorah Lubega Atwongyere / Committee Member  
Gloria Mutuwa

## REGISTERED OFFICE:

Plot 12, Luwum Street- City Centre Complex  
P.O.Box 34012  
Kampala  
Uganda

## AUDITORS:

**KHAN Associates**  
Certified Public Accountants  
Plot 4, Pilkington Road,  
Kira House 4th Floor, Suit No. 65  
P.O.Box 36238  
Kampala

## BANKERS:

DFCU  
Uganda Limited

# COMMITTEE MEMBER'S REPORT

The Committee Members present their report together with the management and financial statements of the Investment Club for the year ended 30th June 2022.

## PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of Stress-Free Investment Club is to mobilize savings from its members, advance loans to members and invest Club funds in financially profitable ventures for the benefit of all members.

## REVIEW OF ACTIVITIES

The operating results and state of affairs of the Club are fully set out in the attached financial statements. Net Surplus of the Investment Club for the year under review (Ended 30 June, 2022) was Ushs. **37,750,521**.

## GOING CONCERN

The financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting policies applicable to a going concern. This basis presumes that; funds will be available to finance future operations and realization of assets and settlement of liabilities, contingent obligations and commitments will occur in the ordinary course of business.

## DIVIDENDS

No dividends were declared or paid during the year.

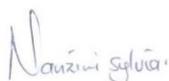
## DIRECTORS

The present membership of the Executive Committee is set out on page 1.

## AUDITORS

The Club auditors; KHAN Associates Certified Public Accountants have expressed their willingness to continue in office in accordance with the provisions of Section 167(2) of the Companies' Act, 2012.

## BY ORDER OF THE BOARD



**Club Secretary**

Date: 24/08/2022

## STATEMENT OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS'

The Executive committee members are required in terms of the Companies Act of Uganda and the Club Constitution to maintain adequate accounting records and are responsible for the content and integrity of the financial information included in this report. It is their responsibility to ensure that the financial statement fairly present the statement of affairs of the Club as at the end of the financial period and the result of its operations and cash flows for the period ended, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards for SMEs. The external auditors are engaged to express an independent opinion on the financial statements.

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards for SMEs and are based upon appropriate accounting policies adopted during the period and supported by reasonable and prudent judgments and estimates.

The Committee members acknowledge that they are ultimately responsible for the system of internal financial control established by the Club and place considerable importance on maintaining a strong control environment. To enable the directors to meet these responsibilities, the Directors set standards for internal control aimed at reducing the risk of error or loss in a cost-effective manner. The standards include proper delegation of responsibilities within a clearly defined framework, effective accounting procedures and adequate segregation of duties to ensure an acceptable level of risk. These controls are monitored throughout the Club and all employees are required to maintain the highest ethical standards in ensuring that the club's business is conducted in a manner that is in all reasonable circumstances above reproach. The focus of risk management in the Club is on identifying, assessing, managing, and monitoring all known forms of risk across the club. While operating risk cannot be fully eliminated, there are endeavors to minimize it by ensuring that appropriate infrastructure, controls, systems and ethical behavior are applied and managed within the predetermined procedures and constraints.

The Committee Members are of the opinion, based on the information and explanations given; that the system of internal control provides reasonable assurance that the financial records may be relied on for the preparation of the financial statements. However, any system of internal financial control can provide only reasonable, and not absolute, assurance against any material misstatement or loss.

The Committee Members have reviewed the Club's cash flow forecast for the year ended to 30 June 2022 and in light of this review and the current financial position, they are satisfied that the club has access to adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

The financial statements set out on pages 7 to 15, which have been prepared on the going concern basis, were approved by the Committee Members on 24/08/2022 and were signed on their behalf by;



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**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**



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**TREASURER**

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF STRESS-FREE INVESTMENT CLUB FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2022

## Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Stress-Free Investment Club, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 30th June 2022, and the statement of Income and expenditure, statement of changes in accumulated fund and Statement of cash flows for the period then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of Significant accounting policies.

In our opinion the financial Statements give a true and fair view of the state of the financial affairs of Stress-Free Investment Club as at 30th June 2022, and of its Performance and Cash Flows for the period then ended and are in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards for Small and Medium- Sized Entities, the Uganda Companies Act 2012 and the Tier 4 Micro Finance and Money Lenders Act 2016.

## Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and Guidelines issued by the Institute of Certified Public Accountants of Uganda. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are Independent of the investment club in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Uganda, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## Key audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statement of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon and we do not provide a separate opinion on them. There were no reportable key audit matters during the year.

## Other information

The Executive Committee is responsible for other information. The other information comprises the report of the committee members but does not include the financial statements and the report of the independent auditors. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements 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 Management and those Charged with Governance**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRSs, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the investment club'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 management either intends to liquidate the investment club or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the investment club's financial reporting process.

## **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are 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 ISAs 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 these financial statements. As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.

We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, 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 Club's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness 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 Club'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 statements 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 Club to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance 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.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

### **Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

As required by the companies Act 2012, we report to you based on our audit, that:

- We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit;
- In our opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the Club so far as appears from our examination of those books; and
- The Club's statement of financial position and statement Income and Expenditure are in agreement with the books of account.

The engagement practitioner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is CPA. Hannington Agaba -**P0489**



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**CPA Hannington Agaba  
Practitioner**

Date: 24/08/2022

# STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

	Note	2022 Ushs	2021 Ushs
Revenue	1	53,303,720	25,202,749
<b>Gross profit</b>		<b>53,303,720</b>	<b>25,202,749</b>
<b>Expenditure</b>			
Administration expenses	2	(15,553,199)	(10,959,690)
<b>Total expenses</b>		<b>(15,553,199)</b>	<b>(10,959,690)</b>
<b>Profit before tax</b>		<b>37,750,521</b>	<b>14,243,059</b>
<b>Net Profit/(loss) for the year</b>		<b>37,750,521</b>	<b>14,243,059</b>

The significant accounting policies and notes on pages 11 to 15 form an integral part of these financial statements.

The financial statements were approved by the Executive Committee Members on 24/08/2022 and were signed on its behalf by;



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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



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TREASURER

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	Note	2022 Ushs	2021 Ushs
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Non-current assets</b>	<b>5</b>	454,297,837	224,602,832
Investment		<b>454,297,837</b>	<b>224,602,832</b>
 <b>Current Assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	<b>3</b>	16,055,293	7,383,351
Accounts receivable	<b>4</b>	261,157,450	75,086,900
Inventory	<b>8</b>	3,795,000	5,310,000
		<b>281,007,743</b>	<b>87,780,251</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>		<b>735,305,580</b>	<b>312,383,083</b>
 <b>OWNER'S EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Capital employed</b>		51,993,580	14,243,059
Retained earnings			
<b>Non-Current Liabilitie</b>	<b>6</b>	671,065,000	296,432,000
Members' savings			
<b>Current liabilities</b>	<b>7</b>	12,247,000	1,708,024
Accounts payable			
<b>Total equity and liabilities</b>		<b>735,305,580</b>	<b>312,383,083</b>

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**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**



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**TREASURER**

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN ACCUMULATED FUND

	<b>Retained 2022 Ushs</b>
<b>Balance at 1st July 2020</b>	
Net profit of the year	14,243,059
<b>Balance as at 30th June 2021</b>	<u><b>14,243,059</b></u>
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**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**



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**TREASURER**

# STATEMENT OF CASHFLOWS

	Notes	2022 Ushs	2021 Ushs
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Profit / (Loss) before tax		37,750,521	14,243,059
<b>Operating profit before working capital change</b>			
Increase /(Decrease) in Members Savings	6	374,633,000	296,432,000
Increase /(Decrease) in trade payable	7	10,538,976	1,708,024
(Increase)/Decrease in receivables	4	(186,070,550)	(75,086,900)
(Increase)/Decrease in Inventory	8	1,515,000	(5,310,000)
<b>Net Cash generated from operating activities</b>		<b>238,366,947</b>	<b>231,986,183</b>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Increase /(Decrease) in Investment	5	(229,695,005)	(224,602,832)
<b>Cash flow from investing activities</b>		<b>(229,695,005)</b>	<b>(224,602,832)</b>
<b>Net Cash generated from Financing Activities</b>			
<b>Net increase/decrease in cash and cash equivalent</b>		<b>8,671,942</b>	<b>7,383,351</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at 1st July 2020		7,383,351	
<b>cash and cash equivalent as at 30th Jun</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16,055,293</b>	<b>7,383,351</b>

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



TREASURER

# SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## **a) Presentation of financial statements**

The Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard for Small and Medium-Sized Entities and the Companies Act of Uganda. The Financial Statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis and incorporate the principal accounting policies set out below. They are presented in Uganda Shillings

The Club recognizes the next future tax benefit related to deferred income tax assets to the extent that it is probably that the deductible temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future. Assessing the recoverability of deferred income tax assets requires Club to make significant estimates related to expectations of future taxable incomes. Estimates of future taxable income are based on forecast cash flows from operations and the significantly from estimates, the ability of the Club to realize the net deferred tax assets recorded at the end of the reporting period could be impacted.

## **b) Signification judgment s and sources of estimation uncertainties**

The preparation of Financial Statements in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards for Small and Medium-Sized Entities require the use of Estimates and assumptions. It also requires management to exercise its judgment in the process of applying accounting policies in areas involving a higher degree of Judgment or complexity, or where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements. Significant judgments Include:

## **c) Trade and other receivables**

Trade receivables are measured on initial recognition at fair value, and are subsequently measured at amortized cost. Appropriate allowances for estimated irrecoverable amounts are recognized in statement of Comprehensive Income when there is objective evidence that the asset is impaired. The amount of the provision is recognized in the statement of Comprehensive income.

## **d) Trade and other payables**

Trade payables are initially measured at fair value and are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method.

## **e) Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at hand and demand deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. These are initially and subsequently recorded at fair value.

## **f) Income**

Income is recognized to the extent that it is highly probable that the economic benefit will flow to the Club and it can be reliably measured. Income is measured at the fair value of the consideration received, excluding discount, rebates and other taxes or duty.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

	Notes	2022 Ushs	2021 Ushs
<b>1.Revenue</b>			
Membership fees		1,200,000	7,530,000
Annual Subscription		5,070,000	5,770,000
Realised Income on Exiting of members		2,451,500	162,000
Interest (Dfcu bank)		2,215	9,917
Interest (UAP Investment)		15,865,005	11,730,832
Interest (Treasurer Bond)		27,200,000	
Other incomes (Sale of T. Shirts)		1,515,000	
		<b>53,303,720</b>	<b>25,202,749</b>
<b>2.Administration expenses</b>			
Account opening			50,000
Legal documentation		120,000	220,000
Bank charges		443,025	535,690
IT expenses (Website development and hosting)			1,150,000
Support staff expenses		7,280,000	5,624,000
Transport and communication		288,000	1,400,000
Printing and stationery		8,000	80,000
Publicity			900,000
AGM Expenses		1,934,174	
Audit fees		1,500,000	1,000,000
Consultancy fees (Business plan and Bills of Quantities)		1,260,000	
Interest expense (WHT)		2,720,000	
		<b>15,553,199</b>	<b>10,959,690</b>
<b>3.Cash and cash equivalents</b>			
Cash in bank		16,055,293	7,383,351
		<b>16,055,293</b>	<b>7,383,351</b>
<b>4.Receivables</b>			
Monthly contributions due from members		261,157,450	75,086,900
		<b>261,157,450</b>	<b>75,086,900</b>

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS continued

### 5. Investment

UAP Umbrella Trust fund A/c 1	236,810,418	32,730,832
UAP Umbrella Trust fund A/c 2	25,615,419	
Treasury bond	191,872,000	191,872,000
	<b>454,297,837</b>	<b>224,602,832</b>

### 6. Members

Members Savings	668,000,000	292,320,000
Members savings- Advance	3,065,000	4,112,000
	<b>671,065,000</b>	<b>296,432,000</b>

### 7. Payables

Members savings-Accs to be disabled	9,147,000	
Other Payables	1,600,000	708,024
Audit fees Payable	1,500,000	1,000,000
	<b>12,247,000</b>	<b>1,708,024</b>

**Note:** Members savings- Accs Disabled refers to amount due to members whose accounts were disabled but have not yet withdrawn their savings.

**Note:** Other payables relate to amounts deposited on the Club's bank account but not traceable to members.

### 8. Inventory

Branded Polo T-shirts & Face Masks	3,795,000	5,310,000
	<b>3,795,000</b>	<b>5,310,000</b>

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS continued

## 9 Country of incorporation and registered office

The Club is incorporated in Uganda under the Ugandan Companies Act and domiciled in Uganda  
The address of the Registered Office is;  
Plot 12, Luwum Street

## 10. Risk Management

### Capital Risk Management

The Club's objective when managing capital is to safeguard the Club's ability to continue as a going concern in order to provide returns for the members and other stakeholders and to maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital

### Financial Risk management

The Club's activities expose it to a verity of financial risk: Market Risk (Including Currency risk, fair value Interest Rate Risk, Cash flow Interest rate risk and price risk), Credit Risk and Liquidity Risk.

### Liquidity Risk

Prudent Liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash and marketable securities, the availability of funding through an adequate amount of committed credit facilities and the ability to close out market position. Due to the dynamic nature of the underlying businesses, the Club maintains flexibility in funding by maintaining availability and committed credit lines.

The Club's risk to Liquidity is a result of funds available to cover future commitment. The Club manages liquidity risk through ongoing review of future commitments and credit facilities.

Cash flows forecasts are prepared and adequate utilized borrowing facilities are monitored.

### Interest rate risk

As the Club has interest bearing assets, the Club's income and operating cash flows are substantially dependent of changes in market interest rates.

### Credit risk

Trade receivables comprise a limited customer base mainly from members. Management evaluated credit risk relating to customers on an ongoing basis. The Club's credit controller assesses the credit quality of each customer taking into account its financial position, past experience and many other factors. Individual risk limits are set based on internal or external ratings in accordance with limits set by the board. The utilization of credit limits is regularly monitored.

## 11. Contingencies

In the opinion of the Committee Members, the Club did not have any contingent liabilities as at 30th June 2022.

## 12. Financial Reporting Period

The Financial Reporting Period is twelve months to 30th June 2022.

### **13. Reporting Currency**

The reporting Currency is Ugandan Shillings (Ushs/UGX)

### **14. Events after the reporting period**

The Committee Members are not aware of any post year-end items that require amendment or adjustment to the financial statements as at the date of this report.

### **15. The outbreak of Corona Virus (COVID-19)**

Management has considered the consequences of COVID-19 and other events and conditions, and it has determined that they do not create a material uncertainty that casts significant doubt upon the entity's ability to continue as a going concern. The impact of COVID-19 on future performance and therefore on the measurement of some assets and liabilities or on liquidity might be significant and might therefore require disclosure in the financial statements, but management has determined that they do not create a material uncertainty that casts significant doubt upon the entity's ability to continue as a going concern.