### SOLIDARIDAD REGIONAL EXPERTISE CENTRE (SREC)

FCRA Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2023

Funds Capital Fund 2 General fund 3 Unutilised Restricted Fund 4  Non-current liabilities  Current Liabilities: Trade payables (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL	Notes	Rupees	Rupees	As on March Rupees	Rupees
Funds Capital Fund 2 General fund 3 Unutilised Restricted Fund 4  Non-current liabilities  Current Liabilities: Trade payables 5 (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL					
Capital Fund 2 General fund 3 Unutilised Restricted Fund 4  Non-current liabilities  Current Liabilities:  Trade payables 5 (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL  I. ASSETS					
General fund 3 Unutilised Restricted Fund 4  Non-current liabilities  Current Liabilities:  Trade payables 5 (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others  Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL  I. ASSETS					
General fund 3 Unutilised Restricted Fund 4  Non-current liabilities  Current Liabilities:  Trade payables 5 (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others  Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL		21,363,861		0.255.255	
Non-current liabilities  Current Liabilities:  Trade payables 5 (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL		1,335,274		8,355,355	
Current Liabilities: Trade payables 5 (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL  II. ASSETS		86,633,929	109,333,064	(389,524) 168,486,290	476 450 40
Current Liabilities: Trade payables 5 (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL  II. ASSETS	-	00,033,323		100,480,290	176,452,12
Trade payables 5 (a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL II. ASSETS			-		-
(a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities  FOTAL  I. ASSETS					
(a) Micro enterprises and small enterprises (b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  FOTAL  I. ASSETS					
(b) Others Other Current Liabilities 6  TOTAL  I. ASSETS		3,679,433			
TOTAL  I. ASSETS		3,986,018			,
TOTAL II. ASSETS			44 550 070	7,226,485	
I. ASSETS	-	3,903,819	11,569,270	9,149,025	16,375,51
		_	120 002 224	-	
		_	120,902,334	=	192,827,63
Non Current Assets:					
Property Plant and Equipments and Other Intangible A	Assests				
Property Plant and Equipments 7					
Out of project Fund					
Gross Block		28,560,130		40.000.000	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation		7,196,269	21 262 061	12,025,032	
The second secon		7,190,209	21,363,861	3,669,677	8,355,355
Out of Own Funding					
Gross Block		675,846		675.046	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation		224,204	451 642	675,846	
		224,204	451,642	152,506	523,340
Current Assets:					
Cash & Bank Balances 8		86,838,566		167,880,334	
Other Current Assets 9		12,248,265	99,086,831	16,068,602	102 040 026
		,0,200		10,000,002	183,948,936
OTAL			120,902,334		192,827,631
ummary of significant accounting policies 1					, , , , , , , , , , , ,

As per our separate report of even date attached

For Dhingra & Juneja Chartered Accountants

FRN No; 018799N

Vikas Dhingra

Partner

M. No.: 099604 Place: New Delhi

Date: December 12, 2023

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Managing Trustee

### SOLIDARIDAD REGIONAL EXPERTISE CENTRE (SREC)

### Statement of FCRA Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended March 31, 2023

Particular's	Notes	Year Ended March 31, 2023	Year Ended March 31, 2022
Total Income		Rupees	Rupees
Grants and Donation Received	10	301,961,789	170,711,155
Other Income	11	954,657	2,802,614
		302,916,446	173,513,769
Total Expenditure			
Project Expenses (out of restricted grants)	12	275,918,710	157,127,110
Capital asset Purchased out of Restricted Grant	13	16,535,098	7,463,747
Administrative Expenses	14	8,737,839	15,458,548
		301,191,647	180,049,405
Surplus/ ( Deficit) for the year to be transferred to g	eneral fund	1,724,799	(6,535,636)

For Dhingra & Juneja Chartered Accountants

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### SOLIDARIDAD REGIONAL EXPERTISE CENTRE (SREC)

FCRA Receipts and Payment Account for the year 2022-2023 ( April 2022 to March 2023)

Particular's	For the ye	ar 2022-23	For the ve	ear 2021-22
	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees
RECEIPTS				
Opening Balances :				
Cash in hand	38,750		59,817	
Bank Balances	167,841,584	167,880,334	95,458,732	95,518,549
Receipts during the year :				
Restricted Grant	219,908,772		236,870,901	
Unrestricted Fund	1,930,326			
Interest from Bank	3,307,992	225,147,090	6,120,298 3,483,256	246,474,455
			3,403,230	- 240,474,433
Total	-	393,027,424		341,993,004
PAYMENTS				
Project Expenses (out of restricted grants)	280,165,961		143,405,738	
Capital asset Purchased (out of Restricted Grant)	17,094,088		6,410,278	
Capital asset Purchased (out of Un-restricted Income)	-		324,800	
Administrative Expenses (excluding depreciation)	8,666,141	305,926,190	15,375,086	165,515,902
Net Other Current Assets				,
ncrease in Advances to Suppliers and Others		175,168		0 575 260
ncrease in Security deposits		87,500		8,575,268 21,500
Closing Balances :				,500
Cash in hand	65,420		20.7	
Bank Balances	86,773,146	86,838,566	38,750 167,841,584	167,880,334
	, , , , , , ,		107,041,304	107,000,334
otal	_	393,027,424	-	341,993,004

forming part of the Financial Statements

For Dhingra & Juneja Chartered Accountants FRN No; 018799N

Vikas Dhingra (Partner)

M. No.: 099604 Place: New Delhi

Date: December 12, 2023

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2. Capital Fund (Represented by project assets)	As at	As at
O-miles I. I.	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Opening balance	8,355,355	2,322,157
Add: Additions during the year (Refer Note 7)	16,535,098	7,463,747
Less: Applied during the year (Refer Note 7)	3,526,592	1,430,549
	21,363,861	8,355,355
3. General fund		
3. General lung	As at	As at
Opening balance	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
(+) Additions during the year	(389,524)	6,146,112
(+) Transferred from Designated Fund	1,724,799	(6,535,636)
(1) Transferred from Designated Fund	-	-
	1,335,274	(389,524)
4. Unutilised Restricted Fund		
n onathisea restricted runa	As at	As at
Opening balance	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Add: Received During the year (Refer Note 15)	164,403,285	91,442,599
Add: Interest Earned on Restricted Fund (Refer Note 15)	221,839,098	242,991,199
Less: Income Recognised to the extent Project Activity Cost incurred during the year (Refer Note 15)	2,353,335	680,642
Less: Income Recognised to the extent Project Assets purchased during the year (Refer Note 15)	275,918,710	157,127,110
Less: Income Recognised against Administrative Expenses (Refer Note 15)	16,535,098	7,463,747
Less: Unutilised balance transferred to General Fund (Refer Note 15)	9,507,981	6,120,298
	-	-
	86,633,929	164,403,285
Restricted Fund (net) as at Year end*	00,033,323	104,403,283
* Include		
- Restricted Fund (Unutilised) (Refer Note 15)	86,633,929	168,486,290
- Restricted Fund (Receivable) (Refer Note 15)		4,083,005
- Restricted Fund (Bank Interest)	2,353,335	680,642



5. Trade Payables		
	As at	As at
Due to Micro enterprises and exall enterprises	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Due to Micro enterprises and small enterprises  Due to Others	3,679,433	_
Due to others	3,986,018	7,226,485
		,,
Details of disease with a state of the state	7,665,451	7,226,485
Details of dues to micro and small enterprises as defined under the MSMED Act, 2006		
	As at	As at
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
(a) The amounts remaining unpaid to micro and small suppliers as at the end of each accounting year		
- Principal	3,679,433	_
- Interest*	_	
(b) The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of Section 16 of the Micro, Small and Medium		
enterprises Development (MSMED) Act, 2006, along with the amount of the payment made to the		-
supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year.		
(c) The amount of interest due and payable for the Year of delay in making payment (which have been		
paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified under	-	-
MSMED Act, 2006		
(d) The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year; and		
(e) The amount of further interest remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year; and	-	-
(e) The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such		-
date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise, for the purpose of		
disallowance as a deductible expenditure under Section 23 of the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises		
Development Act, 2006		

\* During the year, the Trust has paid due of such supplier on timely basis as required under The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 except few delays which have been mutually agreed and no interest is payable.

### 6. Other Current Liability

TDS Payable
Professional Tax Payable
Provident Fund Payable
Pension Fund Payable
Salary Payable
Reimbursement Payable to staff
Sundry Expenses Payable



As at	As at
March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
1,988,424	1,307,418
11,576	70,140
1,476,612	1,171,788
128,114	229,451
-	4,259,590
-	1,550,449
299,093	560,189
3,903,819	9,149,025



8. Cash & Cash equivalent		
o constant and the second of t	As at	As at
Balance with banks in:	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Current Accounts		
Saving Accounts	-	-
Cash in Hand	86,773,146	167,841,584
Cash in Hand		
	65,420	38,750
	86,838,566	167,880,334
9. Other Current Assets	As at	As at
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Advances to Suppliers	9,633,659	9,552,035
Salary Advances	5,033,039	976,922
Prepaid expenses	1,283,029	156,140
Security deposits	1,313,000	1,225,500
Travel Advance	18,577	75,000
Grant Receivable (Refer Note 15)	-	4,083,005
	12,248,265	16,068,602
10. Grants and Donations Received	Year ended on	Year ended on
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
	,	
Earmarked Contribution (to the extent of application) (Refer Note 15)	292,453,808	164,590,857
Overhead Support (Refer Note 15)	9,507,981	6,120,298
	301,961,789	170,711,155
44.04		
11. Other Income	Year ended on	Year ended on
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Interest on Source Bank		
Interest on Saving Bank	954,657	2,802,614
	954,657	2,802,614
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### 12. Project Expenses (out of restricted grants)\* Year ended on Year ended on March 31, 2023 March 31, 2022 **Human Resource Cost** Salaries to Staff 99,640,336 64,880,614 **ESI Charges** 629,599 Leave Travel Assistance 416,024 1,034,228 Reimbursement of Expenses 1,467,657 1,435,547 Staff Insurance 2,238,355 2,391,329 **Gratuity Expenses** 966,826 1,159,313 Employer's Contribution to NPS 2,999,993 2,075,574 Recruitment Cost 137,217 178,200 Staff Welfare Expenses 1,040,248 51,000 109,536,255 73,205,805 **Project Implementation Cost** Project-Meeting & Workshop Expenses 18,735,830 3,346,955 Project - Office Rent 3,981,252 3,197,789 Project - Office Utility 6,795,827 4,252,027 Project-Printing & Stationary 7,105,397 1,980,600 Project-Resource Persons 67,716,069 48,032,586 Project-Supplies 37,490,928 14,166,911 Project - Boarding & Lodging Expenses 3,784,498 1,386,518 Project - Domestic Travel 9,875,157 2,220,757 Project - Local Travel & Conveyance Expenses 10,897,497 5,337,162 166,382,455 83,921,305 275,918,710 157,127,110

### \* Refer Note 15

### 13. Capital asset Purchased out of Restricted Grant

Project Assets - Furniture Project Assets - Computer Project Assets - Equipment's



Year ended on	Year ended on
March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
673,276	27,930
2,439,444	806,707
13,422,378	6,629,110
16,535,098	7,463,747



14. Administrative and General Expenses			
and deficial Expenses	,	Year ended on	Year ended on
Salaries to Staff	_1	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
		6,796,064	12,617,026
Employer's Contribution to NPS		138,598	308,309
Gratuity Expenses		21,771	178,281
Insurance - Staff		173,842	220,280
Leave Travel Assistance		1,282	261,263
Reimbursment of Expenses		86,738	303,726
NPS Administrative Charges		23,001	
PF Administrative Charges		423,525	19,030
Recruitment Cost			298,342
Staff Welfare Expenses		24,980	-
Office Lease Rent		150,024	844,000
Office Utility & Maintenance		3,000	-
Professional & Consultancy Fees and Expenses		235,309	251,157
Printing & Stationary Expenses		434,756	-
Communication Expenses		63,723	30,465
Travel Exprises		60,500	6,414
Depreciation		8,453	14,964
·		71,698	83,462
Bank Charges		20,575	21,829





15,458,548

8,737,839

### Notes forming part of the FCRA Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2023 SOLIDARIDAD REGIONAL EXPERTISE CENTRE (SREC)

# 7. Property Plant and Equipments and Other Intangible Assests

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			-							(in rupees)
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Details	Cost as at	Additions	Sales/adjustment	Cost as at	Upto	For the	sale/adjustment	Upto	As at	As at
	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2022 during the year	during the year	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2023 March 31, 2022	year	during the year	March 31, 2023 March 31, 2023	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Computers	3,977,073	2,439,444	1	6,416,517	2,623,679	1,180,429	1	3,804,108	2,612,409	1,353,394
Software	1	ľ	,	T	ī	1.	1	1	I	,
Furniture and fixtures	577,450	673,276	,	1,250,726	147,448	76,664	1	224,112	1,026,614	430,002
Office equipment	7,470,509	13,422,378	1	20,892,887	898,550	2,269,499	ı	3,168,049	17,724,838	6,571,959
Total	12,025,032	16.535.098		28 560 130	LL 033 C	207 707 6				
Previous vear	4 561 285	T A 62 7A7		12 021 022	1/0,500,5	2,520,592		7,196,269	21,363,861	8,355,355
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Details	COSt as at	Additions	Sales/adjustment	Cost as at	Upto	For the	sale/adjustment	Upto	As at	As at
	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2022 during the year	during the year	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2023 March 31, 2022	year	during the vear	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2023 March 31, 2023 March 31, 2022	March 31 2022
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Computers	1	1	ı	í	1	1.	1	ī	1	1
Software										
2010	1		1		1	1		1	1	1
Firmiting and fixtures	20000									
י מווויומוב מוומ ווצרחובא	180,070		1	186,676	20,590	13,609	1	64,199	122,477	136,086
Office equipment	489 170			027						
				469,170	101,916	58,089		160,005	329,165	387,254
-+	0.00									
Iotal	0/2,846			675,846	152,506	71,698		224 204	451 642	522 2AD
Previous year	351,046	324,800		675.846	69 044	83 462		153 505	240,407	040,020
					110/00	301,00		132,300	523,340	282,002







## SOLIDARIDAD REGIONAL EXPERTISE CENTRE (SREC) Notes forming part of the FCRA Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2023

15. Funding Agency Wise Utilisation of Total Grants For 2022-2023

Sr. No. Donor's Name	Director	-									(in Rupees)
	מפסלה	balance as	Grant	Bank	Exchange		Grant Utilised	lised		Unspent amount	Grant
1 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Capacity building of farmers through "Suctainable Capacity building of farmers through "Suctainable Capacity	2707.5.TO	Received	Interest	Gain/(Loss)	Capital Exp	Project Exp	Admin Exp	Total Utilised	as on 31.3.2023	Receivable
	There's committee the control of the	4,700,581	15,490,800	1		121,103	19,614,701	66,662	19,802,466	388,915	
2 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Water Efficient Cotton Production System In India, Maharashtra	8,385,821	9,506,031	î	,	222,784	5.190.241	30.052	5 443 077	357 877 61	
3 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	India Sustainable Cotton Initiative	3,155,655	7,495,516		9	21 830	10.007	533 151	10,011	17,446,113	ĸ
4 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Reclaim Sustainability in Cotton & Textile Value Chain in India	3,205,924	7,563,846	9		90 447	036 635 01	214,224	1/1/150/01		i
5 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	To Promote Environmentally Sustainable Minerals in India	2,180,502	7,247,909	,	,	25,000	202,202,01	314,033	10,766,742	3,028	ī
6 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Thematic learning and study on Fair Value Distribution, Climate & Natural	(225.000)	937 500			cto/cco	0,628,303	32,500	9,295,816	132,594	î
7 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Recourse Management and Gretainable Consumntion Capacity building for small Farmers Using Technology as an enabler and	762.02			1		712,500		712,500	ï	î
8 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	arrelerator for Social chanes TRUST DAIRY - Good Dairy Practices in Maharasthra	633,013	2,476,830	t 1				i.	,	20,227	i.
9 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Pollution Prevention and Efficient Water Use in UP Leather Clusters (Kanpur and	12,661,122	6,936,597	3	,	200 424	3,058,153		3,058,153	51,690	,
10 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Innawl P2P- India will contribute to reduced inequality and poverty, through inclusive and systemic transformation of global and local supply chains that enable MSMEst to thrive and generate more decease income income.	,	10,305,945	,		1,515,880	8,628,636	9,701	19,206,505	391,214 151,728	
11 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Reclaim Sustainability in Palm Oil Value Chain in India	1,282,628	9,089,691	·	,		TUE 783 B	250 585	200 750 0		
12 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Development of a sustainable and traceable supply chain for organic soybean in	1,245,455	6,661,113	1			3 840 132	500,000	260,156,6	434,427	
13 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Sustainable Agriculture and Resilient Livelihood of Smallholders in Madhya	7,761.830	11.307.832			c c			20101010	4,000,430	,
14 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Pradoch and Raiacthan Sustainable Food and Nutrition Security and Transforming Smallholders'	2,090,457	13,106,592	r	. ,	353,849	17,709,115	806,698	19,069,662		τ
15 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	i wainnon in Marhiva Pradosci India Sustainable Sugarcane Initiatives in Karnataka	829,733	349,143	,	,	1,178,876		,	1178 875	7,027,142	
16 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	Promoting Good Practices and Digital Technologies for Sustainable Sugarcane in	2,289,633	21,105,000		,	3.625.940	18 561 644	1 207 049	0/0/0/1/1	i	v.
17 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	India To improve the social, economic, agronomic and environmental performances	(3,858,005)	24,486,017		1	010 000	700 000 01	250,002,1	23,534,653	1	e
18 Solidaridad Network Asia Limited	of all Small Toa Growners familiae arrose India India Tea Alliance –Sustainable Tea through Power of Voice Project	10,484,234	717,717,717	,		11 210	120,000,01	4/T.040,2	110,828,01		
19 Australian High Commission	Reducing Water Uses & Carbon Emission through Regenerative & Sustainable		993,000				מסרימסריי א	167,026	28,100,469	301,482	r
20 Bayer AG	Farming Reducing Water Uses & Carbon Emission through Regenerative & Sustainable	11.138.691				i e	753,938		253,938	739,062	ŗ
21 C& A Foundation/Laudes Foundation	Farming  Establishing an Organic Cotton Hotenot in Mahamahan 1		e.		т.	î.	9,848,610	1,018,411	10,867,021	271,670	
22 Coca-Cola Foundation	Concoming an organic Cotton motabot in Manarabatta, India	6,802,397	ì	x	E.	ÿ	6,393,827	408,570	6,802,397	0	×
	negenerative and resilient Sugarcane Supply Chain in Maharashtra		23,840,970	,	,	304,263	5,682,916	547,599	6,534,778	17,306,192	×
	Effective waste management and sustainable development of the MSME tanning companies in the Kolkata Lasther Clister	30,428,146	17,116,923	1,062,698	or.	856'609'5	30,521,996	124,562	36,256,516	12,351,251	,
	Promoting circularity in Tamilnadu leather clusters through solid waste	41,843,950	,	1,290,637	į	1,693,301	21,511,544	97,286	23,302,131	19,832,456	,
25 Laudes Foundation Emergency Fund	Establishing an Organic Cotton Hotspot in Maharashtra, India, Emergency supprt	7,110,903		,	,		6,253,841	592.885	6 846 776	264 177	
26 Sustainable Agriculture Initiative Platform	Support sustainable agricultural practices and production systems in general	ĸ	5,973,800		Ē	,	1.086.867	189,218	1 276 085	A 607 715	
27 Hindustan Unilever Limited	To Support tea producers, small tea growers and workers in complying trustea	9,492,089		2		,			0000	617,760,4	
28 Kingdom Of the Netherlands	sustainahility Cada Critaria Basline Study on post Harvest losses in Tomato	743,299		i		9	411 067	,	,	9,492,089	
29 VITO			1 020 236				106'774	ĸ	411,967	331,332	
			0.20,000,1	i	,	ŧ.			3.	1,930,326	
Total		164,403,284	221,839,098	2,353,335		16 535 098	275 019 710	100 503 0	200 200		
						900100104	213,310,110	186,100,8	301,961,789	86,633,929	,



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### Solidaridad Regional Expertise Centre Foreign Contribution Account

### Note 1 – Significant Accounting Policies and Notes forming part of the Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2023

### Brief of Solidaridad Regional Expertise Centre

Solidaridad Regional Expertise Centre is a Charitable Trust established on 15<sup>th</sup> December 2008, Registered under Indian Registration Act, 1908.

Solidaridad Regional Expertise Centre is further registered u/s 12AA & 80G of the Income Tax Act, 1961 vide order dated 17/10/2011.

The Trust is also registered under Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010 ("FCRA") vide registration no 231661784 dated 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018. The Initial registration is valid from 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018 to 6<sup>th</sup> May 2023. The Trust has filed application for renewal of FCRA certificate and vide letter dated November 24, 2023, the same is extended for a further period of 5 year with effect from April 01, 2024.

Solidaridad Regional Expertise Centre believe in creating win - win solutions for sustainable development through cooperation and partnership between Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), Government and Businesses. Solidaridad Regional Expertise Centre is working together with small farmers, workers, local authorities, private sector and research institutes as a catalyst for improved food production, safer workplace, access to clean water and a better income.

Solidaridad Regional Expertise Centre take a value chain approach from farmers & workers to the consumer helping to integrate sustainable practices in agricultural farms and factories.

### Significant Accounting Policies;

### 1. Method of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention on an accrual basis.

The Trust has accounted for the restricted grant in its financial statement to the extent this has been applied for the objective during the year.

The Trust utilizes the funds either through own implementation or through its Partner Organisations to achieve their charitable objective which is defined in trust deed. All these Partner Organisations are registered under section 12A of Income Tax Act. FCRA funds are utilized only through Organisations registered under FCRA Act.

### 2. Revenue Recognition

- a) Earmarked Grants are initially credited to a Liability account in the Balance Sheet and are transferred to Income and Expenditure Account in the year in which and to the extent to which the Trust complies with the conditions attached to them. Interest from fixed deposit created from such fund and interest on savings accounts are transferred to respective grants only in case it is written specifically in the agreement else directly treated as Income
- b) Donation and Interest income is recognized in the year of receipt
- c) Fund Received from foreign source are kept in designated bank account and separate books of account are also maintained as per FCRA Act 2010 and rules made thereunder.

### 3. Foreign Currency Transactions:

The Trust has received foreign contributions under Foreign Contribution Regulatory 2010 read with FCRA Rules, 2011. The foreign contribution received has been accounted in the books the basis of advice issued by the banker. The exchange rate mentioned in the



### Solidaridad Regional Expertise Centre Foreign Contribution Account

### Note 1 – Significant Accounting Policies and Notes forming part of the Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2023

advice copy is taken as conversion rate for the purpose of converting foreign contribution in INR.

### 4. Employee Benefits:

### a) Short Term Benefits:

Short term employee Benefits are accounted as an expense in the Income and Expenditure Account in the year in which the payments are made.

### b) Post-Employment Benefit Plans:

Contributions to Provident Fund and National Pension Scheme are recognised as an expense in the Income and Expenditure Account when the employees have rendered services entitling them to contribution.

### 5. Fixed Assets

- a) Assets have been bifurcated as follows;
  - Out of Grant Funds These have been charged off to the relevant grants.
     Correspondingly Fixed Assets fund is created for the fixed assets purchase from specific grant received.
  - Out of Own Funds Amount spent for purchase of capital assets is capitalized in the year assets is put to use and accordingly depreciation is claimed as per the rate prescribed below.
- b) The gross block of fixed assets is capitalized at cost which includes taxes and duties and other identifiable direct expenses attributable to acquisition of fixed assets up to the date.
- c) Depreciation is provided on the written down value method mainly at the following rates:

### Nature of Assets Rate of depreciation percentage Computers Software 40% Furniture & Fixtures 10% Vehicles 15% Office Equipment's

### 6. Taxation:

The Trust is registered under Section 12AA of the Income Tax Act, 1961, vide letter dated 17<sup>th</sup> October 2011 which entitles it to claim an exemption from income tax provided certain conditions laid down in the Income Tax Act 1961 are complied with. Provision for tax will be made only in the year in which the Trust is unable to establish reasonable certainty of its ability to fulfill these conditions.

### 7. Other Accounting Policies:

- a) As per estimation of Trust management, there is no contingent liability.
- b) The rest of the accounting policies are consistent with the generally accepted Accounting New Delhi
- c) As the Trust obtained FCRA registration during the current financial year therefore the previous period information is not applicable.

