HEARING AID PRACTITIONERS BOARD OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2023

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of Hearing Aid Practitioners Board of Newfoundland and Labrador

Qualified Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Hearing Aid Practitioners Board of Newfoundland and Labrador (the organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2023, and the statements of changes in net assets, revenues and expenditures and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the *Basis for Qualified Opinion* section of our report, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the organization as at March 31, 2023, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO)

Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many not-for-profit organizations, the organization derives revenue from membership fees the completeness of which is not susceptible of satisfactory audit verification. Accordingly, our verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the organization and we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to contributions, excess of revenues over expenses, current assets and net assets. Our audit opinion on the financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2022 was modified accordingly because of the possible effects of this limitation of scope.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. 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 organization in accordance with ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with ASNPO, 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 organization'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 organization or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the organization'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 Canadian generally accepted 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 these financial statements.

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Hearing Aid Practitioners Board of Newfoundland and Labrador (continued)

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, 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 organization'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 organization'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 organization 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.

St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador September 19, 2023

CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS

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HEARING AID PRACTITIONERS BOARD OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR Statement of Financial Position

March 31, 2023

		2023		2022	
ASSETS CURRENT Cash Prepaid expenses	\$	81,156 277	\$	72,486 252	
	\$	81,433	\$	72,738	
CURRENT Accounts payable	\$	2,499	\$	1,650	
NET ASSETS	1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -	78,934		71,088	
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	81,433	\$	72,738	

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

Director

Director

HEARING AID PRACTITIONERS BOARD OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR Statement of Changes in Net Assets

Year Ended March 31, 2023

	2023		2022	
NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$	71,088 7,846	\$ 70,492 596	
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$	78,934	\$ 71,088	

HEARING AID PRACTITIONERS BOARD OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR Statement of Revenues and Expenditures Year Ended March 31, 2023

	2023		2022	
REVENUES	\$	15,190	\$	6,615
EXPENSES Insurance Interest and bank charges Office Professional fees		2,047 321 2,142 2,834		1,865 165 1,963 2,026
		7,344		6,019
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$	7,846	\$	596

HEARING AID PRACTITIONERS BOARD OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended March 31, 2023

OPERATING ACTIVITIES Excess of revenues over expenses	40.000	2023		2022	
	\$	7,846	\$	596	
Changes in non-cash working capital: Accounts payable Prepaid expenses		850 (26)		(356) (18)	
		824		(374)	
INCREASE IN CASH FLOW		8,670		222	
Cash - beginning of year	400-4400	72,486		72,264	
CASH - END OF YEAR	\$	81.156	\$	72.486	

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Notes to Financial Statements

Year Ended March 31, 2023

PURPOSE OF THE ORGANIZATION

Hearing Aid Practitioners Board of Newfoundland and Labrador (the "organization") verifies the competence of its licensed members through a legislative program and mandatory continuing education. The organization's principal activity is to examine the credentials of applicants for registration to determine if the applicant should be registered and licensed to operate as a hearing aid practitioner in accordance with the laws of Newfoundland and Labrador. The organization is a not-for-profit organization and as such, is not subject to either federal or provincial income taxes.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of presentation

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNFPO). Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations are part of Canadian GAAP.

Revenue recognition

Hearing Aid Practitioners Board of Newfoundland and Labrador follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions.

Restricted contributions related to general operations are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. All other restricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the appropriate restricted fund.

Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.