# **Coptic Orthodox Church - Diocese** of Sydney and Affiliated Regions

ABN: 61 746 813 182

Aggregated financial report (audited)

For the year ended 30 June 2021

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# AGGREGATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	Note	2021 \$	2020 \$
Revenue and other income			
Revenue from contracts with customers	3	10,023,097	9,085,134
Other revenue	4	43,589,215	42,414,341
		53,612,312	51,499,475
Less: expenses			
Cost of goods sold		(185,550)	(19,553)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	5	(2,332,121)	(1,660,108)
Employee benefits expense		(20,154,419)	(18,351,400)
Occupancy expense		(1,043,826)	(931,358)
Lease expense		(612,735)	(553,850)
Finance costs	5	(1,403,899)	(2,184,366)
Gifts and donations		(2,826,588)	(1,495,954)
Motor vehicle expenses		(479,014)	(510,944)
Insurance		(892,615)	(887,749)
Loss/(gain) on sale of land and buildings		3,285,082	(2,213,709)
Professional fees		(432,952)	(349,338)
Other expenses		(6,465,723)	(7,865,518)
		(33,544,360)	(37,023,847)
Profit before income tax expense		20,067,952	14,475,628
Other comprehensive income			
Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit and loss			
Disposal of land and buildings		(42,178)	
		(42,178)	-
Other comprehensive income for the year		(42,178)	
Total comprehensive income		20,025,774	14,475,628

# AGGREGATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2021

	Note	2021 \$	2020 \$
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	6	44,554,531	38,458,971
Receivables	7	2,518,689	1,818,815
Inventories	8	675,735	686,513
Other assets	11	752,742	823,325
Total current assets		48,501,697	41,787,624
Non-current assets			
Receivables	7	797,337	797,337
Other financial assets	9	2,249,764	2,249,764
Property, plant and equipment	10	228,561,413	216,930,930
Other assets	11	1,067,419	354,632
Total non-current assets		232,675,933	220,332,663
Total assets		281,177,630	262,120,287
Current liabilities			
Payables	12	4,902,094	4,593,642
Borrowings	13	2,740,839	6,313,184
Other liabilities	14	154,654	144,385
Total current liabilities		7,797,587	_11,051,211
Non-current liabilities			
Payables	12	1,242,394	1,726,799
Borrowings	13	54,788,433	52,018,835
Total non-current liabilities		56,030,827	53,745,634
Total liabilities		63,828,414	64,796,845
Net assets		217,349,216	197,323,442
Members' funds			
Reserves	15	14,534,033	14,576,211
Accumulated surplus	16	202,815,183	182,747,231
Total members' funds		217,349,216	197,323,442

# AGGREGATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MEMBERS FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	Reserves \$	Retained earnings \$	Total members' funds \$
Consolidated			
Balance as at 1 July 2019	14,576,211	168,271,603	182,847,814
Profit for the year		14,475,628	14,475,628
Total comprehensive income for the year		14,475,628	14,475,628
Balance as at 30 June 2020	14,576,211	182,747,231	197,323,442
Balance as at 1 July 2020	14,576,211	182,747,231	197,323,442
Profit for the year	· ·	20,067,952	20,067,952
Other comprehensive income for the year	(42,178)		(42,178)
Total comprehensive income for the year	(42,178)	20,067,952	20,025,774
Balance as at 30 June 2021	_14,534,033	202,815,183	217,349,216

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

#### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Trustees have determined that the Diocese is not a reporting entity on the basis that, in the opinion of the Trustees, there are unlikely to exist users of the financial report who are unable to command the preparation of reports tailored so as to satisfy, specifically, all of their information needs. Accordingly, this financial report is a special purpose financial report, which has been prepared to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*.

The financial report covers Coptic Orthodox Church Diocese of Sydney and Affiliated Regions as an aggregated entity. The Coptic Orthodox Church Diocese of Sydney and Affiliated Regions is a not-for-profit entity for the purpose of preparing the financial statements.

The financial report has been prepared in accordance with the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012* and the recognition and measurement requirements specified by all Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations. The financial report does not comply with the disclosure requirements of Australian Accounting Standards.

The following specific accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous period unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report:

#### (a) Basis of preparation of the financial report

#### Historical Cost Convention

The financial report has been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by revaluations to fair value for certain classes of assets and liabilities as described in the accounting policies.

#### (b) Principles of aggregation

The aggregated financial statements are those of the entities set out in Note 2 to the financial statements ("the Diocese").

The financial statements of the majority of all of the aggregated entities are prepared for the same reporting period using consistent accounting policies. Adjustments are made to bring into line any dissimilar accounting policies which may exist.

All inter-entity balances and transactions, including any unrealised profits or losses have been eliminated on aggregation.

#### (c) Going concern

The financial report has been prepared on a going concern basis, which contemplates continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and the settlement of liabilities in the ordinary course of business.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

#### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (d) Revenue from contracts with customers

The Diocese derives revenue from a variety of church activities. Revenue is recognised as, or when, goods or services are transferred to the customer, and is measured at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Diocese expects to be entitled in exchange for the goods or services.

#### Revenue from the provision of services

Revenue from student fees for the colleges is recognised over the period to which the provision of education services relate. Fees received in advance are disclosed as a contract liability.

Revenue from the various church activities and programs is recognised at the point of time that the service is provided.

These services are provided under contractual arrangements that contain enforceable and sufficiently specific performance obligations. Revenue from the provision of services is recognised over time, as performance obligations are satisfied, based on either costs incurred or service hours performed, consistent with the manner in which services are provided.

#### Revenue from the sale of goods

Revenue from the sale of good comprises revenue derived from the sale of goods purchased for resale and goods donated for resale. Revenue is recognised at the point in time when control of the goods is transferred to the customer, which generally occurs at the time the goods are purchased by customers from the Diocese's retail outlets. Customers are required to pay in full for all goods purchased at the time of purchase.

#### Contract liabilities

A contract liability represents the Diocese's obligation to provide future services under contractual arrangements that contain enforceable and sufficiently specific performance obligations for which the Diocese has received consideration (or an amount of consideration is due) in advance of those services being provided. Amounts recorded as contract liabilities are subsequently recognised as revenue as performance obligations are satisfied.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

# NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (e) Income arising from the transfer of assets

The Diocese derives income from the transfer of assets when the Diocese provides no consideration in exchange for the asset received, or the consideration provided by the Diocese is significantly less than the fair value of the asset received, principally to enable the Diocese to further its objectives, and the arrangement does not satisfy the criteria to be accounted for as a 'contract with a customer'.

#### **Donations**

Cash donations and goods donated for resale are recognised as income when the Diocese obtains control of the asset. Cash is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received. Goods donated for resale at recognised at current replacement cost.

#### Operating grants

A transfer of an asset, including cash, under arrangements that do not contain enforceable and sufficiently specific performance obligations is referred to in the financial statements as an 'operating grant'. Assets arising from operating grants are recognised at fair value when the Diocese obtains control of the asset. Any related amounts, such as contributions from owners, financial liabilities, contract liabilities, lease liabilities and provisions are recognised in accordance with the applicable Australian Accounting Standard. The excess of the initial carrying amount of assets received over the aggregate of the consideration provided by the Diocese and any related amounts is recognised as income.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (f) Other revenue and other income

#### Interest

Interest revenue is measured in accordance with the effective interest method.

#### Rental income

Lease revenue from operating leases is recognised on either a straight-line basis or another systematic basis (if that basis is more representative of the pattern in which benefit from the use of the underlying asset is diminished).

All revenue is measured net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

#### (g) Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs include interest expense calculated using the effective interest method, finance charges in respect of lease arrangements, and exchange differences arising from foreign currency borrowings to the extent that they are regarded as an adjustment to interest costs.

Borrowing costs are expensed as incurred, except for borrowing costs incurred as part of the cost of the construction of a qualifying asset, in which case the costs are capitalised until the asset is ready for its intended use or sale.

#### (h) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and at banks, short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less held at call with financial institutions, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities in the aggregated statement of financial position.

#### (i) Financial instruments

#### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the Diocese becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. For financial assets, this is equivalent to the date that the Diocese commits itself to either the purchase or sale of the asset (i.e. trade date accounting is adopted).

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value adjusted for transaction costs, except where the instrument is classified as fair value through profit or loss, in which case transaction costs are immediately recognised as expenses in profit or loss.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

#### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (i) Financial instruments (Continued)

#### Classification of financial assets

Financial assets recognised by the Diocese are subsequently measured in their entirety at either amortised cost or fair value, subject to their classification and whether the Diocese irrevocably designates the financial asset on initial recognition at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVtOCI) in accordance with the relevant criteria in AASB 9.

Financial assets not irrevocably designated on initial recognition at FVtOCI are classified as subsequently measured at amortised cost, FVtOCI or fair value through profit or loss (FVtPL) on the basis of both:

- (a) the Diocese's business model for managing the financial assets; and
- (b) the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

#### Classification of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities classified as held-for-trading, contingent consideration payable by the Diocese for the acquisition of a business, and financial liabilities designated at FVtPL, are subsequently measured at fair value.

All other financial liabilities recognised by the Diocese are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

#### Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables arise from the Diocese's transactions with its customers and are normally settled within 30 days.

Consistent with both the Diocese's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the assets, trade and other receivables are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

#### Long-term equity instruments

Long-term equity instruments comprise ordinary shares in listed entities that are not held for trading. On initial recognition, investments identified by the Diocese as long-term equity instruments are irrevocably designated (and measured) at fair value through other comprehensive income. This election has been made as the directors' believe that to otherwise recognise changes in the fair value of these investments in profit or loss would be inconsistent with the objective of holding the investments for the long term.

#### (j) Inventories

Inventories held for sale are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### (k) Property, plant and equipment

Each class of property, plant and equipment is measured at cost or fair value less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (k) Property, plant and equipment (Continued)

#### Property

Freehold land and buildings are measured at revalued amounts, being the fair value at the date of the revaluation, less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. At each reporting date the carrying amount of each asset is reviewed to ensure that it does not differ materially from the asset's fair value at reporting date. Where necessary, the asset is revalued to reflect its fair value.

Increases in the carrying amounts arising on revaluation of land and buildings are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity. To the extent that the increase reverses a decrease of the same class of asset previously recognised in profit or loss, the increase is recognised in profit or loss. Decreases that offset previous increases of the same class of asset are recognised in other comprehensive income; all other decreases are recognised in profit or loss.

#### Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is measured on the cost basis.

#### Depreciation

Land is not depreciated. The depreciable amount of all other property, plant and equipment is depreciated over their estimated useful lives commencing from the time the asset is held available for use, consistent with the estimated consumption of the economic benefits embodied in the asset.

#### (I) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and purchased assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Tax Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the aggregated statement of financial position are shown inclusive of GST.

### (m) New and revised accounting standards effective at 30 June 2021

The Diocese has applied all new and revised Australian Accounting Standards that apply to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2019, including AASB 1058 *Income of Not-for-Profit Entities* (AASB 1058) and AASB 15: *Revenue from Contracts with Customers* (AASB 15).

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

### **NOTE 2: ENTITIES IN AGGREGATION**

The following are the entities aggregated with the Diocese in this aggregated report:

Entities	ABN		Included in this aggregation	
		2021 %	2020 %	
The Apostles & St Abanoub Church, Blacktown	53 955 642 303	100	100	
St Paul & St Reweis Church, Collaroy	85 573 869 941	100	100	
St Mina & St Anthony Church, Gold Coast	90 289 364 462	100	100	
St Mary & St Luke Church, Gosford	61 861 984 981	100	100	
St Mary, St Bakhomios & St Shenouda Church, Kirrawee	40 828 692 116	100	100	
St Bakhomios Coptic School Building Fund, Kirrawee	67 755 060 974	100	100	
St Mary & St Mina Cathedral, Bexley	72 945 177 814	100	100	
St Mary & St Sidhom Bishay Church, Dural	83 669 987 632	100	100	
St Mary & St Moses Church, Bundaberg	27 924 508 043	100	100	
St Mary & St Merkorious (Abu Sefein) Church, Rhodes	92 477 472 779	100	100	
St Markorious Coptic School Building Fund, Rhodes	17 724 241 788	100	100	
St Mary and St Marina Church, Penrith	72 305 817 068	100	100	
St Mary & St George Church, Townsville	60 636 339 815	100	100	
St Mary & St Anthony Monastery, Kooralbyn	34 912 016 065	100	100	
St Mark's Church, Arncliffe	69 576 023 012	100	100	
St Mark & St George Church, North Brisbane	62 153 692 117	100	100	
St George & Prince Theodorus Church, Liverpool	26 873 693 121	100	100	
St George Church, Kensington	65 665 091 236	100	100	
St Demiana & St Athanasius Church, Punchbowl	72 289 976 098	100	100	
St Demiana & St Athanasius Church, Punchbowl	72 289 976 098	100	100	
St Barbara & St Abbanoufer El Saih Church, Campbelltown	73 797 860 219	100	100	
St Antonious & St Paul Church, Guildford	17 976 094 371	100	100	
St Paul & St Peter Church, Shellharbour	33 249 032 718	100	100	
St Maximus & St Domadius Church, Goulburn	68 953 195 662	100	100	
St Mary, St Kosman & St Demian Church, Kellyville	54 104 883 943	100	100	
St Karas The Hermit Church, Theresa Park	45 355 006 357	100	100	
St Mary & St Joseph Church, Brisbane	50 249 696 131	100	100	
St Mary & St John The Beloved Church, Wagga Wagga	36 305 090 709	100	100	
St Mary & St George Church, Newcastle	83 589 021 495	100	100	
St Mary & St Pope Kyrellos VI Church, Taree	45 770 740 591	100	100	
Virgin Mary Church Brisbane	98 307 564 468	100	100	
St Luke's Church, Sylvania	19 176 832 436	100	100	
St John the Baptist & St Elijah the Profit Church, Dubbo	40 349 713 368	100	100	
St Pope Kyrillos VI Church, Monterey	84 536 484 101	100	100	
Archangel Michael & St Bishoy Church, Mount Druitt	30 673 858 864	100	100	
Archangel Michael School Building Fund, Mount Druitt	53 287 181 065	100	100	

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

# NOTE 2: ENTITIES IN AGGREGATION (CONTINUED)

(Continued)

Entities	ABN	Included in this aggregation	
		2021 %	2020 %
St Abraam & St Mikhail Al-Behairy Church, Peakhurst	59 103 240 341	100	100
Coptic Orthodox Church (NSW) Property Trust	61 746 813 182	100	100
Almanara Charity Support	61 746 813 182	100	100
Coptic Orthodox Youth Association	70 998 106 569	100	100
Coptic Orthodox Church Outreach Society	35 131 816 531	100	100
Needy Christian Fund	68 721 348 131	100	100
St Antonious & St Paul Vacation Care Centre	38 315 787 837	100	100
St Mark's Vacation Centre	35 980 870 476	100	100
St Demiana Vacation Centre	66 099 527 246	100	100
Angelos Child Care Centre	65 128 738 287	100	100
Angel Child Care	88 121 982 974	100	100
St Cyril's Coptic Orthodox Theological College	50 716 491 489	100	100
St Mary's & St Mina's Coptic Orthodox College	12 088 041 913	100	100
St Mark's Coptic Orthodox College	64 796 481 099	100	100
St Bishoy Coptic Orthodox College	66 095 976 686	100	100
The Trustee for Coptic Benevolent Fund for Pope Shenouda, Long Point	19 428 843 006	100	100
Coptic Orthodox Church Diocese of Sydney & Affiliated Regions	61 746 813 182	100	100
St Abraam & Pope Shenouda III Church (Abba Abraam Church), Long Point	62 269 006 147	1.00	100

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	2021 \$	2020 \$
NOTE 3: REVENUE FROM CONTRACTS WITH CUSTOMERS		
Sales income		
Book shop income	319,536	215,974
Canteen income	901,759	863,944
Holy bread income	67,505	67,304
Ladies activities	679,925	478,056
Other church activities	673,947	540,888
Sunday school	30,729	75,268
Uniform	42,115	43,617
Youth income	81,168	76,739
Student tuition and other activity fees	5,557,730	5,360,904
Vacation care centre fees	1,521,245	1,271,900
Membership fees	147,439	90,540
	_10,023,098	9,085,134
	10,023,098	9,085,134
NOTE 4: OTHER REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME Interest income Donations Government grants Boxes and plates Sunday School Building Funds Other DGR funds Cash flow boosts JobKeeper income	84,940 7,378,838 16,477,538 3,349,500 9,985,055 1,604,143 262,899 921,400	274,328 6,087,430 19,081,800 2,783,958 9,089,594 994,391 190,799 375,860
Other income	667,810	827,803
Vacation centre government assistance & other income Rental income	876,749 <u>1,980,342</u>	831,082 1,877,295
	43,589,214	42,414,340
NOTE 5: OPERATING PROFIT		
Profit before income tax has been determined after:		
Cost of sales	185,550	19,553
Finance costs	1,403,899	2,184,366
Depreciation	2,332,121	1,660,108
Bad and doubtful debts	43,332	58,633

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	2021 \$	2020 \$
NOTE 5: OPERATING PROFIT (CONTINUED)		
Rental expense on operating leases	612,735	553,850
Employee benefits	20,154,419	18,351,400
Net loss on disposal of non-current assets		
- (Gain)/Loss on sale of property, plant and equipment	(3,285,082)	2,213,709
NOTE 6: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
Cash on hand	82,105	32,688
Cash at bank	30,169,863	21,328,169
Cash on deposit	14,302,563	17,098,114
	44,554,531	38,458,971
NOTE 7: RECEIVABLES		
CURRENT		
Receivables from contracts with customers	2,405,654	2,183,064
Allowance for credit losses	(120,000)	(229,096)
	2,285,654	1,953,968
Other receivables	233,035	(135,153)
	2,518,689	1,818,815
NON CURRENT		
Loans to related parties	797,337	797,337
Loan is receivable from a related party in which the diocese has an investment in Note 9. The loan is interest free.	ent recorded as a	financial asset
NOTE 8: INVENTORIES		
CURRENT		
At cost		
Finished goods	675,735	686,513

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

2021	2020
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#### **NOTE 9: OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS**

**NON CURRENT** 

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Shares in related companies

2,249,764 2,249,764

All financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are designated on initial recognition. The entity owns 66% of the proprietary company and have assessed that they do not control the investment and further advised that they do not intend to control the investment and have not consolidated the results of the related company. The only material asset of the related company is land which is in the process of being sold. The related company will be wound up following the sale of the land.

### NOTE 10: PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

#### Land and buildings

At valuation	231,085,160	217,787,083
Accumulated depreciation	(10,569,922)	(9,230,270)
	220,515,238	208,556,813
Plant and equipment		
Plant and equipment at cost	7,847,848	7,596,001
Accumulated depreciation	(4,153,758)	(3,651,481)
	3,694,090	3,944,520
Motor vehicles at cost	2,124,625	1,996,391
Accumulated depreciation	(1,399,748)	(1,175,043)
	724,877	821,348
Other fixed assets at cost	806,706	798,451
Accumulated depreciation	(59,944)	(56,603)
	746,762	741,848
Furniture, fixtures and fittings at cost	5,389,319	5,144,475
Accumulated depreciation	(3,266,821)	(3,041,905)
	2,122,498	2,102,570
Altars and icons at cost	1,702,223	1,690,049
Accumulated depreciation	(944,275)	(926,218)
	757,948	763,831
Total plant and equipment	8,046,175	8,374,117
Total property, plant and equipment	228,561,413	216,930,930

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	2021 \$	2020 \$
NOTE 10: PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)		
(a) Reconciliations		
Land and buildings		
Opening carrying amount	208,556,812	2
Additions	15,193,213	\$50
Disposals	_(3,234,787)	
Closing carrying amount	220,515,238	
Plant and equipment		
Opening carrying amount	3,944,520	20
Additions	251,847	\$5
Depreciation expense	(502,277)	
Closing carrying amount	3,694,090	
Motor vehicles		
Opening carrying amount	821,348	Ş
Additions	146,291	55
Depreciation expense	(242,762)	
Closing carrying amount	724,877	
Other fixed assets		
Opening carrying amount	741,489	¥2
Additions	131,482	*
Depreciation expense	(126,209)	
Closing carrying amount	746,762	
Furniture, fixtures and fittings		
Opening carrying amount	2,102,570	
Additions	244,844	
Depreciation expense	(224,916)	
Closing carrying amount	2,122,498	
Altars and icons at cost		
Opening carrying amount	763,831	
Additions	12,174	*
Depreciation expense	(18,057)	
Closing carrying amount	757,948	

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	2021 \$	2020 \$
NOTE 11: OTHER ASSETS		
CURRENT Prepayments Other current assets	99,197 653,545 752,742	27,966 795,359 823,325
NON CURRENT Other non-current assets	1,067,419	354,632
NOTE 12: PAYABLES		
CURRENT Unsecured liabilities		
Trade creditors Sundry creditors and accruals	93,185 4,100,490	49,631 4,061,092
Loans from congregations	708,419 4,902,094	482,919 4,593,642
NON CURRENT Unsecured liabilities		
Other payables	1,242,394	1,726,799
NOTE 13: BORROWINGS		
CURRENT		
Secured liabilities Bank loans	2,740,839	6,313,184
NON CURRENT		
Secured liabilities Bank loans	54,788,433	52,018,835

### (a) Assets pledged as security

Bank Loans are secured by a charge over some of the properties owned by the Coptic Orthodox Church (NSW) Property Trust.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	2021 \$	2020 \$
NOTE 14: OTHER LIABILITIES		
CURRENT Contract liabilities	154,654	144,385
NOTE 15: RESERVES		
Asset revaluation reserve	14,534,033 14,534,033	14,576,211 14,576,211

The asset revaluation reserve is used to record increments and decrements on the revaluation of non-current assets.

### **NOTE 16: ACCUMULATED SURPLUS**

Accumulated surplus at beginning of year	182,747,231	168,271,603
Net profit	20,067,952	14,475,628
	202,815,183	182,747,231

#### **NOTE 17: CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

A contingent liability exists for the Bishoy Coptic Orthodox College ("College") which is dependent on the grants it receives from the State and Commonwealth Governments in order to continue its operations as an educational institution. The College is currently being investigated by the NSW Department of Education in relation to potential breaches of section 83C of the *Education Act 1990* (NSW) (the Act).

While the NSW Department of Education's investigation is ongoing, the financial implications for the College in terms of any potential impact to future government funding is significantly uncertain. Potential implications include refunds of government grants received or a reduction in the future level of grants.

### NOTE 18: EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORTING DATE

There has been no matter or circumstance, which has arisen since 30 June 2021 that has significantly affected or may significantly affect:

- (a) the operations, in financial years subsequent to 30 June 2021, of the Diocese, or
- (b) the results of those operations, or
- (c) the state of affairs, in financial years subsequent to 30 June 2021, of the Diocese.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

#### **NOTE 19: ENTITY DETAILS**

The registered office of the Diocese is:

Coptic Orthodox Church Diocese of Sydney and Affiliated Regions Level 3, 91 George Street Parramatta Sydney NSW 2150

#### **DECLARATION BY THE TRUSTEES**

### The trustees declare that:

- 1. there are reasonable grounds to believe that the diocese is able to pay all of its debts, as and when they become due and payable; and
- 2. the financial statements and notes satisfy the requirements of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*.

Signed in accordance with subsection 60.15(2) of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profit Commission Regulation 2013*.

Trustee member

V. Rev. Fr. Matthew Attia

Vicar General

Coptic Orthodox Church - Diocese of Sydney & Affiliated Regions

Trustee member.

Mark Kirollos

Trustee

Coptic Orthodox Church - Diocese of Sydney & Affiliated Regions

Dated this

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# COPTIC ORTHODOX CHURCH - DIOCESE OF SYDNEY AND AFFILIATED REGIONS ABN: 61 746 813 182

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE TRUSTEES OF COPTIC ORTHODOX CHURCH DIOCESE OF SYDNEY AND AFFILIATED
REGIONS

#### Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial report, being a special purpose financial report of Coptic Orthodox Church Diocese of Sydney and Affiliated Regions , "the Diocese", which comprises the aggregated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2021, the aggregated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and aggregated statement of changes in members funds for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the declaration by the trustees.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of Coptic Orthodox Church Diocese of Sydney and Affiliated Regions, is in accordance with Division 60 of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the Diocese's financial position as at 30 June 2021 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013.

#### 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 Diocese in accordance with the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012* "ACNC Act" and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* "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.

#### Emphasis of Matter - Basis of Accounting

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist Coptic Orthodox Church Diocese of Sydney and Affiliated Regions to meet the requirements of the ACNC Act. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.







# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF COPTIC ORTHODOX CHURCH DIOCESE OF SYDNEY AND AFFILIATED REGIONS

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

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the ACNC Act and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, management is responsible for assessing the Diocese's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Diocese or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Diocese's financial reporting process.

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 the 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 this 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 Diocese's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the trustees.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the trustees' 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 Diocese'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 Diocese 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.



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Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report (Continued)

We communicate with the trustees 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.

Rod Shanley

Partner

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22 December 2021