

**Form AR21**  
**Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992**

**Trade Union's details**

Name of Trade Union:

Skyshare

Year ended:

31 December 2018

List number:

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Head or Main Office address:

6 Fins Villas  
Luton Road  
Toddington  
LU5 6DU

Has the address changed during the year to which the return relates?

Yes

No

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(Tick as appropriate)

Website address (if available)

www.skyshare.eu

General Secretary:

Heather McCann

Telephone Number:

01525 634773 or 07762055202

Contact name for queries regarding the completion of this return:

Heather McCann

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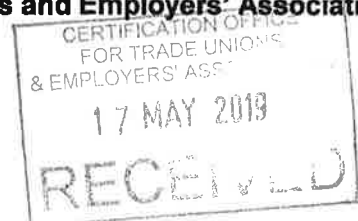
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## Return of members

(see notes 10 and 11)

	Number of members at the end of the year				
	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	Irish Republic	Elsewhere Abroad (including Channel Islands)	Totals
Male	55	3	5	258	321
Female	22	0	3	38	63
Total	77	3	8	296	<b>A</b> 384

Number of members at end of year contributing to the General Fund

384

Number of members included in totals box 'A' above for whom no home or authorised address is held:

0

## Change of officers

Please complete the following to record any changes of officers during the twelve months covered by this return.

Position held	Name of Officer ceasing to hold office	Name of Officer Appointed	Date of change
No Changes			

State whether the union is:

a. A branch of another trade union?

Yes ☐

No ☒

If yes, state the name of that other

b. A federation of trade unions?

Yes ☐

No ☒

If yes, state the number of affiliated

and names:

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**Skyshare**  
31/12/2018

**List of Officers at 31 December 2018**

**Chairman**  
Spencer Davies

**General Secretary**  
Heather McCann

**Other Executive Members**  
Richard Yeomans  
Francois Poncot  
Mike Jenvey  
Ronnie Keersmaekers  
Andreas Fuchs

No changes from prior year

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**General fund**  
(see notes 13 to 18)

	£	£
<b>Income</b>		
From Members: Contributions and Subscriptions		48,115
From Members: Other income from members (specify)		
<b>Total other income from members</b>		
<b>Total of all income from members</b>		48,115
<b>Investment income (as at page 12)</b>		
<b>Other Income</b>		
Income from Federations and other bodies (as at page 4)		
Income from any other sources (as at page 4)		
<b>Total of other income (as at page 4)</b>		
	<b>Total income</b>	48,115
<b>Expenditure</b>		
Benefits to members (as at page 5)		
Administrative expenses (as at page 10)		34,844
Federation and other bodies (specify)		
<b>Total expenditure Federation and other bodies</b>		
<b>Taxation</b>		
	<b>Total expenditure</b>	34,844
Surplus (deficit) for year		13,271
Amount of general fund at beginning of year		114,267
Amount of general fund at end of year		127,538

### Analysis of income from federation and other bodies and other income

(see notes 19 and 20)

Description	£	£
Federation and other bodies		
Total federation and other bodies		
Other income		
Total other income		
Total of all other income		

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**Analysis of benefit expenditure shown at general fund**  
(see notes 21 to 23)

	£		£
Representation – Employment Related Issues		<b>brought forward</b>	
		Education and Training services	
Representation – Non Employment Related Issues			
		Negotiated Discount Services	
Communications			
		Salary Costs	
Advisory Services			
		Other Benefits and Grants (specify)	
Dispute Benefits			
Other Cash Payments			
<b>carried forward</b>		<b>Total (should agree with figure in General Fund)</b>	

## Accounts other than the revenue account/general fund

(see notes 21 to 23)

Fund 2		Fund Account	
Name:		£	£
<b>Income</b>			
From members			
Investment income (as at page 12)			
Other income (specify)			
	<b>Total other income as specified</b>		
	<b>Total Income</b>		
<b>Expenditure</b>			
Benefits to members			
Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)			
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>		
	<b>Surplus (Deficit) for the year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at beginning of year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)</b>		
	<b>Number of members contributing at end of year</b>		

Fund 3		Fund Account	
Name:		£	£
<b>Income</b>			
From members			
Investment income (as at page 12)			
Other income (specify)			
	<b>Total other income as specified</b>		
	<b>Total Income</b>		
<b>Expenditure</b>			
Benefits to members			
Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)			
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>		
	<b>Surplus (Deficit) for the year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at beginning of year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)</b>		
	<b>Number of members contributing at end of year</b>		

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(See notes 21 to 23)

<b>Fund 4</b>		<b>Fund Account</b>	
<b>Name:</b>		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Income</b>	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	<b>Total other income as specified</b>		
	<b>Total Income</b>		
<b>Expenditure</b>	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>		
	<b>Surplus (Deficit) for the year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at beginning of year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)</b>		
	<b>Number of members contributing at end of year</b>		

<b>Fund 5</b>		<b>Fund Account</b>	
<b>Name:</b>		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Income</b>	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	<b>Total other income as specified</b>		
	<b>Total Income</b>		
<b>Expenditure</b>	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>		
	<b>Surplus (Deficit) for the year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at beginning of year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)</b>		
	<b>Number of members contributing at end of year</b>		

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(See notes 21 to 23)

Fund 6		Fund Account	
Name:		£	£
<b>Income</b>			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	<b>Total other income as specified</b>		
	<b>Total Income</b>		
<b>Expenditure</b>			
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>		
	<b>Surplus (Deficit) for the year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at beginning of year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)</b>		
	<b>Number of members contributing at end of year</b>		

Fund 7		Fund Account	
Name:		£	£
<b>Income</b>			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	<b>Total other income as specified</b>		
	<b>Total Income</b>		
<b>Expenditure</b>			
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>		
	<b>Surplus (Deficit) for the year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at beginning of year</b>		
	<b>Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)</b>		
	<b>Number of members contributing at end of year</b>		

## Political fund account

(see notes 24 to 33)

<b>Political fund account 1</b>		<b>To be completed by trade unions which maintain their own political fund</b>	
<b>Income</b>	Members contributions and levies Investment income (as at page 12) Other income (specify)	£ £ £	
	Total other income as specified		
	Total income		
Expenditure under section (82) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 on purposes set out in section (72) (1) where consolidation of expenditures from the political funds exceeds £2,000 during the period			
Expenditure A (as at page i)		£	
Expenditure B (as at page ii)		£	
Expenditure C (as at page iii)		£	
Expenditure D (as at page iv)		£	
Expenditure E (as at page v)		£	
Expenditure F (as at page vi)		£	
Non-political expenditure (as at page vii)		£	
	Total expenditure		
	Surplus (deficit) for year		
	Amount of political fund at beginning of year		
	Amount of political fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)		
	Number of members at end of year contributing to the political fund		
	Number of members at end of the year not contributing to the political fund		
	Number of members at end of year who have completed an exemption notice and do not therefore contribute to the political fund		

<b>Political fund account 2</b>		<b>To be completed by trade unions which act as components of a central trade</b>	
<b>Income</b>	Contributions and levies collected from members on behalf of central political fund Funds received back from central political fund Other income (specify)	£ £ £	
	Total other income as specified		
	Total income		
<b>Expenditure</b>	Expenditure under section 82 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 (specify)	£	
	Administration expenses in connection with political objects (specify)	£	
	Non-political expenditure	£	
	Total expenditure		
	Surplus (deficit) for year		
	Amount held on behalf of trade union political fund at beginning of		
	Amount remitted to central political fund		
	Amount held on behalf of central political fund at end of year		
	Number of members at end of year contributing to the political fund		
	Number of members at end of the year not contributing to the political fund		
	Number of members at end of year who have completed an exemption notice and do not therefore contribute to the political fund		

**The following pages 9i to 9vii relate to the Political Fund Account Expenditure**

### Political fund account expenditure (a)

**Expenditure under section 72 (1) (a) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (consolidation) Act.**

To be completed where total expenditure from the political fund exceeds £2,000 during the period to which return relates.

**Contribution to the funds of, or on the payment of expenses incurred directly or indirectly by a political party**

Name of political party in relation to which money was expended	Total amount spent during the period £
<b>Total</b>	

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### Political fund account expenditure (b)

**Expenditure under section 72 (1) (b) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act.**

To be completed where total expenditure from the political fund exceeds £2,000 during the period to which return relates.

<b>Expenditure of money on the provision of any services or property for use by or on behalf of any political party</b>	
<b>Name of political party to which payment was made</b>	<b>Total amount paid during the period £</b>
<b>Total</b>	

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## Political fund account expenditure (c)

Expenditure under section 72 (1) (c) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act.

To be completed where total expenditure from the political fund exceeds £2,000  
during the period to which return relates.

Expenditure in connection with the registration of electors, the candidature of any person, the selection of any candidate or the holding of any ballot by the union in connection with any election to a political office

Title and Date of election	Name of political party/organisation	Name of candidate, organisation or political party (see note 33(iii))	£
<b>Total</b>			

### Political fund account expenditure (d)

**Expenditure under section 72 (1) (d) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (consolidation) Act.**

**To be completed where total expenditure from the political fund exceeds £2,000 during the period to which return relates.**

<b>Expenditure on the maintenance of any holder of political office</b>	
<b>Name of office holder</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Total</b>	

### Political fund account expenditure (e)

**Expenditure under section 72 (1) (e) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (consolidation) Act.**

To be completed where total expenditure from the political fund exceeds £2,000 during the period to which return relates.

The expenditure of money on the holding of any conference or meeting by or on behalf of a political party or of any other meeting the main purpose of which is the transaction of business in connection with a political party

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**Political fund account expenditure (f)**

**Expenditure under section 72 (1) (f) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (consolidation) Act.**

To be completed where total expenditure from the political fund exceeds £2,000 during the period to which return relates.

On the production, publication or distribution of any literature, document, film, sound recording or advertisement the main purpose of which is to persuade people to vote for a political party or candidate or to persuade them not to vote for a political party or candidate

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**Expenditure from the political fund not falling within section 72(1) of the trade union & labour relations (consolidation) act 1992**

**For expenditure not falling within section 72(1) the required information is-**

<b>(a) the nature of each cause or campaign for which money was expended, and the total amount expended in relation to each one</b>	<b>£</b>
Total	
Total expenditure	
<b>(b) the name of each organisation to which money was paid (otherwise than for a particular cause or campaign), and the total amount paid to each one</b>	<b>£</b>
Total	
Total expenditure	
<b>(c ) the total amount of all other money expended</b>	<b>£</b>
Total	
Total expenditure	

**Analysis of administrative expenses and other outgoings excluding amounts  
charged to political fund accounts**  
(see notes 34 and 35)

		£
<b>Administrative Expenses</b>		
Remuneration and expenses of staff		
Salaries and Wages included in above	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 20px; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;">£</div>	
Auditors' fees		6,510
Legal and Professional fees		24,404
Occupancy costs		
Stationery, printing, postage, telephone, etc.		
Expenses of Executive Committee (Head Office)		2,372
Expenses of conferences		
Other administrative expenses (specify)		
Website Maintenance		892
Bank Charges		765
Profit on Exchange		(99)
<b>Other Outgoings</b>		
Interest payable:		
Bank loans (including overdrafts)		
Mortgages		
Other loans		
Depreciation		
Taxation		
Outgoings on land and buildings (specify)		
Other outgoings (specify)		
<b>Total</b>		<b>34,844</b>
Charged to:		
General Fund (Page 3)		34,844
Fund (Account )		
Fund (Account )		
Fund (Account )		
Fund (Account )		
<b>Total</b>		<b>34,844</b>

(see notes 36 to 46)

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(see notes 47 and 48)

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# Balance sheet as at

31 December 2018

(see notes 49 to 52)

Previous Year		£	£
	<b>Fixed Assets</b> (at page 14)		
	<b>Investments</b> (as per analysis on page 15)		
	Quoted (Market value £ )		
	Unquoted		
	<b>Total Investments</b>		
	<b>Other Assets</b>		
	Loans to other trade unions		
	Sundry debtors		
131,840	Cash at bank and in hand		147,339
	Income tax to be recovered		
	Stocks of goods		
	Others (specify)		
131,840	<b>Total of other assets</b>		147,339
131,840	<b>Total assets</b>		147,339
114,267	Fund (Account )		127,538
	Fund (Account )		
	Fund (Account )		
	Superannuation Fund (Account )		
	Political Fund (Account )		
	Revaluation Reserve		
	<b>Liabilities</b>		
	Amount held on behalf of central trade union political fund		
	Loans: From other trade unions		
	Loans: Other		
	Bank overdraft		
	Tax payable		
12,173	Sundry creditors		12,410
5,400	Accrued expenses		7,391
	Provisions		
	Other liabilities		
17,573	<b>Total liabilities</b>		19,801
131,840	<b>Total assets</b>		147,339

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## Fixed assets account

(see notes 53 to 57)

	Land and Buildings Freehold    Leasehold £                    £		Furniture and Equipment £	Motor Vehicles £	Not used for union business £	Total £
<b>Cost or Valuation</b>						
At start of year						
Additions						
Disposals						
Revaluation/Transfers						
At end of year						
<b>Accumulated Depreciation</b>						
At start of year						
Charges for year						
Disposals						
Revaluation/Transfers						
At end of year						
<b>Net book value at end of year</b>						
<b>Net book value at end of previous year</b>						

# **Analysis of investments** (see notes 58 and 59)

<b>Quoted</b>		<b>All Funds Except Political Funds £</b>	<b>Political Fund £</b>
	Equities (e.g. Shares)		
	Government Securities (Gilts)		
	Other quoted securities (to be specified)		
	<b>Total quoted (as Balance Sheet)</b>		
	Market Value of Quoted Investment		
<b>Unquoted</b>	Equities		
	Government Securities (Gilts)		
	Mortgages		
	Bank and Building Societies		
	Other unquoted investments (to be specified)		
	<b>Total unquoted (as Balance Sheet)</b>		
	Market Value of Unquoted Investments		

**Analysis of investment income (controlling interests)**  
(see notes 60 and 61)

<b>Does the union, or any constituent part of the union, have a controlling interest in any limited company?</b>		YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If YES name the relevant companies:			
Company name	Company registration number (if not registered in England & Wales, state where registered)		
<b>Are the shares which are controlled by the union registered in the names of the union's trustees?</b>		YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
If NO, state the names of the persons in whom the shares controlled by the union are registered.			
Company name	Names of shareholders		

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## Summary sheet

(see notes 62 to 73)

	All funds except Political Funds £	Political Funds £	Total Funds £
<b>Income</b>			
From Members	48,115		48,115
From Investments			
Other Income (including increases by revaluation of assets)			
<b>Total Income</b>	48,115		48,115
<b>Expenditure</b> (including decreases by revaluation of assets)	34,844		34,844
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	34,844		34,844
<b>Funds at beginning of year</b> (including reserves)	114,267		114,267
<b>Funds at end of year</b> (including reserves)	127,538		127,538
<b>Assets</b>			
Fixed Assets			
Investment Assets			
Other Assets			147,339
<b>Total Assets</b>			147,339
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>Total Liabilities</b>			19,801
<b>Net assets (Total Assets less Total Liabilities)</b>			127,538

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## Information on Industrial action ballots

(see notes 74 to 80)

**Did the union hold any ballots in respect of industrial action during the return period?**

**YES**

**NO**

If Yes How many ballots were held:

For each ballot held please complete the information below:

### Ballot 1

Number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot

#### Number of votes cast in the ballot

Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question  1

Number of Individuals answering "No" to the question  2

Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned  3

**\* 1-3 should total "Number of votes cast in the ballot"**

Were the number of votes cast in the ballot at least 50% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)? Y / N

If yes, were the number of individuals answering "Yes" to the question (or each question) at least 40% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

### Ballot 2

Number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot

#### Number of votes cast in the ballot

Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question  1

Number of Individuals answering "No" to the question  2

Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned  3

**\* 1-3 should total "Number of votes cast in the ballot"**

Were the number of votes cast in the ballot at least 50% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)? Y / N

If yes, were the number of individuals answering "Yes" to the question (or each question) at least 40% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

**For additional ballots please continue on next page**

**Ballot 3**

Number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot

**Number of votes cast in the ballot**

Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question  1

Number of Individuals answering "No" to the question  2

Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned  3

**\* 1-3 should total "Number of votes cast in the ballot"**

Were the number of votes cast in the ballot at least 50% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)? Y / N

If yes, were the number of individuals answering "Yes" to the question (or each question) at least 40% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

**Ballot 4**

Number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot

**Number of votes cast in the ballot**

Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question  1

Number of Individuals answering "No" to the question  2

Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned  3

**\* 1-3 should total "Number of votes cast in the ballot"**

Were the number of votes cast in the ballot at least 50% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)? Y / N

If yes, were the number of individuals answering "Yes" to the question (or each question) at least 40% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

**Ballot 5**

Number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot

**Number of votes cast in the ballot**

Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question  1

Number of Individuals answering "No" to the question  2

Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned  3

**\* 1-3 should total "Number of votes cast in the ballot"**

Were the number of votes cast in the ballot at least 50% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)? Y / N

If yes, were the number of individuals answering "Yes" to the question (or each question) at least 40% of the number of individuals who were entitled to vote in the ballot Y / N

Use a continuation sheet if necessary

## Information on Industrial action

(see note 81)

### \*Categories of Nature of Trade Dispute :

A: terms and conditions of employment, or the physical conditions in which any workers are required to work;

B: engagement or non-engagement, or termination or suspension of employment or the duties of employment, of one or more workers;

C: allocation of work or the duties of employment between workers or groups of workers;

D: matters of discipline;

E: a worker's membership or non-membership of a trade union;

F: facilities for officials of trade unions;

G: machinery for negotiation or consultation, and other procedures, relating to any of the above matters, including the recognition by employers or employers' associations of the right of a trade union to represent workers in such negotiation or consultation or in the carrying out of such procedures

### Did Union members take industrial action during the return period in response to any inducement on the part of the Union? ~~YES~~ / ☒ NO

If YES, for each industrial action taken please complete the information below:

#### Industrial Action 1

1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories\* below:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

4. Nature of industrial action. Strike Action / Action Short of a Strike (delete one as appropriate)

#### Industrial Action 2

1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories\* below:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

4. Nature of industrial action. Strike Action / Action Short of a Strike (delete one as appropriate)

#### Industrial Action 3

1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories\* below:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

4. Nature of industrial action. Strike Action / Action Short of a Strike (delete one as appropriate)

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**Industrial Action 4**

1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories\* below:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

4. Nature of industrial action. Strike Action / Action Short of a Strike (delete one as appropriate)

**Industrial Action 5**

1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories\* below:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

4. Nature of industrial action. Strike Action / Action Short of a Strike (delete one as appropriate)

**Industrial Action 6**

1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories\* below:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

4. Nature of industrial action. Strike Action / Action Short of a Strike (delete one as appropriate)

**Industrial Action 7**

1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories\* below:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

4. Nature of industrial action. Strike Action / Action Short of a Strike (delete one as appropriate)

**Industrial Action 8**

1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories\* below:

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

4. Nature of industrial action. Strike Action / Action Short of a Strike (delete one as appropriate)

**Notes to the accounts**

(see notes 82 and 83)

**All notes to the accounts must be entered on or attached to this part of the return.**

None

**SKYSHARE  
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2018**

**ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**a. Basis of preparation of financial statements**

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom accounting standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 – 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland ('FRS 102').

The preparation of financial statements in compliance with FRS 102 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise judgement in applying the Union's accounting policies.

**b. Going concern**

The Executive Committee have reviewed the performance of the Union, the ongoing membership numbers and their expectations for 2019 onwards and believe the Union has sufficient cash resources to continue to operate as a going concern for the foreseeable future.

**c. Subscriptions and Other Income**

Subscriptions and other income are accounted for under the accruals concept. Subscriptions are recognised as they fall due except that arrears of subscriptions, which are not considered to be material in amount, are not included until received.

**d. Foreign Currencies**

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet.

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the average exchange rate for the period

Exchange gains and losses are recognised in the income and expenditure account.

**e. Financial Instruments**

The Union only enters into basic financial instruments transactions that result in the recognition of financial assets and liabilities like trade and other accounts receivable and payable.

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08 MAY 2019

## Accounting policies

(see notes 84 and 85)

Attached

## Signatures to the annual return

(see notes 86 and 87)

including the accounts and balance sheet contained in the return. Please send the return with the original signatures. Copies will not be accepted.

Secretary's Signature:

*Heather McCann*

Name: *Heather McCann*

Date: *4<sup>th</sup> May 2019*

Chairman's Signature:

(or other official whose position should be stated)

*Spencer David*

Name: *SPENCER DAVID*

Date: *5 MAY 2019*

## Checklist

(see notes 88 and 89)

(please tick as appropriate)

Has the return of change of officers been completed? (see Page 2 and Note 12)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
Has the list of officers in post been completed? (see Page 2a and Note 12)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
Has the return been signed? (see Pages 23 and 25 and Notes 86 and 95)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
Has the auditor's report been completed? (see Pages 24 and 25 and Notes 2 and 92)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
Is a rule book enclosed? (see Notes 8 and 88)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
A member's statement is: (see Note 104)	Enclosed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	To follow	
Has the summary sheet been completed? (see Page 17 and Notes 7 and 62)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	
Has the membership audit certificate been completed? (see Page i to iii and Notes 97 to 103)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	

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## **Checklist for auditor's report**

(see notes 90 to 96)

**The checklist below is for guidance. A report is still required either set out overleaf or by way of an attached auditor's report that covers the 1992 Act requirements.**

1. In the opinion of the auditors or auditor do the accounts they have audited and which are contained in this return give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate?  
(See section 36(1) and (2) of the 1992 Act and notes 92 and 93)

Please explain in your report overleaf or attached. YES

2. Are the auditors or auditor of the opinion that the union has complied with section 28 of the 1992 Act and has:

- a. kept proper accounting records with respect to its transactions and its assets and liabilities; and
- b. established and maintained a satisfactory system of control of its accounting records, its cash holding and all its receipts and remittances.

(See section 36(4) of the 1992 Act set out in note 92)

Please explain in your report overleaf or attached. YES

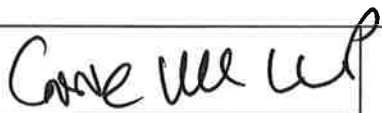
3. Your auditors or auditor must include in their report the following wording:

**In our opinion the financial statements:**

- give a true and fair view of the state of the matters which they relate to
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the sections 28,32 and 36 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (consolidation) Act 1992.

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## Auditor's report (continued)

Signature(s) of auditor or auditors:		
Name(s):	<b>Crowe U.K. LLP</b>	
Profession(s) or Calling(s):	<b>Statutory Auditor</b>	
Address(es):	Black Country House Rounds Green Road Oldbury B69 2DG	
Date:	<u>13 May 2019</u>	
Contact name for enquiries and telephone number:	Dave Darlaston 0121 543 1900	

N.B. When notes to the accounts are referred to in the auditor's report a copy of those notes must accompany this return.

## **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SKYSHARE**

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Skyshare for the year ended 31 December 2018 which comprise the General Fund Income Statement, the Balance Sheet and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

This report is made solely to the Union's members as a body. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Union's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Union and the Union's members as a body, for our audit work, or for the opinion we have formed.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the matters which they relate to
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the sections 28, 32 and 36 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (consolidation) Act 1992.

### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. 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 union in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, 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 opinion.

### **Conclusions relating to going concern**

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the officers' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the officers have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the union's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

### **Other information**

The officers are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, 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,

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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 we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. 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.

### **Matters on which we are required to report by exception**

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Trades Union and Labour Relations Act 1992 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- proper accounting records have not been kept;
- a satisfactory system of control over its accounting records, cash holdings and receipts and remittances has not been maintained; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

### **Responsibilities of officers**

As explained more fully in the statement of officers' responsibility set out on page 24, the officers are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the officers determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

We have been appointed as auditor under section 33 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations Act 1992 and report in accordance with section 36 of that Act.

In preparing the financial statements, the officers are responsible for assessing the union'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 the officers either intend to liquidate the union or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

### **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 (UK) 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.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: [www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities](http://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities). This description forms part of our auditor's report.

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**Membership audit certificate**  
**made in accordance with section 24ZD of the**  
**Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992**  
(See notes 97 to 103)

At the end of the reporting period preceding the one to which this audit relates was the total membership of the trade union greater than 10,000?

YES/NO ☐

If "YES" please complete SECTION ONE below or provide the equivalent information on a separate document to be submitted with the completed AR21.

If "NO" please complete SECTION TWO below or provide the equivalent information on a separate document to be submitted with the completed AR21

**Membership audit certificate**

**Section one**

*For a trade union with more than 10,000 members, required by section 24ZB of the 1992 Act to appoint an independent assurer*

1. In the opinion of the assurer appointed by the trade union was the union's system for compiling and maintaining its register of the names and addresses of its members satisfactory to secure, so far as is reasonably practicable, that the entries in its register were accurate and up-to-date throughout the reporting period?

YES/NO

2. In the opinion of the assurer has he/she obtained the information and explanations necessary for the performance of his/her functions?

YES/NO

If the answer to **either** questions 1 or 2 above is "NO" the assurer must:

- (a) set out below the assurer's reasons for stating that
- (b) provide a description of the information or explanation requested or required which has not been obtained
- (c) state whether the assurer required that information or those explanations from the union's officers, or officers of any of its branches or sections under section 24ZE of the 1992 Act
- (d) send a copy of this certificate to the Certification Officer as soon as is reasonably practicable after it is provided to the union.

**Membership audit certificate (continued)**

Signature of assurer	Not Applicable
Name	
Address	
Date	
Contact name and telephone number	

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**Membership audit certificate**  
**Section two**

For a trade union with no **more than 10,000 members** at the end of the reporting period preceding the one to which this audit relates.

To the best of your knowledge and belief has the trade union during this reporting period complied with its duty to compile and maintain a register of the names and addresses of its members and secured, so far as is reasonably practicable, that the entries in the register are accurate and up-to-date?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If "NO" Please explain below:

Signature	<i>Heather McCann</i>
Name	<i>Heather McCann</i>
Office held	<i>General Secretary</i>
Date	<i>4<sup>th</sup> May 2019</i>