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Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992

ANNUAL RETURN FOR AN EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION

Name of Employers' Association:	British Printing Industries Federation Limited
Year ended:	31 March 2016
List No:	CO/1590/E
Head or Main Office:	Unit 2 Villiers Court Meriden Business Park Copse Drive Coventry CV5 9RN
Website address (if available)	www.britishprint.com
Has the address changed during the year to which the return relates?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Tick as appropriate)
Chief Executive:	Charles Jarrold
Contact name for queries regarding the completion of this return:	Stephen Oldham FCCA
Telephone Number:	01676 526048
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PLEASE FOLLOW THE GUIDANCE NOTES IN THE COMPLETION OF THIS RETURN.
Any difficulties or problems in the completion of this return should be directed to the Certification Office as below or by telephone to: 020 7210 3734

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22nd Floor, Euston Tower, 286 Euston Road, London NW1 3JJ

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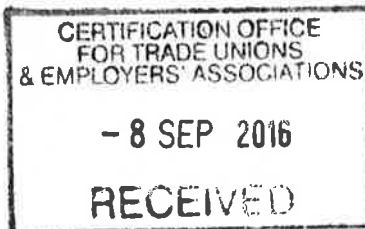


British Printing Industries Federation Limited

Certification Office Return of Officers

Directors in Post at 31 March 2016

Chief Executive	Charles Jarrold
Finance Director	Peter Allen
Membership Director	Dale Wallis
President	Gerald White
Non-Executive Director	Darren Coxon
Non-Executive Director	Jacqueline Sidebottom-Every
Non-Executive Director	James Buffoni
Non-Executive Director	Ian Wilton



RETURN OF MEMBERS

(see note 9)

NUMBER OF MEMBERS AT THE END OF THE YEAR				
Great Britain	Northern Ireland	Irish Republic	Elsewhere Abroad (including Channel Islands)	TOTALS
1,111	26	1	1	1,139

OFFICERS IN POST

(see note 10)

Please attach as an annexe to this form a complete list of all officers in post at the end of the year to which this form relates, with the title of each persons office.

CHANGE OF OFFICERS

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

Title of Office	Name of Officer ceasing to hold office	Name of Officer Appointed	Date of Change
Non-Executive Director	Gary Peeling	None	20 January 2016
Non-Executive Director	Nigel Stublely	None	7 September 2015
Non-Executive Director	None	Ian Wilton	25 August 2015
Non-Executive Director	None	Jacqueline Sidebottom-Every	25 August 2015
Non-Executive Director	None	James Buffoni	25 August 2015

GENERAL FUND

(see notes 11 to 16)

Previous Year		£	£
2,266,283	INCOME From Members Subscriptions		2,251,768
	Investment income Interest and dividends (gross) Bank interest (gross) Other (specify)		
2,266,283	Other income Rents received Insurance commission Consultancy fees Publications/Seminars Miscellaneous receipts (specify)		2,251,768
2,266,283			2,251,768
2,266,283	TOTAL INCOME		2,251,768
	EXPENDITURE Administrative expenses		
	Remuneration and expenses of staff Occupancy costs Printing, Stationery, Post Telephones Legal and Professional fees Management Charges		(2,251,768)
(2,266,283)			(2,251,768)
(2,266,283)	Other charges Bank charges Depreciation Sums written off Affiliation fees Donations Conference and meeting fees Expenses Miscellaneous (specify)		(2,251,768)
(2,266,283)			(2,251,768)
-	Taxation		-
(2,266,283)	TOTAL EXPENDITURE		(2,251,768)
-	Surplus/Deficit for year		-
-	Amount of fund at beginning of year		-
-	Amount of fund at end of year		-

ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

ACCOUNT 2		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£	£
Income	From members Investment income Other income (specify)		
		Total Income	
Expenditure	Administrative expenses Other expenditure (specify)		
		Total Expenditure	
		Surplus (Deficit) for the year	
		Amount of fund at beginning of year	
		Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)	

ACCOUNT 3		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£	£
Income	From members Investment income Other income (specify)		
		Total Income	
Expenditure	Administrative expenses Other expenditure (specify)		
		Total Expenditure	
		Surplus (Deficit) for the year	
		Amount of fund at beginning of year	
		Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)	

ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

ACCOUNT 4		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£	£
Income	From members Investment income Other income (specify)		
	Total Income		
Expenditure	Administrative expenses Other expenditure (specify)		
	Total Expenditure		
	Surplus (Deficit) for the year		
	Amount of fund at beginning of year		
	Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)		

ACCOUNT 5		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£	£
Income	From members Investment income Other income (specify)		
	Total Income		
Expenditure	Administrative expenses Other expenditure (specify)		
	Total Expenditure		
	Surplus (Deficit) for the year		
	Amount of fund at beginning of year		
	Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)		

ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

ACCOUNT 6		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£	£
Income	From members		
	Investment income		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total Income		
Expenditure	Administrative expenses		
	Other expenditure (specify)		
	Total Expenditure		
	Surplus (Deficit) for the year		
	Amount of fund at beginning of year		
	Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)		

ACCOUNT 7		Fund Account	
Name of account:		£	£
Income	From members		
	Investment income		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total Income		
Expenditure	Administrative expenses		
	Other expenditure (specify)		
	Total Expenditure		
	Surplus (Deficit) for the year		
	Amount of fund at beginning of year		
	Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)		

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 March 2015

(see notes 19 and 20)

Previous Year		£		£
-	Fixed Assets (as at page 11)			-
	Investments (as per analysis on page 13)			
-	Quoted (Market value £)			-
-	Unquoted			-
-	Total Investments			-
	Other Assets			
432,280	Amount owed by group undertakings			457,446
-	Cash at bank and in hand			-
-	Stocks of goods			-
-	Others (specify)			-
432,280	Total of other assets			457,446
432,280			TOTAL ASSETS	457,446
-			Fund (Account)	-
-			Fund (Account)	-
-			Fund (Account)	-
-			Revaluation Reserve	-
	Liabilities			
-	Loans			-
-	Bank overdraft			-
-	Tax payable			-
-	Sundry creditors			-
(432,280)	Accruals & deferred income			(457,446)
-	Provisions			-
-	Other liabilities			-
(432,280)			TOTAL LIABILITIES	(457,446)
-			TOTAL ASSETS	-

FIXED ASSETS ACCOUNT

(see note 21)

	Land & Buildings	Fixtures & Fittings	Motor Vehicles & Equipment	Total
	£	£	£	£
COST OR VALUATION				
At start of period	-	-	-	-
Additions during period	-	-	-	-
Less: Disposals during period	-	-	-	-
Less: DEPRECIATION:	-	-	-	-
Total to end of period	-	-	-	-
BOOK AMOUNT at end of period	-	-	-	-
Freehold	-	-	-	-
Leasehold (50 or more years unexpired)	-	-	-	-
Leasehold (less than 50 years unexpired)	-	-	-	-
AS BALANCE SHEET	-	-	-	-

ANALYSIS OF INVESTMENTS

(see note 22)

		Other Funds £	
QUOTED	- British Government & British Government Guaranteed Securities	-	
	- British Municipal and County Securities	-	
	- Other quoted securities (to be specified)	-	
	-	TOTAL QUOTED (as Balance Sheet)	-
	-	*Market Value of Quoted Investments	-
UNQUOTED	- British Government Securities	-	
	- British Municipal and County Securities	-	
	- Mortgages	-	
	- Other unquoted securities (to be specified)	-	
	-	TOTAL QUOTED (as Balance Sheet)	-
	-	*Market Value of Unquoted Investments	-

* Market value of investments to be stated where these are different from the figures quoted in the balance sheet

ANALYSIS OF INVESTMENT INCOME (CONTROLLING INTERESTS)

(see notes 23 to 25)

Does the association, or any constituent part of the association, have a controlling interest in any limited company?			NO
If YES name the relevant companies:			
COMPANY NAME	COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER (if not registered in England & Wales, state where registered)		
INCORPORATED EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATIONS			
Are the shares which are controlled by the association registered in the association's name			N/A
If NO, please state the names of the persons in whom the shares controlled by the association are registered.			
COMPANY NAME	NAMES OF SHAREHOLDERS		
UNINCORPORATED EMPLOYERS ASSOCIATIONS			
Are the shares which are controlled by the association registered in the names of the association's trustees?			N/A
If NO, state the names of the persons in whom the shares controlled by the association are registered.			
COMPANY NAME	NAMES OF SHAREHOLDERS		

SUMMARY SHEET

(see notes 26 to 35)

	All funds except Political Funds £	Political Funds £	Total Funds £
INCOME			
From Members	2,251,768	-	2,251,768
From Investments	-	-	-
Other Income (including increases by revaluation of assets)	-	-	-
Total Income	2,251,768	-	2,251,768
EXPENDITURE (including decreases by revaluation of assets)	(2,251,768)	-	(2,251,768)
Total Expenditure	(2,251,768)	-	(2,251,768)
Funds at beginning of year (including reserves)	-	-	-
Funds at end of year (including reserves)	-	-	-
ASSETS			
Fixed Assets			-
Investment Assets			-
Other Assets			-
		Total Assets	-
LIABILITIES			
		Total Liabilities	-
NET ASSETS (Total Assets less Total Liabilities)			-

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

(see note 36)

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

1. Statement of compliance

British Printing Industries Federation Limited is a company limited by guarantee incorporated and domiciled in England and Wales with registered company number 04340242. The registered office is Unit 2 Villiers Court, Meriden Business Park, Copse Drive, Coventry, CV5 9RN. The financial statements have been presented in Pounds Sterling as this is the functional and presentational currency of the Company.

2. Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 – 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland' ("FRS102") and The Small Companies and Groups (Accounts and Directors' Report) Regulations 2008.

Transition to FRS102

The entity transitioned from previous UK GAAP to FRS102 as at 1 April 2014. Details of how FRS 102 has affected the reported financial position and financial performance is given in note 8.

Disclosure exemptions

The July 2015 amendments to FRS102 have been adopted and the relevant disclosure exemptions for small entities taken under section 1A of FRS102.

Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis. The Directors have assessed the Company's ability to continue as a going concern and have reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing these financial statements.

Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. The company makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. There are no key estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities.

Revenue recognition

The turnover shown in the Statement of Income and Retained Earnings represents subscriptions receivable during the year. Subscription income is spread evenly over the course of the period covered by the subscription.

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments, which include trade and other receivables and cash and bank balances, are initially recognised at the transaction price, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Basic financial liabilities, which include trade and other payables, are initially recognised at the transaction price, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

3. Turnover

	2016	2015
	£	£
Membership subscriptions	<u>2,251,768</u>	<u>2,266,283</u>

All turnover arose wholly within the United Kingdom.

4. Debtors

	2016 £	2015 £
Other debtors	455,446	432,280
Prepayments and accrued income	2,000	-
	<u>457,446</u>	<u>432,280</u>

5. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2016 £	2015 £
Accruals and deferred income	<u>457,446</u>	<u>432,280</u>

6. Related party transactions

At 31 March 2016 the company was owed £455,146 (2015: £432,280) by a related undertaking, the British Printing Industries Federation, an employers association based in England & Wales.

The intercompany purchases from the British Printing Industries Federation during the year were as follows:

	2016 £	2015 £
Management Charges Payable	<u>2,251,768</u>	<u>2,266,283</u>

During the year to 31 March 2016, the company engaged in transactions with companies in which certain of the directors of the company had controlling interests. All transactions were undertaken at normal business rates and no discounts were offered.

7. Company limited by guarantee

Each member undertakes to contribute an amount not exceeding £1, in the event of the company being wound up.

8. Transition to FRS102

These are the first financial statements that comply with FRS 102. The company transitioned to FRS 102 on 1 April 2014.

No transitional adjustments were required in equity or profit or loss for the year.

These financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2016 are the first prepared under FRS 102. The date of transition is 1 April 2014, with the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2015 being last prepared under the old UK GAAP.

The transition to FRS 102 has not resulted in any significant changes to accounting policies and has not resulted in any changes to the comparative figures from the prior year financial statements.

In carrying out the transition to FRS 102, the company has not applied any of the optional exemptions as permitted by Section 35 "Transition to this FRS".

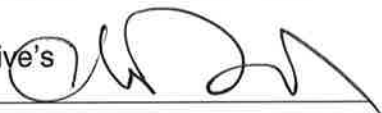

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(see notes 37 and 38)

SIGNATURES TO THE ANNUAL RETURN

(see notes 39 and 40)

including the accounts and balance sheet contained in the return.

Chief Executive's Signature: 	Finance Director's Signature: 
Name: Charles Jarrold	Name: Peter Allen
Date: <u>17/08/16</u>	Date: <u>16/08/16</u>

CHECK LIST

(see note 41)

(please tick as appropriate)

IS THE RETURN OF OFFICERS ATTACHED? (see Page 3)	YES		NO	
HAS THE RETURN OF CHANGE OF OFFICERS BEEN COMPLETED? (see Page 3)	YES		NO	
HAS THE RETURN BEEN SIGNED? (see Note 38)	YES		NO	
HAS THE AUDITOR'S REPORT BEEN COMPLETED (see Note 39)	YES		NO	
IS A RULE BOOK ENCLOSED? (see Note 40)	YES		NO	
HAS THE SUMMARY SHEET BEEN COMPLETED (see Notes 6 and 25 to 34)	YES		NO	

AUDITOR'S REPORT

(see notes 42 to 47)

made in accordance with section 36 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.

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 43 and 44)

YES/NO

If "No" please explain below.

2. Have the auditors or auditor carried out such investigations in the preparation of their audit report as will enable them to form an opinion as to:
- (a) whether the trade union has kept proper accounting records in accordance with section 28 of the 1992 Act;
 - (b) whether it has maintained a satisfactory system of control over its transactions in accordance with the requirements of that section; and
 - (c) whether the accounts to which the report relates agree with the accounting records?
- (See section 36(3) of the 1992 Act, set out in note 43)

YES/NO

If "No" please explain below.

3. 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 43)

YES/NO

If "No" please explain below.

4. Please set out a copy of the report made by the auditors or auditor to the union on the accounts to which this AR27 relates. The report is to set out the basis upon which the audit has been conducted and/or such other statement as the auditor considers appropriate. Such a statement may be provided as a separate document.
(See note 45)

Chie & Tait LLP

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AUDITOR'S REPORT (continued)

We have audited the financial statements of British Printing Industries Federation Ltd for the year ended 31 March 2016 which comprise the Statement of Income and Retained Earnings, Statement of Financial Position and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including FRS102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland".

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company'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 company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on page **Error! Bookmark not defined.**, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditscopeukprivate.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 March 2016 and of its result for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the Trade Unions and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Opinion on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- the directors were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the directors' report and take advantage of the small companies exemption from the requirement to prepare a strategic report.

MALCOLM BEVERIDGE BA CA (Senior Statutory Auditor)
 For and on behalf of
 CHIENE + TAIT LLP
 Chartered Accountants & Statutory Auditor

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Signature(s) of auditor or auditors:	<i>Malcolm Beveridge</i>	
Name(s):	Malcolm Beveridge (Chiene & Tait LLP)	
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Date:		
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