## Form AR21

### Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992

### **Annual Return for a Trade Union**

Name of Trade Union:	
Name of Trade Officia.	G4S Care & Justice Services Staff Association
Year ended:	31st December 2024
List no:	762T
Head or Main Office address:	Suite 10
	CP House
	Otterspool Way
	Watford
Postcode	WD25 8HR
Website address (if available)	www.g4s.com
Has the address changed during the year to which the return relates?	Yes No X ('X' in appropriate box)
General Secretary:	Leighton Harding
Telephone Number:	01923 650222 07525 736125
Contact name for queries regarding the completion of this return	As Above
Telephone Number:	As Above
E-mail:	Leighton.Harding@UK.G4S.com
Please follow the guidance notes in the Any difficulties or problems in the completion Officer as below or by telephone to: 0330 109	of this return should be directed to the Certification

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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	575				575
Female	650				650
Other					
Total	1,225				A 1,225

Other								
Total	1,225					Α	1,225	
Number of me	Number of members at end of year contributing to the General Fund  1,225							
Number of me held:	embers included in t	otals box 'A' above f	or whom no home o	or authorised ad	dress is			
		Chang	ge of Offic	ers				
Please comp	elete the following	to record any chanç	ges of officers dur	ing the twelve	months co	overed	by this return	
	on Held c	Name of Officer easing to hold Office		me of Appointed	D	ate of	change	
Representat	ive Kar	ime Hassan	N/A		30 March 2022		ch 2022	
Representat	ive Bria	an McGarry	N/A		30	0 Marc	ch 2022	
Representat	ive And	drew Vaughan	N/A		01 1	Noven	nber 2022	
State whether	er the union is:					-		
a. A bra	anch of another tra	ide union?	Yes	N	10 X			
If yes	s, state the name o	of that other union:						
b. A fee	deration of trade ur	nions?	Yes		lo X	]		

a.	A branch of another trade union?	Yes No X
	If yes, state the name of that other union:	
b.	A federation of trade unions?	Yes No X
	If yes, state the number of affiliated unions:	
	and names:	

# Officers in post

(see note 12)

Please complete list of all officers in post at the end of the year to which this return relates.

Name of Officer	Position held
Leighton Harding	General Secretary
Christy Charters	Treasurer
Mark Baker	Staff Association Officer
Karime Hassan	Senior Staff Representative
Brian McGarry	Senior Staff Representative
Andrew Vaughan	Senior Staff Representative

## **General Fund**

(see notes 13 to 18)

	£	£
Income  From Mombaros, Contributions and Subscriptions		130,314
From Members: Contributions and Subscriptions From Members: Other income from members (specify)		130,314
Total other income from members		
Total of all income from members		130,314
Investment income (as at page 12)		
Other Income		
Income from Federations and other bodies (as at page 4)		
Income from any other sources (as at page 4)		
Total of other income (as at page 4)		
Total of other income (as at page 4)  Total income		130,314
Interfund Transfers IN		
Expenditure		
Benefits to members (as at page 5)		
Administrative expenses (as at page 10)		130,314
Federation and other bodies (specify)		
Total expenditure Federation and other bodies		
Taxation Total expenditure		400.044
Total expenditure Interfund Transfers OUT		130,314
Surplus (deficit) for year		
Amount of general fund at beginning of year		
Amount of general fund at end of year		

# 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	
Any Other Sources	
Total other sources	
Total of all other income	

# Analysis of benefit expenditure shown at the General Fund

(see notes 21 to 23)

		£
Representation –	brought forward	
Employment Related Issues	Advisory Services	
Representation – Non Employment Related Issues	Other Cash Payments	
	Education and Training services	
Communications	No maticate d Discount Compines	
	Negotiated Discount Services	
Dispute Benefits		
	Other Benefits and Grants (specify)	
carried forward	Total (should agree with figure in General Fund)	

Fund 2	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Fund Account
Name:		£	£
Income			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total other inc	ome as specified	
		Total Income	
	Inte	rfund Transfers IN	
Expenditure			
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
	т	otal Expenditure	
	Interfu	nd Transfers OUT	
	Surplus (De	eficit) for the year	
	Amount of fund at b	peginning of year	
	Amount of fund at the end of year (a	s Balance Sheet)	
	Number of members contributi	ng at end of year	

Fund	3		Fund Account
Name:		£	£
Income			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total other in	come as specified	
		Total Income	
	In	terfund Transfers IN	
Expenditure			
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
		Total Expenditure	
	Inter	fund Transfers OUT	
		Deficit) for the year	
		t beginning of year	
	Amount of fund at the end of year	(as Balance Sheet)	
	North an affirm		
	Number of members contribu	iting at end of year	

Fund 4	(Occ Hotos 21 and 20)		Fund Account
Name:		£	£
Income			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total other income as specified		
		Total Income	
	Interfund Transfers IN		
Expenditure			
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
		otal Expenditure	
	Interfu	nd Transfers OUT	
		,	
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ficit) for the year	
	Amount of fund at b	eginning of year	
	Amount of fund at the end of year (a	s Balance Sheet)	
		Ī	
	Number of members contributi	ng at end of year	

Fund 5			Fund Account
Name:		£	£
Income			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total other income as specified		
	Total Income		
	Interfund Transfers IN		
Expenditure			
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
		Total Expenditure	
	Interfu	ınd Transfers OUT	
		Ī	
	Surplus (De	eficit) for the year	
	Amount of fund at		
	Amount of fund at the end of year (a	s Balance Sheet)	
		i	
	Number of members contribut	ing at end of year	

Fund 6	·		Fund Account
Name:		£	£
Income			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total other inc	come as specified	
		Total Income	
	Inte	erfund Transfers IN	
Expenditure			
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
		Total Expenditure	
	Interfe	und Transfers OUT	
		Ī	
	Surplus (D	eficit) for the year	
	Amount of fund at	beginning of year	
	Amount of fund at the end of year (a	as Balance Sheet)	
		ı	
	Number of members contribut	ing at end of year	

Fund 7	7		Fund Account
Name:		£	£
Income			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total other in	come as specified	
		Total Income	
	Int	erfund Transfers IN	
Expenditure		-	
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
		Total Expenditure	
	Interf	und Transfers OUT	
		eficit) for the year	
	Amount of fund at		
	Amount of fund at the end of year (	as Balance Sheet)	
	Number of members contribute	ting at end of year	

Fund	8		Fund Account
Name:		£	£
Income			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total other	income as specified	
	Total Income		
		nterfund Transfers IN	
Expenditure		-	
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
		Total Expenditure	
	Inte	erfund Transfers OUT	
	•	(Deficit) for the year	
		at beginning of year	
	Amount of fund at the end of yea	r (as Balance Sheet)	
	Number of members contrib	uting at end of year	

Fund 9	9		Fund Account
Name:		£	£
Income			
	From members		
	Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)		
	Total other in	come as specified	
		Total Income	
	Int	erfund Transfers IN	
Expenditure			
	Benefits to members		
	Administrative expenses and other expenditure (as at page 10)		
		Total Expenditure	
	Interf	und Transfers OUT	
	Surplus (D	eficit) for the year	
	Amount of fund at	beginning of year	
	Amount of fund at the end of year (	as Balance Sheet)	
	Number of members contribu	ting at end of year	

### Political fund account

		(see notes 24 to 33)	£	£
Political fun	d account 1 To be con	npleted by trade unions which maintain their	own political fund	
	Income	Members contributions and levies		
		Investment income (as at page 12)		
	Other income (specify)			
	•	Total ot	her income as specified	
			Total income	
		ion and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act political funds exceeds £2,000 during the peri		out in section (72) (1)
		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 fu	und at beginning of year	
		Amount of political fund at the end of y	year (as <u>Balance Sheet</u> )	
		Number of members at end of year contribu	uting to the political fund	
	Nı	umber of members at end of the year not contribu	- '	
Num		ave completed an exemption notice and do not cont	-	
Political fun	d account 2 To be completed	l by trade unione which get as components of	Fo control trade union	
- Cillical Iuli	•	by trade unions which act as components of	a central trade union	
Income	Contributions and levies collected from	om members on behalf of central political fund		
	Funds received back from central po	litical fund		
	Other income (specify)			
				-
			Total other income	as specified
			Т	otal income
Expenditure				
	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 year	
		Amount re	emitted to central political	
		Amount held on behalf of central po	olitical fund at end of year	
		Number of members at end of year contrib	outing to the political fund	
		Number of members at end of the year not contrib	outing to the political fund	
Number of me	mbers at end of year who have compl	eted an exemption notice and do not therefore cont	ribute 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 £	
Total		

### Political fund account expenditure (b)

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

Expenditure of money on the provision of any services or property for use by or on behalf of any political party

Name of political party to which payment was made	Total amount paid during the period
Tvarie of political party to willon payment was made	
	£
Total	

#### Political fund account expenditure (c)

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.

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 33(iii))	£
		Total	

### Political fund account expenditure (d)

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.

Expenditure on the maintaince of any holder of political office		
Name of office holder	£	
Total		

### Political fund account expenditure (e)

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.

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		
Name of political party	£	
Total		

### Political fund account expenditure (f)

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

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

Name of organisation or political party

£

Total

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

# Analysis of administrative expenses and other outgoings excluding amounts charged to political fund accounts

(see notes 34 and 35)

	£
Administrative Expenses	
Remuneration and expenses of staff	
Salaries and Wages included in above 67,	68,299
Auditors' fees	15,000
Legal and Professional fees	7,290
Occupancy costs	9,122
Stationery, printing, postage, telephone, etc.	777
Expenses of Executive Committee (Head Office)	
Expenses of conferences	22,575
Other administrative expenses (specify)	,
Travel & Expenses	7,252
Training Costs	
Other Outgoings	
Outgoings on land and buildings (specify)	
Outgoings on land and buildings (specify)	
Other outgoings (specify)	
	<b>Total</b> 130,314
Charged to: General	al Fund (Page 3) 130,314
	<b>Total</b> 130,314

# Analysis of officials' salaries and benefits (see notes 36 to 46 below)

Office held	Gross Salary	Employers N.I.		Benefits		Total	
		contributions	Pension Contributions	Other Benefits			
				Description	Value		
	£	£	£		£	£	
General Secretary	30,315	3,168	2,364			35,847	
Personal Assistant	27,547	2,518	1,777			31,842	

# Analysis of investment income (see notes 47 and 48)

		Political Fund £		Other Fund(s) £
Rent from land and buildings Dividends (gross) from: Equities (e.g. shares) Interest (gross) from: Government securities (Gilts) Mortgages Local Authority Bonds Bank and Building Societies				
Other investment income (specify)				
		Total i	nvestment income	
	Credited to:			
		Gen	eral Fund (Page 3)	
			Political Fund	
		Total	Investment Funds	

### Balance sheet as at

31 December 2024

(see notes 49 to 52)

Previous Year £	£
Fixed Assets (at page 14)	
Investments (as per analysis on page 15)	
Quoted (Market value £ ( )	
Unquoted (Warket Value 2 (	
Total Investments	
Other Assets	
Loans to other trade unions	
Sundry debtors	15,000
Cash at bank and in hand	. 0,000
Income tax to be recovered	
Stocks of goods	
Others (specify)	
Total of other assets	15,000
Total assets	15,000
General fund (page 3)	10,000
General rana (page 3)	
Political Fund Account	
Liabilities	
Amount held on behalf of central trade union political fund	
Accrued Expenses	23,839
	20,000
Total liabilities  Total assets	23,839 15,000

# **Fixed assets account**

(see notes 53 to 57)

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

# Analysis of investments (see notes 58 and 59)

Quoted	(355 115155 55 4114 55)	All Funds Except	Political Fund
200.00		Political Funds	
		£	£
	Equities (e.g. Shares)		
	Government Securities (Gilts)		
	Other quoted securities (to be specified)		
	Total quoted (as Balance Sheet)		
	Market Value of Quoted Investment		
Unquoted	Equities		
•			
	Government Securities (Gilts)		
	Mortgages		
	· -		
	Bank and Building Societies		
	Other unquoted investments (to be specified)		
	, (1- 1- 1- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3- 3-		
	Total unquoted (as Balance Sheet)		
	Market Value of Unquoted Investments		
<u> </u>	Market value of Oriquoted Investments		

# Analysis of investment income (controlling interests)

(see notes 60 and 61)

Does the union, or any constituent part of the union, have a controlling interest in any limited company?  If YES name the relevant companies:		Yes	No
Company name			nber (if not /ales, state where
Are the shares which are controlled by the union registered in the names of the union's trustees?  If NO, state the names of the persons in whom the shares controlled by the union are registered.		Yes	No
Company name	Names of	shareholders	

# **Summary sheet**

(see notes 62 to 73)

	All funds except Political Funds £	Political Funds £	Total Funds £
Income			
From Members	130,314		130,314
From Investments			
Other Income (including increases by revaluation of assets)			
Total Income	130,314		130,314
Expenditure (including decreases by revaluation of assets)			
Total Expenditure	130,314		130,314
Funds at beginning of year (including reserves) Funds at end of year (including reserves) Assets			
	Fixed Assets		
	Investment Assets		
	Other Assets		15,000
		Total Assets	15,000
Liabilities		Total Liabilities	15,000
Net Assets (Total Assets less Total Liab	pilities)		

(see notes 74 to 80)	
Did the union hold any ballots in respect of industrial action during the return	period?
If Yes How many ballots were held:	
For each ballot held please complete the information below:	
Ballot 1	
Number of individual who were entitled to vote in the ballot	
Number of votes cast in the ballot	
Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question	
Number of individuals answering "No" to the question	
Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned	
	1-3 should total "Number of votes cast"
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	
Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)?	
If yes, were the number of individuals answering "Yes" to the question (or each question) at le	east 40% of the number of individuals who were
entitled to vote in the ballot	Sast 40 % of the Namber of Mathadate who were
Ballot 2	
Number of individual who were entitled to vote in the ballot	
Number of votes cast in the ballot	
Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question	
Number of individuals answering "No" to the question	
Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned	
, J. 1	4.0 - 1.1 - 1.1 - 1.1 - 1.1 - 1.1 - 1.1 - 1.1 - 1.1
	1-3 should total "Number of votes cast"
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	
Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)?	
2000 codada 220(25) of the 1002 for apply in total and state (cod notes to co).	
If yes, were the number of individuals answering "Yes" to the question (or each question) at le entitled to vote in the ballot	east 40% of the number of individuals who were
Ballot 3	
Number of individual who were entitled to vote in the ballot	
Number of votes cast in the ballot	
Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question	
Number of individuals answering "No" to the question	
Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned	
	1-3 should total "Number of votes cast"
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	
Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)?	
If yes, were the number of individuals answering "Yes" to the question (or each question) at le entitled to vote in the ballot	east 40% of the number of individuals who were

Ballots & Industrial Action: If you have 6 or more entries for either of these, please complete the Excel Spreadsheet

Ballot 4  Number of individual who were entitled to vote in the ballot
Number of votes cast in the ballot
Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question
Number of individuals answering "No" to the question
Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned 3
1-3 should total "Number of votes cast"
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
Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)?
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
Ballot 5
Number of individual who were entitled to vote in the ballot
Number of votes cast in the ballot
Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question
Number of individuals answering "No" to the question
Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned 3
4.2 already total "Niveshor of votes cost"
1-3 should total "Number of votes cast"
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
Does section 226(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see notes 76-80)?
Does section 220(2B) of the 1992 Act apply in relation to this ballot (see flotes 70-00):
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
who were entitled to vote in the ballot
Ballot 6
Number of individual who were entitled to vote in the ballot
Number of votes cast in the ballot
Number of Individuals answering "Yes" to the question
Number of individuals answering "No" to the question 2
Number of individuals answering "No" to the question    2     Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned   3
Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned
Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned  1-3 should total "Number of votes cast"
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Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned  1-3 should total "Number of votes cast"  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
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Number of invalid or otherwise spoiled voting papers returned  1-3 should total "Number of votes cast"  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

Ballots and Industrial Action: If you have 6 or more entries for either of these, please complete the Excel Spreadsheet

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

Categories of Nature of Trade Dispute

В

4. Nature of industrial action.

2. Dates of the industrial action taken:

3. Number of days of industrial action:

Α

	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 consulation, 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 consulation 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
	No
	If <b>YES</b> , 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:
Α	B C D E F G
^	
	Dates of the industrial action taken:  to
	3. Number of days of industrial action:
	4. Nature of industrial action.
	Industrial Action 2
	1. please tick the nature of the trade dispute for which industrial action was taken using the categories* below:
Α	B C D E F G
	2. Dates of the industrial action taken: to
	Number of days of industrial action:     Nature of industrial action.
	Industrial Action 3

use a continuation page if necessary

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

to

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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: to
3. Number of days of industrial action:
4. Nature of industrial action.
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: to
3. Number of days of industrial action:
4. Nature of industrial action.
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
Dates of the industrial action taken:  3. Number of days of industrial action:    To be a continuation of the industrial action of the indust
4. Nature of industrial action.
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: to
3. Number of days of industrial action:
4. Nature of industrial action.  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.
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Ballots & Industrial Action- If you have 6 or more entries for either of these, please complete the Excel Spreadsheet

### 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.

## **Accounting policies**

(see notes 84 and 85)

# Signatures to the annual return

(see notes 86 & 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:		Chairman's Signature:	
	_		(or other official whose position should be stated)
Name:	Leighton Harding	Name:	Brian McGarry
Date:	27 May 2025	Date:	28 May 2025

### **Checklist**

(see notes 88 to 89)

(please tick as appropriate)

Has the return of change of officers been completed? (see Page 2 and Note 12)	Yes	No	
Has the list of officers in post been completed? (see Page 2 and Note 12)	Yes	No	
Has the return been signed? (see Pages 23 and 25 and Notes 86 and 95)	Yes	No	
Has the audtor's report been completed? (see Pages 20 and 21 and Notes 2 and 77)	Yes	No	
Is a rule book enclosed? (see Notes 8 and 88)	Yes	No	
A member statement is: (see Note 80)	Enclosed	To follow	
Has the summary sheet been completed? (see Page 17 and Notes 7 and 62)	Yes	To follow	
Has the membership audit certificate been completed? (see Page i to iii and Notes 97 and 103)	Yes	No	

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

(see notes 90 and 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.

this return give	on of the auditors or auditor do the accounts they have audited and which are contained in a true and fair view of the matters to which they related? (See section 36(1) and (2) of the notes 92 and 93)
Please explair	n in your report overleaf or attached.
2. Are the au 1992 Act and	ditors or auditor of the opinion that the union has complied with section 28 of the has:
a. kept prop	per accounting records with respect to its transactions and its assets and liabilities; and
	ed and maintained a satisfactory system of control of its accounting records, its cash holding eceipts and remittances. (See section 36(4) of the 1992 Act set out in note 92)
Please expla	in in your report overleaf or attached
3. Your audit	ors or auditor must include in their report the following wording:
In our opinic	on the financial statements:
• give a true	e and fair view of the matters to which they relate to.
	prepared in accordance with the requirements of the sections 28, 32 e Trade Union and Labour Relations (consolidation) Act 1992.

### **Auditor's report (continued)**

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Signature(s) of auditor or auditors:	NOW ON MARKEL	
Name(s):	RSM UK Audit LLP	
	Statutory Auditor Chartered	
Profession(s) or Calling(s):	Accountants	
Address(es):	Davidson House	
	Forbury Square	
	Reading	
	Berkshire	
Postcode	RG1 3EU	
Date	10/04/2025	
Contact name for inquiries and		
telephone number:		

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

#### G4S Care & Justice Services Staff Association

Report and Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 31 December 2024

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#### **Trade Union Information**

#### **General secretary**

Mr Leighton Harding

#### Main office

Suite 10 CP House Otterspool Way Watford WD25 8HR

#### **Independent auditor**

RSM UK Audit LLP Chartered Accountants Davidson House Forbury Square Reading Berkshire RG1 3EU

#### **Statement to Members**

#### Introduction

The Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 requires trade unions to provide their members with an Annual Statement containing financial information summarised from the Annual Return (AR21) to the Certification Officer for Trade Unions. The required information for the year ended 31 December 2024 is set out within the following pages.

#### Members

The number of members at the end of the year were as follows:

	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	Irish Republic	Elsewhere Abroad (including Channel Islands)	Totals
Male	575	-	-	-	575
Female	650	-	-	-	650
Total	1,225	-	-	-	1,225

#### **Officers**

Details of present officers as at 31 December 2024 are included below.

Name	Address	Office Held
Ray Neville	Suite 10 CP House, Otterspool Way, Watford WD25 8HR	General Secretary. Resigned 31.01.2024
Leighton Harding	C/o HMP & YOI Parc, Heol Hopcyn John, Bridgend, Mid Glamorgan CF35 6AR	Chair. General Secretary from 31.01.2024
Christy Charters	G4S Care & Justice Services, Carlton Road, Worksop S81 7QF	Treasurer
Karime Hassan	C/o HMP & YOI Parc, Heol Hopcyn John, Bridgend, Mid Glamorgan CF35 6AR	Senior Staff Representative. Chair from 31.01.2024
Brian McGarry	STC Oakhill, Chalgrove Field, Off Otterburn Crescent, Oakhill, Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire MK5 6AH	Senior Staff Representative
Andrew Vaughan	C/o HMP & YOI Parc, Heol Hopcyn John, Bridgend, Mid Glamorgan CF35 6AR	Senior Staff Representative

# Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of G4S Care & Justice Services Staff Association

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of G4S Care & Justice Services Staff Association (the "Staff Association") for the year ended 31 December 2024 which comprise the Income statement, the Statement of financial position and notes to the financial statements, including significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Staff Association's affairs as at 31 December 2024 and of its income and expenditure for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
- have been prepared to meet the requirements 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 Staff Association 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

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the Council of Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the Staff Association's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the Council of Management with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

#### Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The Council of Management are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of 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 this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. 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.

# Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of G4S Care & Justice Services Staff Association (continued)

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

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 requires us to report to you, if in our opinion:

- proper accounting records have not been kept in accordance with the requirements of section 28; or
- a satisfactory system of control over its transactions has not been maintained in accordance with the requirements of that section; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations for which, to the best of our knowledge and belief, we consider necessary for our audit.

#### Responsibilities of the Council of Management

The Council of Management is 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 Council of Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Council of Management is responsible for assessing the Staff Association'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 Council of Management either intend to liquidate the Staff Association 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.

#### The extent to which the audit was considered capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud

Irregularities are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. The objectives of our audit are to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding compliance with laws and regulations that have a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, to perform audit procedures to help identify instances of non-compliance with other laws and regulations that may have a material effect on the financial statements, and to respond appropriately to identified or suspected non-compliance with laws and regulations identified during the audit.

In relation to fraud, the objectives of our audit are to identify and assess the risk of material misstatement of the financial statements due to fraud, to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the assessed risks of material misstatement due to fraud through designing and implementing appropriate responses and to respond appropriately to fraud or suspected fraud identified during the audit.

However, it is the primary responsibility of management, with the oversight of those charged with governance, to ensure that the entity's operations are conducted in accordance with the provisions of laws and regulations and for the prevention and detection of fraud.

# Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of G4S Care & Justice Services Staff Association (continued)

In identifying and assessing risks of material misstatement in respect of irregularities, including fraud, the audit engagement team:

- obtained an understanding of the nature of the industry and sector, including the legal and regulatory
  framework that the Staff Association operates in and how the Staff Association is complying with the legal
  and regulatory framework;
- inquired of management, and those charged with governance, about their own identification and assessment of the risks of irregularities, including any known actual, suspected or alleged instances of fraud;
- discussed matters about non-compliance with laws and regulations and how fraud might occur including assessment of how and where the financial statements may be susceptible to fraud.

As a result of these procedures we consider the most significant laws and regulations that have a direct impact on the financial statements are FRS 102 and the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992. We performed audit procedures to detect non-compliances which may have a material impact on the financial statements which included reviewing financial statement disclosures.

The audit engagement team identified the risk of management override of controls as the area where the financial statements were most susceptible to material misstatement due to fraud. Audit procedures performed included but were not limited to testing manual journal entries and other adjustments and evaluating the business rationale in relation to significant, unusual transactions and transactions entered into outside the normal course of business.

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

#### Use of our report

This report is made solely to the Staff Association's members, as a body, in accordance with the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Staff Association'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 Staff Association and the Staff Association's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

RSM UK Audit LLP
RSM UK Audit LLP
Statutory Auditor
Chartered Accountants

Davidson House Forbury Square Reading Berkshire RG1 3EU

Date: 10/04/25

## **Income Statement for the Year Ended 31 December 2024**

	Note	2024 £	2023 £
Turnover	4	130,314	149,231
Administrative expenses	s	(130,314)	(149,231)
Operating result			_
Profit/(loss) before tax	W	-	-
Profit/(loss) for the year			_

The above results were derived from continuing operations.

## Statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2024

	Note	2024 £	2023 £
Current assets			
Trade and other receivables	7	15,000	23,839
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	8	(15,000)	(23,839)
Net assets/(liabilities)		-	
Equity			
General fund		-	-
Total members' funds/(deficit)		<del>-</del>	-

Approved by the Executive Representatives on ...04/.04/.25 and signed on their behalf by:

Mr Leighton Harding

General Secretary

#### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024

#### 1 General information

G4S Care & Justice Services Staff Association (the "Staff Association") is a trade union based in the United Kingdom, associated with G4S Care & Justice Services (UK) Limited.

The financial statements are presented in sterling, which is the Staff Association's functional currency, unless stated otherwise.

These financial statements were authorised for issue by the Executive Representatives on  $\frac{04/04/25}{...}$ 

#### 2 Accounting policies

#### Summary of material accounting policies and key accounting estimates

The material accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

#### **Basis** of preparation

The financial statements of the Staff Association have been prepared in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" ("FRS 102"). The disclosure requirements of section 1A of FRS 102 have been applied other than where additional disclosure is required to show a true and fair view. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with FRS 102 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Staff Association's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements, are disclosed in note 3.

#### Going concern

The Staff Association is dependent on the continued financial support of G4S Care and Justice Services (UK) Limited who has confirmed that it will provide sufficient funds to ensure the Association is able to meet normal trading liabilities as they fall due and will provide this support for a period of at least 12 months from the approval of these financial statements.

#### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)

#### 2 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for services provided in the normal course of business and is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, net of discounts, VAT and other sales-related taxes. Turnover is recognised to reflect the period in which the service is provided.

The Staff Association recognises turnover when the amount of turnover can be reliably measured; it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the Staff Association; and specific criteria have been met for each of the Staff Association's activities.

#### **Employee benefits - retirement benefit cost**

Payments to the defined contribution schemes are charged as an expense as they fall due and represent contributions payable for the year. Differences between the contributions payable in the year and the contributions actually paid are presented as either prepayments or accruals.

#### Foreign currencies

These financial statements are presented in sterling, which is the Staff Association's functional currency. Transactions in currencies other than the functional currency are translated at the rates of exchange prevailing on the date of the transactions. At each reporting date, monetary assets and liabilities which are denominated in other currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing on that date. Non-monetary items measured at historical cost denominated in other currencies are not retranslated. Gains and losses arising on retranslation are included in the income statement.

#### **Financial instruments**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the Staff Association becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments.

#### Trade and other receivables

Trade receivables do not carry interest and are stated initially at their fair value. The carrying amount of trade receivables is reduced through the use of a bad debt allowance account. The Staff Association provides for bad debts based upon an analysis of those that are past due, in accordance with local conditions and past default experience.

#### *Trade and other payables*

Trade payables are not interest-bearing and are stated initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)

#### 2 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Leases

Leases are classified as finance leases when the terms of the lease transfer substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee. On occasion this classification requires a level of judgement. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Rentals payable under operating leases, including any lease incentives received, are charged as an expense on a straight line basis over the term of the relevant lease except where another more systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the lease asset are consumed.

#### 3 Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of the Staff Association's accounting policies. These judgements, estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience, current and expected economic conditions, and in some cases, actuarial techniques as well as the various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The judgements, estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and in any future periods affected.

Although these judgements, estimates and associated assumptions are based on management's best knowledge of current events and circumstances, the actual results may differ.

There are no judgements, estimates and assumptions which are of significance in the preparation of the Staff Association's financial statements.

The Council of Management do not believe there to be any key assumptions concerning the future or other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the balance sheet date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

#### 4 Turnover

The analysis of the Staff Association's turnover for the year from continuing operations is as follows:

	2024	2023
	£	£
Other turnover	130,314	149,231

Turnover arose from activities originating solely in the United Kingdom.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2024 (continued)

5 Staff costs		
The aggregate payroll costs were as follows:		
	2024 £	2023 £
Wages and salaries	57,372	67,810
Social security costs	5,927	7,291
Pension costs, defined contribution scheme	4,389	5,436
	67,688	80,537
The average number of persons employed by the Staff Association durin follows:	g the year, analysed by car	tegory was as
	2024	2023
	No.	No.
Other departments	2	2
6 Auditor's remuneration		
Fees payable to the Staff Association's auditor were as follows:		
	2024	2023
Audit of the financial statements	£	£
Audit of the financial statements	15,000	11,500
The Staff Association did not incur any non-audit fees in the current or p	rior year.	
7 Trade and other receivables		
	2024 £	2023 £
Accrued income	15,000	23,839
Treer used intersine	13,000	23,639
8 Trade and other payables		
	2024	2023
	£	£
Accrued expenses	15,000	23,839

#### 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 reportign period proceding 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 inforamation 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	
Name	
Address	
Date	
Contact name and telephone number	

# 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 it members and secured, so far asis reasonably practicable, that the entries in the register are accurate and up-to-date?

If "No" Please explain below:

Signature	Lightedalig
Name	Leighton Harding
Office held	General Secretary Staff Association
Date	27/05/2025