

**CRAIGMILLAR ABILITY NETWORK**  
**NOTES FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH**  
**2008**

**(d) Resources expended**

Expenditure is recognised on an accrual basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes Any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates:

- Costs of generating funds comprise the costs associated with attracting voluntary income and the costs of trading for fundraising purposes.
- Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services for the beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.
- Governance Costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the charity and include audit fees and costs linked to the strategic management of the charity.

**(e) Fixed Assets**

Fixed Assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. The costs of minor additions or those costing below £ 100 are not capitalised. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of each asset over its expected useful life, which in all cases is estimated at 4 years.

**(f) Pensions**

The charity makes payments into a defined contribution scheme on behalf of its staff members. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in independently administered funds. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the company to the funds.