Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	1st	January	2024		31st	December	2025

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name	HOCl Trust for Hygiene and Safer Water
Other names charity is known by	"HOCl Trust"
Registered charity number (if any)	1165940
Charity's principal address	22, Coulsdon Road
	Sidmouth
	Devon
	Postcode **EX10 9JP**

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Dr Hugh Martin	Chairman		
2	Tania Wedin	Trustee		
3	Lord Wise	Trustee		
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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year
As above	

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

As above

Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Constitution
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Charitable Incorporated Organisation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointment by resolution of Trustees

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

There are no additional governance issues.

Section C Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

To relieve and preserve and protect good health in any part of the world for the benefit of the public by:

1. providing the means to improve water supplies particularly but not exclusively by promoting the use of hypochlorous acid (HOCl) and
2. educating the public in standards of hygiene and in particular as to the use of HOCl and any other means of controlling water-borne diseases and environmental contamination.

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

The Trustees have throughout had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

The HOCl Trust is dedicated to the furtherance of the very considerable benefits in the application of HOCl technology to a diverse range of health issues.

The HOCl Trust provides balanced, independent, high quality information on the use and benefits of HOCl in health care through our expanding web site, which is open to the public, irrespective of geographical location or any other criteria of individuals.

Resources on the web site include

- independent authoritative information on HOCl and its properties
- access to summarised academic and other relevant scientific publications
- use of a "forum" to discuss and debate relevant issues associated with HOCl and its use
- supply of HOCl generating tablets at low cost
- a "blog" on current news and technical developments
- a membership scheme that provides additional support to subscribers.
- Podcasts

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

All work has been undertaken exclusively by the Trustees.

Section D Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

The Trustees continued to sustain weekly meetings, as circumstances dictate. This close liaison, largely by electronic communication, has enabled a continuing high degree of co-ordination and effective management of the HOCl Trust and the exchange of ideas and the development of new initiatives.

Our activity during 2025 centred around two main issues:

Firstly, in line with the development of our website as primary means of public communication of HOCl science, we continued to develop our new format and continued the input of information for public consumption in line with our missions. The website has been structured to accommodate as wide a variety of interests as possible and great care has been taken to provide high quality scientific information in succinct and plain English. For improved readability of and easy access to published scientific papers, a simple and effective categorisation of research and other publications has been implemented.

We have endeavoured in our mission to communicate effectively by recording podcasts. The theme of each will cover the entire spectrum of HOCl use in an easy to listen, conversational style of presentation. We have the ambition to develop this form of public communication with contributions from external contributors.

Our income continues to be sustained by memberships, voluntary donations and sales of HOCl generating tablets. The Trust looks to continue to identify new fund raising initiatives through further activities in the near future.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves	The Trust aims to maintain sufficient reserves to run our web site and to sustain its further development.
Details of any funds materially in deficit	No funds are in deficit.

Further financial review details (Optional information)

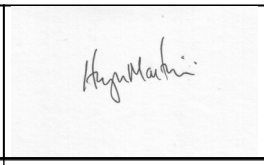
You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about: • the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising); • how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity; • investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.	Our principal source of funds is through sales of HOCl goods and public donations. Sufficient income has been raised to sustain activity as described in our mission statement (described as objects in our constitution). The Trust has no formal policy on investments.

Section F Other optional information

Section G Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)	HMartin	
Full name(s)	Hugh Martin	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Director/chief executive	
Date	October 2025	

HOCL Trust for Hygiene and Safer Water

Receipts & Payments Accounts

For the year ended 31 December 2025

1. Opening Balance

Balance brought forward (2nd January 2025): **£4,004.30**

2. Receipts (Income)

All income in 2025 came from small-scale online sales of HOCL hygiene products.

Category	**Amount (£)**
PayPal receipts |	547.41
Shopify payouts |	318.09
eBay payout |	49.92
Total receipts |	**864.50**

3. Payments (Expenditure)

Expenditure consisted of supplies, postage, PayPal-related costs, and routine bank charges.

Category	**Amount (£)**
PayPal Payments (supplies, consumables)	356.99
Royal Mail postage	8.38
Bank charges	36.00
Other DD payments	143.95
Total payments	**544.32**

Surplus for the year: £864.50 – £544.32 = **£320.18**

4. Closing balance

(31st December 2025) £4,214.84

5. Statement of Assets and Liabilities at Year End

Cash at bank

HSBC Business Account: £4,214.84

6. Other assets

No other monetary assets held.

No stock valuation recorded (HOCL products distributed as part of charitable activity).

7. Liabilities

No outstanding liabilities at year end.

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