Canadian Physicians for Life / Medecins du Canada pour le Respect de la Vie Financial Statements December 31, 2021

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#### Independent Auditor's Report

To the Directors of Canadian Physicians for Life

#### Qualified Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Canadian Physicians for Life (the Entity), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2021, and the statements of operations, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matters described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion section of our report, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Entity as at December 31, 2021 and its results of operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

#### Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many not-for-profit organizations, the Entity derives revenue from donations, the completeness of which is not susceptible to satisfactory audit verification. Accordingly, verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the Entity. Therefore, we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary for donations, the excess of revenue over expense, and cash flows from operations for the years ended December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020, current assets as at December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020, and net assets as at January 1 and December 31 for both the 2021 and 2020 years. Our auditor opinion on the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2020 was modified accordingly because of the possible effects of this limitation in scope.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. 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 Entity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, 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 qualified audit opinion.

#### Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as 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, management is responsible for assessing the Entity'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 management either intends to liquidate the Entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Entity's financial reporting process.

#### 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 Canadian generally accepted auditing standards 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. As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Entity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountant

Ottawa, ON June 20, 2022

Canadian Physicians for Life Statement of Financial Position		
As at December 31, 2021	2021	2020
Assets		
Current		
Cash	\$ 138,006 \$	124,462
Accounts receivable	30,232	20,207
Government remittances receivable	24,976	18,188
Prepaid deposits	 724	708
	\$ 193,938 \$	163,565
Liabilities and Net Assets Current Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Government remittances payable Deferred revenue (note 4)	\$ 24,251 \$ 5,491 36,000	9,693 5,628 100
CEBA loan (note 5)	65,742 40,000	15,421 40,000
	105,742	55,421
Net Assets		
Net assets - unrestricted	 88,196	108,144
	\$ 193,938 \$	163,565

Commitments (note 6)

On behalf of the Board:

Director

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See accompanying notes to the financial statements

Canadian Physicians for Life Statement of Operations and Changes in Net Assets		
For the year ended December 31, 2021	2021	2020
Revenue		
Donations	\$ 230,053 \$	184,824
Grants	27,000	25,000
Government assistance (note 5)	0	20,000
Other income	 18,911	14,771
	275,964	244,595
Expense		
Accounting, audit and legal	4,744	7,561
Bank and credit card charges	3,890	5,185
Conference	94,009	45,406
Contractors	57,310	13,224
Donor communications	0	14,938
Education and research	10,450	0
Fundraising	5,387	9,599
Information technology	1,525	1,667
Insurance	1,606	1,416
Marketing	1,455	3,225
Membership and dues	17,210	10,073
Miscellaneous	298	C
Office	21,759	6,027
Postage and delivery	4,954	4,996
Salary and benefits	55,425	57,624
Telephone	205	1,143
Travel	107	5,407
Website and database	15,578	1,009
	 295,912	188,500
(Deficiency) excess of revenue over expense for the year	 (19,948)	56,095
Net assets, beginning of year	108,144	52,049
Net assets, end of year	\$ 88,196 \$	108,144

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Canadian Physicians for Life Statement of Changes in Cash Flows		
For the year ended December 31, 2021	2021	2020
Operating activities		
(Deficiency) excess of revenue over expense for the year	\$ (19,948) \$	56,095
Changes in non-cash working capital		
Accounts receivable	(10,025)	1,059
Government remittances receivable	(6,788)	(5,913)
Prepaid deposits	(16)	4,831
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	14,558	(6,057)
Government remittances payable	(137)	4,273
Deferred revenue	35,900	100
	 13,544	54,388
Financing activities		
CEBA loan proceeds (net of forgiveness)	 0	40,000
Increase in cash during the year	13,544	94,388
Cash, beginning of year	 124,462	30,074
Cash, end of year	\$ 138,006 \$	124,462

# 1. Authority, Objectives and Operations

Canadian Physicians for Life was incorporated, without share capital, under Part II of the Canada Corporations Act on August 25, 1975. The Organization was continued under the Canada Not-for-profit Corporations Act on April 14, 2015.

Canadian Physicians for Life is a non-profit, charitable organization of Canadian physicians dedicated to the respect and ethical treatment of every human being, regardless of age or infirmity.

The Organization is a registered charity as defined under paragraph 149(1) (f) of the Income Tax Act and as such is exempt from income tax.

# 2. Significant Accounting Policies

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations and include the following significant accounting policies.

# **Revenue Recognition**

The organization follows the deferral method of recognizing revenue. Unrestricted amounts are recorded as revenue when received or receivable. Restricted amounts are recognized as revenue when the related expenses are incurred. Donations are recognized when received.

# **Capital assets**

The cost of capital assets is expensed in the year of acquisition. During the year the organization purchased capital assets at a cost of \$0 (2020- \$0)

# Use of Estimates

In preparing the organization's financial statements in conformity with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and reported amounts of revenue and expense during the period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

# 2. Significant Accounting Policies (con't)

### **Financial Instrument Measurement**

The organization initially measures its financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value. It subsequently measures all its financial assets and financial liabilities at amortized cost.

Financial assets subsequently measured at amortized cost include cash, accounts receivable and government remittances receivable. Financial liabilities subsequently measured at amortized cost include accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

### 3. Financial Instruments

Canadian Physicians for Life is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments. The following analysis presents the organization's exposures to significant risk at December 31, 2021. **Credit risk** 

The organization is exposed to credit risk with respect to its accounts receivable and government remittances payable. The amounts receivable are due from the federal government.

#### 4. Deferred Revenue

Deferred revenue is comprised of grant revenue unspent at the end of the fiscal year.

#### 5. CEBA Loan

The Canada Emergency Business Account (CEBA) term loan bears interest at 0% per annum, with no principal repayments required until January 1, 2024. If \$40,000 of the loan is repaid by December 31, 2023, the remaining balance of the loan will be forgiven. Balances outstanding thereafter bear interest at the rate of 5% per annum which is payable monthly and is due in full on December 31 2025. \$40,000 was advanced in April 2020 and a further \$20,000 was advance in December 2020. The loan is reflected net of the forgivable portion. The forgivable portion of \$20,000 was included in government assistance in 2020.

# 6. Commitments

The organization has entered into agreements for professional services in 2021 of \$30,510.

#### 7. Implications of Covid-19

On March 11, 2020, an outbreak of a new strain of coronavirus (Covid-19) resulted in a major global health crisis which, at the date of the completion of the financial statements, continues to have impacts on the health, safety and economy worldwide. While these events are likely to cause significant changes to service delivery, management has determined that there is no material uncertainty that casts doubt on the entity's ability to continue as a going concern.