Registered number: 362110

### THE INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN IRELAND LIMITED

(A Company Limited by Guarantee)

# DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

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### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

**DIRECTORS** Dr John Devlin

Dr Patricia Fitzpatrick Dr Carolyn Harper Mr Owen Metcalfe

Dr Anne Kilgallen (appointed 25 November 2014) Ms Kate O'Flaherty (appointed 10 April 2014)

COMPANY SECRETARY

Maria McWalter

**REGISTERED NUMBER** 

362110

**REGISTERED OFFICE** 

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Dublin 2

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### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

The directors present their report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2014.

### **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT**

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with Irish law and regulations.

Irish company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements giving a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with Irish Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (accounting standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council and promulgated by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland and Irish law).

In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper books of account that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Acts 1963 to 2013. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

### **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES**

The principal activity of the company continued to be the provision of services in support of public health activities throughout the island of Ireland. The company is non-profit making.

#### **BUSINESS REVIEW**

The directors are satisfied with the company's performance during the year and plan to continue to deliver the current level of service in the future.

### **RESULTS**

The deficit for the year amounted to €22,607 (2013 - surplus €9,777).

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### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

#### **DIRECTORS**

The directors who served during the year were:

Dr John Devlin

Dr Patricia Fitzpatrick

Dr Carolyn Harper

Mr Owen Metcalfe

Dr Elizabeth Mitchell (resigned 5 March 2014)

Dr Colette Bonner (resigned 10 April 2014)

Dr Anne Kilgallen (appointed 25 November 2014)

Ms Kate O'Flaherty (appointed 10 April 2014)

Dr Paddy Woods (appointed 5 March 2014, resigned 25 November 2014)

In accordance with the Articles of Association, the directors do not retire by rotation.

### **ACCOUNTING RECORDS**

The measures taken by the directors to ensure compliance with the requirements of Section 202 of the Companies Act 1990, regarding proper books of account are the implementation of necessary policies and procedures for recording transactions, the employment of competent accounting personnel with appropriate expertise and the provision of adequate resources to the financial function. The books of account of the company are maintained at 5th Floor Bishop's Square, Redmond's Hill, Dublin 2.

### **FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

There is no future significant anticipated developments.

### **POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS**

There have been no significant events affecting the company since the year end.

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### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

#### **AUDITORS**

The auditors, PKF O'Connor, Leddy & Holmes Limited, continue in office in accordance with section 160(2) of the Companies Act 1963.

#### STATEMENT OF INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS

The Board of Directors acknowledges its responsibility for The Institute of Public Health in Ireland Limited's system of financial control. It also recognises that any system of financial control can only give a reasonable and not absolute assurance against any material errors. The internal financial controls in operation within The Institute of Public Health in Ireland Limited during 2014 are detailed as follows:

The key procedures, which have been put in place by the Board of Directors, designed to provide effective financial control are:

#### Control Environment

- All staff members are aware of relevant financial control procedures, including procurement procedures;
- There are expenditure limits applied rigorously to all levels of management;
- The procurement function for overhead expenditure operates on the basis of standards and budgets agreed by the Board of Directors.

### Identification of Business Risks and Financial Implications

- The Institute of Public Health in Ireland Limited received the vast majority of its funds from the Department of Health in the Republic of Ireland and the Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety in Northern Ireland.

### Information Systems

- The Institute of Public Health in Ireland Limited's information systems include an integrated professional financial and management accounting package 'Tasbooks'. There are integrated financial control modules for income, expenditure, debtors, creditors and fixed assets on the system;
- The Institute of Public Health in Ireland Limited outsources its payroll function.

### Procedures for Monitoring Effectiveness of Financial Control

- The finance officer monitors income and expenditure transactions to ensure compliance for accuracy, validity and appropriate project attribution;
- The system of internal financial control is based on a framework of regular management information and administrative procedures;
- Monthly management accounts are prepared, comparing budgeted income and expenditure with that actually incurred and submitted to both departments. These accounts are reviewed at the Management Team (MT) meetings. Quarterly management accounts are also prepared which are reviewed by the HR and Finance Sub Committee, with a detailed examination of the underlying transactions and activities to ensure completeness and accuracy. The Board of Directors also reviews these accounts on a quarterly basis;
- The HR and Finance Sub-Committee review at regular intervals the effectiveness of the system of internal controls.

The Board of Directors is satisfied with the existing financial control arrangements.

### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

This report was approved by the board on 26 March 2015 and signed on its behalf.

Dr John Devlin

Director

Mr Owen Metcalf

Director

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN IRELAND LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of The Institute of Public Health in Ireland Limited for the year ended 31 December 2014, which comprise the Income and Expenditure Account, the Balance Sheet, the Cash Flow Statement and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is Irish law and accounting standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council and promulgated by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland (Generally Accepted Accounting Practice in Ireland).

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 193 of the Companies Act 1990. 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 Auditors' 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 AUDITORS

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements giving a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with Irish law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

### SCOPE OF THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Directors' Report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

#### **OPINION ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view, in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Practice in Ireland, of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2014 and of its deficit for the year then ended; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Acts 1963 to 2013.

### MATTERS ON WHICH WE ARE REQUIRED TO REPORT BY THE COMPANIES ACTS 1963 TO 2013

- We have obtained all the information and explanations which we consider necessary for the purposes of our audit.
- In our opinion proper books of account have been kept by the company.
- The financial statements are in agreement with the books of account.

### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN IRELAND LIMITED

### MATTERS ON WHICH WE ARE REQUIRED TO REPORT BY EXCEPTION

We have nothing to report in respect of the provisions in the Companies Acts 1963 to 2013 which require us to report to you if, in our opinion, the disclosures of directors' remuneration and transactions specified by law are not made.

Mark Tully

for and on behalf of

PKF O'Connor, Leddy & Holmes Limited

**Registered Auditors** 

Century House Harold's Cross Road Dublin 6w

26 March 2015

### INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

	Note	2014 €	2013 €
INCOME Administrative expenses	1,2	2,798,958 (2,847,923)	2,021,636 (2,011,859)
OPERATING (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS Interest receivable and similar income	3	(48,965) 26,358	9,777
(DEFICIT)/SURPLUS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		(22,607)	9,777
Tax on (deficit)/surplus on ordinary activities		-	-
(DEFICIT)/SURPLUS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	11	(22,607)	9,777

All amounts relate to continuing operations.

There were no recognised gains and losses for 2014 or 2013 other than those included in the Income and Expenditure Account.

Signed on behalf of the board

**Dr John Devlin** 

Director

Date: 26 March 2015

Mr Owen Metcalfe

Director

The notes on pages 10 to 16 form part of these financial statements.

### BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2014

	Note	€	2014 €	€	2013 €
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	7		32,175		15,809
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	8	128,681		76,920	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,453,365		1,256,172	
		1,582,046		1,333,092	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	9	(1,398,117)		(1,126,556)	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			183,929		206,536
NET ASSETS		•	216,104		222,345
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			_		
Other reserves	11		32,174		15,808
Income and expenditure account	11		183,930		206,537
	12	•	216,104		222,345

Signed on behalf of the board:

Dr John Devlin

Director

Mr Owen Metcalfe

Director

Date: 26 March 2015

The notes on pages 10 to 16 form part of these financial statements.

### CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

2014 €	2013 €
198,685	(156,652)
26,358	-
(27,850)	(10,261)
197,193	(166,913)
197,193	(166,913)
256,172	1,423,085
453,365	1,256,172
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The notes on pages 10 to 16 form part of these financial statements.

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### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### 1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting standards generally accepted in Ireland and Irish statute comprising the Companies Acts 1963 to 2013.

### 1.2 Going concern

The accounts are prepared on the going concern basis.

### 1.3 Income and expenditure

Income and expenditure is recognised when earned or incurred and is dealt with in the financial statements of the year to which it relates.

#### 1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Plant and machinery

- 20%

Computer equipment

33%

### 1.5 Operating leases

Rentals under operating leases are charged to the Income and Expenditure Account on a straight line basis over the lease term.

Benefits received and receivable as an incentive to sign an operating lease are recognised on a straight line basis over the period until the date the rent is expected to be adjusted to the prevailing market rate.

### 1.6 Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into euros at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date.

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into euros at the rate ruling on the date of the transaction.

Exchange gains and losses are recognised in the Income and Expenditure Account.

### 1.7 Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme and the assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund.

### 1.8 Taxation

As the institute is a non-commercial not-for-profit state sponsored body, it is exempt from paying corporation tax on any surplus of income arising in the year.

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2.	INCOME		
	An analysis of income by class of business is as follows:		
		2014 €	2013 €
	Opening deferred CARDI income Opening deferred AIIHPC income Transfer from capital account Income receivable Closing deferred CARDI income Closing deferred AIIHPC income	981,330 57,434 (16,366) 3,104,119 (1,264,152) (63,407)	1,029,684 26,927 (3,292) 2,007,081 (981,330) (57,434)
		2,798,958	2,021,636
	All turnover arose on the island of Ireland.		
3.	OPERATING (DEFICIT)/SURPLUS		
	The operating (deficit)/surplus is stated after charging:		
		2014 €	2013 €
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets: - owned by the company Operating lease rentals:	11,272	6,969
	- other operating leases Difference on foreign exchange Research and development expenditure written off Directors salaries	225,050 (22,036) 63,779 70,403	222,761 (1,833) 46,828 54,063
4.	AUDITORS' REMUNERATION		
		2014 €	2013 €
	Fees payable to the company's auditor for the audit of the company's annual accounts	7,380	7,380

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

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Staff costs, including directors' remuneration, were as follows:

	2014 €	2013 €
Wages and salaries	1,351,593	1,187,452
Social welfare costs	146,269	126,294
Other pension costs	76,584	51,146
	1,574,446	1,364,892

The average monthly number of employees, including the directors, during the year was as follows:

	2014	2013
	No.	No.
Staff	27	26

### 6. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

	2014	2013
	€	€
Remuneration	70,403	54,063

Pension contributions of €3,356 represent contributions paid to the DHSSPSNI defined benefit scheme as part of the secondment arrangement for Liz Mitchell.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

7.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
		Plant and machinery €	Computer equipment €	Total €
	Cost			
	At 1 January 2014 Additions Disposals	40,538 2,659 -	115,208 25,191 (2,426)	155,746 27,850 (2,426)
	At 31 December 2014	43,197	137,973	181,170
	Depreciation			
	At 1 January 2014 Charge for the year On disposals	34,738 1,844 -	105,199 9,640 (2,426)	139,937 11,484 (2,426)
	At 31 December 2014	36,582	112,413	148,995
	Net book value			
	At 31 December 2014	6,615	25,560	32,175
	At 31 December 2013	5,800	10,009	15,809
8.	DEBTORS			
		2	014 €	2013 €
	Other debtors	73,	838	12,147
	Prepayments		843	64,773
		128,	681 —	76,920
9.	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year			
		2	2014 €	2013 €
	Trade creditors	22,	299	27,985
	Other taxes (see below) Accruals and deferred income	1,375,	818	575 1,097,996
		 1,398,		1,126,556

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### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

### 9. CREDITORS:

Amounts falling due within one year (continued)

Other taxes

 2014
 2013

 €
 €

 VAT
 575

### 10. COMPANY STATUS

The company is limited by guarantee and consequently does not have share capital. Each of the members is liable to contribute an amount not exceeding €1 towards the assets of the company in the event of liquidation.

### 11. RESERVES

			income and
		Other	expenditure
		reserves	account
		€	€
	At 1 January 2014	15,808	206,537
	Deficit for the financial year		(22,607)
	Movement on capital reserves	16,366	• • •
	At 31 December 2014	32,174	183,930
12.	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENT IN MEMBERS' FUNDS		
		2014	2013
		€	€
	Opening members' funds	222,345	212,568
	(Deficit)/surplus for the financial year	(22,607)	9,777
	Movement on capital reserves	16,366	, <u>-</u>
	Closing members' funds	216,104	222,345
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Income and

Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities

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13.	NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
		2014	2013		
		€	€		
	Operating (deficit)/surplus	(48,965)	9,777		
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	11,484	6,969		
	Increase in debtors	(51,760)	(21,429)		
	Increase/(decrease) in creditors	271,560	(155,261)		
	Movement on capital reserves	16.366	3.292		

### 14. ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NETTED IN CASH FLOW STATEMENT

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	2014	2013
	€	€
Returns on investments and servicing of finance		
Interest received	26,358	-
	2014	2013
	€	€
Capital expenditure and financial investment		
Purchase of tangible fixed assets	(27,850)	(10,261)

198,685

(156,652)

#### 15. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET FUNDS

	1 January 2014	Cash flow	Other non-cash changes	31 December 2014
	€	€	€	€
Cash at bank and in hand	1,256,172	197,193	-	1,453,365
Net funds	1,256,172	197,193	-	1,453,365

### 16. PENSION COMMITMENTS

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund. The pension cost represents contributions payable by the company to the fund and amounted to €41,902 (2013: €39,430). There were no contributions payable to the fund at the balance sheet date.

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### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014

#### 17. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

At 31 December 2014 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

	Land	Land and buildings	
	2014	2013	
	€	€	
Expiry date:			
Within 1 year	5,135	-	
Between 2 and 5 years	130,007	187,582	

### 18. BOARD MEMBER INTERESTS

The company adopted procedures in accordance with guidelines issued by the Department of Finance in relation to the disclosures of interests by Board Members and these procedures have been adhered to during the year. There were no transactions in the year in relation to the Board's activities in which a Board Member had any beneficial interest.

### 19. POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

There have been no significant events affecting the company since the year end.

### 20. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The board of directors approved these financial statements for issue on 26 March 2015.