

Legal Notice No. 6 of 2020

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FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ORDINANCE, 2001

CONSERVATION (EXTERNAL GRANTS, DONATIONS ETC.) FUND ORDER, 2020

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3(2) of the Financial Management Ordinance, 2001, the Governor makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Conservation (External Grants, Donations etc.) Fund Order, 2020 and comes into force on 16 June 2020.

Establishment of Fund

2. (1) This Order establishes a Special Fund to be known as the Conservation (External Grants, Donations etc.) Fund.

(2) The Fund is established for the purposes described in, and is to be managed in accordance with, the provisions set out in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE
Paragraph 2(2)

PURPOSES AND MANAGEMENT OF THE FUND

1. The purposes of the Conservation (External Grants, Donations, etc.) Fund are to fund—
 - (a) activities connected with conservation in Ascension and its Marine Protected Area¹; and
 - (b) such community projects as are consistent with those activities or as may be agreed with funders and donors.

2. The Fund comprises all moneys from time to time provided by external funders or donors for the purposes of the Fund, including any interests or dividends accruing to or on it.

3. The Accounting Officer for the Fund is the Director of Conservation and Fisheries or, if that role is vacant, the Director of Financial Services.

4. Moneys paid into and held in the fund which are expressed by the funder or donor—
 - (a) to be subject to conditions (including performance-related conditions);
 - (b) to be used only for a particular purpose or purposes;must be held and paid out only in accordance with such conditions or for such purpose or purposes.

5. Subject to paragraph 4, moneys may be paid out of the Fund solely for the purpose of the Fund at the discretion of the Accounting Officer.

6. The Accounting Officer must report to the Director of Financial Services at the end of each quarter and at the end of each Financial Year on the moneys paid out of the fund.

7. Moneys held in the Special Fund are, so far as is possible, to be treated in accordance with the UK Financial Reporting Council's Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) as amended from time to time.

Made this 16th day of June 2020

Philip Rushbrook
Governor of Ascension

¹ As declared under the National Protected Areas Ordinance, 2003