
1. Financial Statement

1.1 Disclaimer of Opinion

The audit of the financial statements of the Chess Federation of Sri Lanka ("the federation") for the year ended 31 December 2019 comprising the balance sheet as at 31 December 2019 and the income and expenditure account, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flow for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, was carried out under my direction in pursuance of provisions in Article 154(3) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka read in conjunction with section 09 of the Sports (Amendment) Act No, 47 of 1993. My Comments and observations which I consider should be report to parliament appear in this report. To carry out this audit I was assisted by a firm of Chartered Accountants in Public Practice.

I do not express an opinion on the accompanying financial statements of the Federation. Because of the significance of the matters described in paragraph 1.5 of this report. I have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion on these financial statements.

1.2 Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion

My opinion is Disclaimed based on the matters described in paragraph 1.5 of this report. I conducted my audit in accordance with Sri Lanka Auditing Standards (SLAuSs). My responsibilities, under those auditing standards are further described in the Scope of Audit section of my report.

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

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with Sri Lanka Accounting Standards for such internal control as management determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatements whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Federation'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 intend to liquidate the Federation or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

1.4 Scope of Audit

My responsibility is to conduct an audit of the Federation's financial statements in accordance with Sri Lanka Auditing Standards and to issue an auditor's report. However, because of the matters described in the Basis for Disclaimer of opinion section, I was not able to obtain

sufficient and appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion on these financial statements.

1.5 Audit Observations on the preparation of Financial Statements.

1.5.1 Document Evidences not made available for Audit

Item	Amount	Evidence not available	Management Comment	Recommendation
	Rs			
Bank balances	12,619,676	Bank confirmation	Federation's comments had not submitted.	
Petty Cash	750	Balance confirmation	Do	
Debtors	56,000	Balance confirmation and Subsequent settlement	Do	Adequate audit evidence should be furnished in order to verify the Current Assets and Current —Liability.
Receivable	210,000	Subsequent Settlement details	Do	
Payable	331,000	Settlement Details and Balance Confirmation	Do	
Income	22,684,920	Receipts and Bank slips.	Do	Adequate audit evidence s should be furnished in order to verify the income

1.5.2 Non-compliance with Laws, Rule, Regulations

Reference to Laws, Rules Regulations	Non-	Management	Recommendation
	Compliance	Comment	
According to the Section 2 of the amendment	The financial	Federation's	Federation Should
made by the Section 9 of the Sports	statements of the	comments had	maintain and
(Amendment) Act No. 47 of 1993 to the Section	federation for the	not submitted.	prepare financial
21 of the Sports Act No. 25 of 1973, every	year 2019 were		statements every
Association registered under Chapter III of the	submitted to the		year As well as,
said Sports Act should be maintained and	Auditor General		financial statements
balanced its books as at 31 December of every	with a		should be submitted
year and should be prepare financial statements.	considerable		to the Auditor
According to Section 3 of the above Act the	delay.		General according to

Financial statements should be submitted to the Auditor General for Audit. However, the financial statements of the Federation for the year 2019 were submitted to the Auditor General with a considerable delay.

the provisions in the Sports Act.

2. Financial Review

2.1 Financial Results

The operating result of the federation for the year under review amounted to a surplus of Rs.18,895,561 and the corresponding surplus in the preceding year amounted to Rs. 5,478,458. Therefore, an improvement amounting to Rs. 13,417,103 of the financial result was observed. The reason for the improvement was increase the total income by Rs. 34,723,161.