

NEW APPLICATION

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APPLICATION FOR RATE RELIEF UNDER SECTIONS 43 AND 47 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE ACT 1988 FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2011/12 AND 2012/13

Applicant's Name: The Richmond Fellowship Ltd **Account Ref:** 101148764

Property Address: 16 High Green Court, Newhall Street, Cannock, Staffs, WS11 1GR

Registered Charity: Yes - 200453

Occupation Date: 13 January 2012 **NEW APPLICATION**

Relief Claimed: Mandatory and Discretionary **Period:** 13/1/12 – 31/3/12
1/4/12 – 31/3/13

Use of Property: Administration, advice, training and support

Main Objectives: To encourage, support and challenge people with mental health problems on their recovery journey.

Financial Situation: As at: 31 March 2011

Surplus (Deficit)	£	0.00
Reserves		18,011,000.00*
*National Organisation		

Previous Relief Granted:

Mandatory	-	0%
Discretionary	-	0%

Rates Payable:

Details of Charge	2011/12 £	2012/13 £
Full Charge	1,121.54	5,496.00
Less Mandatory Relief (80%)	897.23-	4,396.80-
Discretionary Consideration:	<u>224.31</u>	<u>1,099.20</u>
If 7% Relief Granted (2011/12):	78.51-	
If 5% Relief Granted (2012/13):		274.80-
Cost to NDR Pool (25%)	19.63	68.70
Cost to General Fund (75%)	58.88	206.10
Rates Payable	<u>145.80</u>	<u>824.40</u>

Supporting Information:

The Richmond Fellowship Ltd moved into the offices at 16 High Green Court, Cannock on 13 January 2012. The organisation uses the property for administration, advice, training and support for their service users.

The mission of Richmond Fellowship is to encourage, support and challenge people with mental health problems on their recovery journey. Richmond Fellowship's objectives are to:

- Provide a home and community life for users;
- Provide care, assistance and treatment to users;
- Advance the education of the public in all aspects of the treatment and care of users.

Users of services offered by Richmond Fellowship are people who have mental or physical health problems, learning disabilities or problems associated with alcohol or substance abuse. Services are open to all sections of the community with mental health issues and there are no charges for users.

The Richmond Fellowship actively encourages usage from groups within the community. Currently they receive referrals from GP surgeries, St Georges Hospital, St David's House, CMHT and others.

The organisations principal source of income is via donations and contracts.

Comments:

None