

**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 2010/11 AND 2011/12**

**Applicant's Name:** The Salvation Army **Account Ref:** 101141347

**Property Address:** Adj 29 Market Square, Rugeley, Staffs, WS15 2BW

**Registered Charity:** Yes - 214779

**Occupation Date:** 23 March 2011 **NEW APPLICATION**

**Relief Claimed:** Mandatory and Discretionary **Period:** 23/3/11 – 31/3/11  
1/4/11 – 31/3/12

**Use of Property:** Charity shop for the sale of donated goods.

**Main Objectives:** Advancement of the Christian religion, education and relief of poverty.

**Financial Situation:** As at: 31 March 2010

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|--------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Surplus (Deficit)</b> | £ (5,430,000.00) |
| <b>Reserves</b>          | 99,248,000.00*   |
| *National Organisation   |                  |

**Previous Relief Granted:**

|                      |   |     |
|----------------------|---|-----|
| <b>Mandatory</b>     | - | 80% |
| <b>Discretionary</b> | - | 7%  |

**Rates Payable:**

| Details of Charge                   | 2010/11<br>£        | 2011/12<br>£         |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Full Charge</b>                  | 121.26              | 4,979.50             |
| <b>Less Mandatory Relief (80%)</b>  | 97.01-              | 3,983.60-            |
| <b>Discretionary Consideration:</b> | <b><u>24.25</u></b> | <b><u>995.90</u></b> |
| <b>If 7% Relief Granted:</b>        | 8.49-               | 348.57-              |
| <b>Cost to NNDR Pool (25%)</b>      | 2.12                | 87.14                |
| <b>Cost to General Fund (75%)</b>   | 6.37                | 261.43               |
| <b>Rates Payable</b>                | <b><u>15.76</u></b> | <b><u>647.33</u></b> |

**Supporting Information:**

The principle objects of The Salvation Army are for the advancement of the Christian religion which are professed, believed and taught by the army in order to continue with the advancement of education, the relief of poverty and other charitable objects beneficial to society or the community as a whole.

Groups benefiting from the work of the Trust are as follows:

- those who worship or participate in other activities at Salvation Army church and community centres;
- vulnerable and disadvantaged members of society, including homeless people, elderly and/or lonely people, children, young people and families, people dealing with issues of substance abuse; and,
- the wider community of society as a whole.

The premises at Market Square, Rugeley are used as a charity shop for the sale of donated items in order to raise funds to further the objects of the charity. All of the goods sold at the charity shop are donated.

The charity shop is open to all groups of society and no charge is made for the use.

The Salvation Army is a national organisation and operates throughout England and Wales, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Northern Ireland and Scotland.

**Comments:**

None