## CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

**DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010** 





September 13, 2012

### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors Citizens Commission on Human Rights Los Angeles, California

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of Citizens Commission on Human Rights (a nonprofit organization) as of December 31, 2011 and 2010, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects. the financial position of Citizens Commission on Human Rights of December 31, 2011 and 2010, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

NSBN LLP

### CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

ASSETS	_	2011	_	2010
Cash and cash equivalents Receivables, net of allowance Deposits and other assets Donated assets Inventory Property and equipment, net	\$	494,964 26,017 12,700 98,911 41,055 76,579	\$	298,428 27,417 26,219 107,094 45,975 189,738
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	750,226	\$	694,871
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities  Due to related party	\$	268,094 60,774	\$	338,751 42,180
TOTAL LIABILITIES		328,868	-	380,931
NET ASSETS - unrestricted		421,358	_	313,940
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	750,226	\$	694,871

### CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

REVENUE AND SUPPORT	_	2011	_	2010
Educational publications and materials sales Contribution from related party Grant from another nonprofit organization Donations License fee income Membership income Special events income Other revenue	\$	80,280 389,516 743,154 1,424,150 52,765 35,893 225,047 11,756	\$	81,132 389,516 1,554,535 1,432,232 61,681 45,648 271,229 4,653
TOTAL REVENUE AND SUPPORT	\$_	2,962,561	\$_	3,840,627
EXPENSES				
Program services Hotline for psychiatric abuse Lobbying Public awareness and information campaign Educational publications Research	\$	121,984 136,696 1,603,143 291,704 156,436	\$	127,001 134,956 2,603,890 266,507 143,248
Supporting services  Management and General  Fundraising	_	254,433 290,747	_	240,711 363,544
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$_	2,855,143	\$_	3,879,857
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS - unrestricted		107,418		(39,230)
NET ASSETS - unrestricted, January 1	_	313,940	_	353,170
NET ASSETS - unrestricted, December 31	\$_	421,358	\$_	313,940

### CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

	_	2011	_	2010
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Change in net assets - unrestricted	\$	107,418	\$	(39,230)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation Loss on disposition of fixed assets		126,179 23		171,878 -
(Increase) decrease in assets: Receivables Deposits and other assets Donated assets Inventory		1,400 13,519 8,183 4,920		1,357 (804) (107,309) 6,050
Increase (decrease) in liabilities: Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	_	(52,063)	_	(44,856)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES		209,579		(12,914)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Acquisitions of fixed assets	_	(13,043)	-	(3,427)
NET CASH (USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES	_	(13,043)	~	(3,427)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	3	196,536		(16,341)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, January 1	_	298,428	_	314,769
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, December 31	\$_	494,964	\$_	298,428

CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

				Program	Program Services			Supporting Services	Services	
				Public	Educational		Total Program	Management		Total
	Hot	Hottine	Lobbying	Awareness	Publications	Research	Services	and General	Fundraísing	Expenses
Halaries and employee benefits	<b>⊕</b>	66,233 \$	57,029 \$	342,739	\$ 116,574	\$ 96,895 \$	679,470 \$	104,789 \$	w	Φ
Payroll taxes		6,662	5,358	32,581	10,968	8,989	64,558	10,539	8,303	83,400
	7	72,895	62,387	375,320	127,542	105,884	744,028	115,328	90,857	950,213
Contributions to other Scientology organizations		2,818	2,266	13,783	4,640	3,803	27,310	4,458	3,512	35,280
Cost of materials sold			•	•	30,041	,	30,041		•	30,041
Firridraising commissions				•	•		,		102,596	102,596
		2,765	2,141	16,825	4,966	2,974	29,671	4,482	3,501	37,654
Malnienance		694	512	5,235	1,372	513	8,326	1,157	895	10,378
Office and administrative		749	605	15,681	4,024	9,887	30,946	37,875	8,458	77,279
Postage and shipping		552	444	12,338	9,105	745	23,184	1,226	1,364	25,774
Frinting and promotion		259	37,720	561,112	23,210	350	622,651	562	7,505	630,718
Frofessional fees		,			•	•	1	20,456	•	20,456
Fent	2	26,529	19,568	200,199	58,636	19,625	324,557	44,252	34,233	403,042
Diecial events costs		•	,	287,918			287,918		18,924	306,842
i ares, dues and fees		4	3	920	8	က	588	332	25	945
* Sphone		2,847	2,290	13,926	4,688	3,842	27,593	4,505	3,549	35,647
Travel		46	37	10,993	92	62	11,214	73	89	11,355
(Milities		3,392	2,502	25,596	6,710	2,509	40,709	5,658	4,377	50,744
Tutal expenses before depreciation	11	113,550	130,475	1,539,496	275,018	150,197	2,208,736	240,364	279,864	2,728,964
Depreciation		8,434	6,221	63,647	16,686	6,239	101,227	14,069	10,883	126,179
Total Evropeds	4	1 984 \$	136 696 \$	1 603 143	\$ 291 704	\$ 156 436 \$	2 309 963 \$	254 433 \$	290.747 \$	2.855.143
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See accompanying auditors' report. The notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2010

	Total Expenses	\$ 874,363 78,022 952,385	44,375	26,788	87,118	28,221	7,186	73,334	20,875	1,640,104	36,255	402,022	276,468	1,558	43,781	7,545	59,964	3,707,979	171,878	\$ 3,879,857
3 Services	Fundraising	116,408 10,824 127,232	•	•	87,118	2,942	620	44,753	5,924	10,484	6,063	34,110	13,823	460	6,074	943	5,173	348,719	14,825	363,544
Supporting Services	Management and General	110,939 \$ 10,316 121,255	,		•	3,347	801	5,037	1,291	4,744	27,192	44,093	1	481	5,788	831	6,687	221,547	19,164	240,711 \$
	Total Program Services	647,016 \$ 56,882 703,898	44,375	26,788		21,932	5,765	23,544	13,660	1,624,876	1	323,819	262,645	617	31,919	5,771	48,104	3,137,713	137,889	3,275,602 \$
	Research	85,559 \$ 7,300 92,859	1	,	,	1,823	355	8,769	906	2,832	,	19,554		8	4,096	588	2,964	134,749	8,499	143,248 \$
Services	Educational Publications	98,320 \$ 8,486 106,806	,	26,788	•	3,815	1,071	1,910	5,635	15,286		64,765	,	448	4,762	683	8,933	240,902	25,605	266,507 \$
Program Services	Public Awareness	339,870 \$ 29,962 369,832	44,375		,	12,759	3,505	11,962	5,737	1,565,865		193,568	262,645	159	16,813	3,603	29,245	2,520,068	83,822	2,603,890 \$
	Lobbying	54,482 \$ 4,738 59,220	,			1,502	354	384	588	38,937	1	19,498	•	m	2,659	382	2,955	126,482	8,474	134,956 \$
	Hotline	68,785 \$ 6,396 75,181	,	•	,	2,033	480	519	794	1,956	,	26,434		4	3,589	515	4,007	115,512	11,489	127,001 \$
		Salaries and employee benefits Payroll taxes	Contributions to other Scientology organizations	Cost of materials sold	Fundraising commissions	Insurance	Maintenance	Office and administrative	Postage and shipping	Printing and promotion	Professional fees	Rent	Special events costs	Taxes, dues and fees	Telephone	Travel	Utilities	Total expenses before depreciation	Depreciation	Total Expenses \$

See accompanying auditors' report.

The notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

# CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

#### Note 1 NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES -

### Description of Reporting Entity-

Citizens Commission on Human Rights (CCHR) is a California, tax-exempt, nonprofit, public benefit corporation dedicated to investigating and exposing psychiatric violations of human rights. As a research and educational organization, CCHR's primary goal is to provide the general public with the facts they need for a better understanding of the social, medical, economic and legal effects of certain psychiatric practices and treatments. It also seeks to protect the public against increasing encroachment on individual rights and civil liberties that result from psychiatry's impingement on society.

CCHR's objectives are to bring these matters to the attention of the public and relevant governmental entities and to encourage a more responsible approach to mental healing that respects human and civil rights of all individuals concerned.

CCHR achieves its goals through extensive educational and outreach activities. It conducts research, publishes educational literature, serves as an international informational clearinghouse, hosts educational events, and engages in other public outreach and educational activities, including providing tours of its permanent museum, Psychiatry, the Industry of Death Museum.

### Tax Exempt Status-

CCHR is recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3). CCHR is also recognized by the California Franchise Tax Board as exempt from California Corporation Franchise Tax under Section 23772(a)(2)(A)(i) of the California Revenue and Taxation Code and exempt from income tax under Section 2370(1)(d). CCHR qualifies for the charitable contribution deduction under Section 170(b)(1)(A) and has been classified as an organization other than a private foundation under Section 509(a)(2).

### Income Taxes-

CCHR files Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, and Form 199, California Exempt Organization Annual Information Return.

CCHR has evaluated its tax positions and the certainty as to whether those tax positions will be sustained in the event of an audit by taxing authorities at the federal and state level. It has determined that all income tax positions are more likely than not (greater than 50% chance) of being sustained upon potential audit or examination; therefore, no recognition or disclosure of uncertain income tax positions is required in the financial statements.

With few exceptions, CCHR is no longer subject to U.S. federal and state examinations by tax authorities for years before 2008 and 2007, respectively.

# CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

# Note 1 NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

### Basis of Accounting-

The financial statements of CCHR have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting and conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to nonprofit organizations.

Certain 2010 amounts are reclassified to conform to the 2011 presentation.

#### Basis of Presentation-

The financial statements of CCHR have been presented in accordance with the AICPA's Audit and Accounting Guide, "Not-For-Profit Organizations." The accounting policies followed are described below.

#### Net Asset Classes-

The accompanying financial statements present information regarding CCHR's financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted, temporarily restricted and permanently restricted. The three classes are differentiated by donor restrictions:

### a- Unrestricted

Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions, or donor-restricted contributions whose restrictions are met within the same reporting period.

### b- Temporarily Restricted

Net assets that are subject to donor-imposed time or use restrictions that have not been met as of year-end. Temporarily restricted net assets are restricted for time (e.g., multi-year pledges) or specific programs. There were no temporarily restricted net assets at December 31, 2011 and 2010.

#### c- Permanently Restricted

Net assets subject to donor-imposed restrictions that are maintained permanently. There were no permanently restricted net assets at December 31, 2011 and 2010.

### Functional Expense Allocation-

The costs of providing CCHR's programs and the supporting services have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of activities, and in the statement of functional expenses. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated between program and supporting services in reasonable ratios determined by management.

### Use of Estimates in the Preparation of Financial Statements -

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

# CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

# Note 1 NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

### Cash and Cash Equivalents-

Cash and cash equivalents include all funds in banks and highly liquid investments in other financial institutions, with initial maturity of three months or less. The carrying value approximates fair value.

### Inventory-

Inventory is stated at lower of cost or market; cost is determined by the average cost method. Inventory consists of public awareness and/or educational booklets, pamphlets and books, as well as insignia promoting the museum. Shipping costs are expensed when paid.

### Fair value measurements-

CCHR adopted the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued ASC number 820-10, Fair Value Measurements, which defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. The standard provides a consistent definition of fair value which focuses on an exit price between market participants in an orderly transaction as prescribed by ASC number 820-10. The standard also prioritizes, within the measurement of fair value, the use of market-based information over entity-specific information and establishes a three-level hierarchy for fair value measurements based on the transparency of information used in the valuation of an asset or liability as of the measurement date.

The fair value hierarchy prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value into three broad levels:

- Level I Quoted prices are available in active markets for identical investments as of the reporting date. The type of investments in Level I include listed equities held in the name of the Organization, and exclude listed equities and other securities held indirectly through commingled funds.
- Level II Pricing inputs, including broker quotes, are generally those other than exchange quoted prices in active markets, which are either directly or indirectly observable as of the reporting date, and fair value is determined through the use of models or other valuation methodologies.
- Level II Pricing inputs are unobservable for the investment and includes situations where there is little, if any, market activity for the investment. The inputs into the determination of fair value require significant management judgment or estimation. Investments that are included in this category generally include privately held investments and partnership interests.

# CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

## Note 1 NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

### Property and equipment-

Property and equipment are carried at cost. Depreciation is computed using primarily the straight-line method, with the following estimated useful lives:

	YEARS
Furniture and equipment	5-7
Display fixtures	7
Software	3

Expenditures for maintenance, repairs, and renewals of minor items are charged to expense as incurred. Major renewals and improvements are capitalized. Upon disposition, the cost and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts and the resulting gain or loss is reflected in operations for the period.

#### Donated assets-

Non-cash donations are recorded as contributions at fair market value at the time of donation.

### Receivables-

Receivables represent amounts owed to CCHR by CCHR chapters for license fees and by donor pledged unconditional promises to give. The receivables are stated at fair value net of allowances.

### Subsequent events-

Management has evaluated subsequent events through September 13, 2012, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

### Note 2 DONATED ASSETS

Donated assets consisted of non-cash donations from CCHR's special events, and are recorded as contributions at the fair market value at the time of donation. The fair value of the donated assets has been measured on a nonrecurring basis using quoted prices for similar assets in inactive markets (Level 2 inputs).

# CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

### Note 3 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The fair value measurements and levels within the fair value hierarchy of those measurements for the assets reported at fair value at December 31, 2011 and 2010 are as follows:

		Fair Value	Level I		Level II		Level III
	Measured on a Nonrecurring Basis at December 31, 2011						
	Donated assets	\$98,911\$		\$_	98,911	\$_	
	Measured on a Nonrecurring Basis at December 31, 2010						
	Donated assets	\$ <u>107,094</u> \$		\$_	107,094	\$ =	
Note 4	RECEIVABLES			_	2011	_	2010
	License fees receivab Pledges receivable	le		\$_	43,183 8,854	\$_	51,697 3,137
					52,037		54,834
	Less allowance for do	ubtful accounts		_	(26,020)	_	(27,417)
				\$_	26,017	\$=	27,417
Note 5	PROPERTY AND EQUIPME	ENT		_	2011	-	2010
	Furniture and equipme Display fixtures Software	ent		\$	1,282,659 720,051 47,086	\$	1,367,187 720,051 45,471
					2,049,796		2,132,709
	Less accumulated de	preciation		_	(1,973,217)	_	(1,942,971)
				\$_	76,579	\$ _	189,738

### CITIZENS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2011 and 2010

### Note 6 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

CCHR is affiliated with Church of Scientology International (CSI) and Social Betterment Properties Incorporated (SBPI), both of which are tax-exempt nonprofit corporations.

CCHR is related to all CCHR chapters globally and all license fees receivable are from related parties.

CCHR occupies a facility owned by SBPI, rent free. The approximate fair value of the monthly rent was estimated to be \$32,460, which is included in contributions and rent expenses in the statement of activities.

Included in due to related party is liability insurance premiums Due to CSI under group insurance policies obtained and paid for by CSI, in the amount of \$60,744 and \$42,180, in 2011 and 2010, respectively.

Included in printing and promotion is dissemination expenses paid to related parties in the amount of \$58,159 and \$882,651, in 2011 and 2010, respectively.

### Note 7 CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

Cash and cash equivalents include approximately \$243,269 in 2011, in excess of insured limits. It is the opinion of CCHR management that the solvency of the relevant financial institutions is not of particular concern.