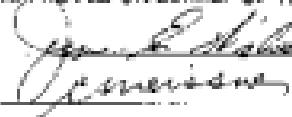


# ONTARIO LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1998

	GENERAL FUND	RESTRICTED FUNDS	1998	TOTALS 1997
	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Current Assets</b>				
Cash and equivalents	107,484	22	107,506	63,701
Accounts receivable	200,396	-	200,396	47,528
Inventory	23,572	-	23,572	28,479
Prepaid expenses - conference	60,016	-	60,016	77,186
- other	13,730	-	13,730	3,807
	411,197	22	411,219	222,406
Due from general fund (note 4)		161,486	161,486	163,822
Capital Assets (note 5)	64,240	-	64,240	54,525
	475,437	161,507	626,944	430,757
 <b>Current Liabilities</b>				
Accounts payable and accruals	85,855	-	85,855	26,701
Deferred revenue - grant (note 6)	8,950	-	8,950	8,950
- conference	193,559	-	193,559	188,912
- contract	17,160	-	17,160	17,251
Due to director	-	-	-	21,732
	306,514	-	306,514	263,147
Due to restricted funds (note 4)	161,486	-	161,486	163,822
	466,999	-	466,999	416,979
 <b>Fund balances</b>				
Unrestricted	8,438	-	8,438	(140,076)
Internally restricted	-	161,507	161,507	153,824
	8,438	161,507	169,945	13,778
	475,437	161,507	626,944	430,757

APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

 John E. Hobson, Director  
 G. C. Evans, Director

# ONTARIO LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

## GENERAL FUND - SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1988

	OPERATING ACTIVITIES	CONFERENCE	CONTINUING EDUCATION	SALES MATERIALS	TOTALS
	\$	\$	\$	\$	1988 1987
<b>Revenues</b>					
Membership fees	272,270	-	-	-	222,210 194,805
Contract administration	204,600	-	-	-	204,600 42,808
Registration fees	-	311,980	52,972	-	364,952 357,018
Publications & materials	-	-	-	67,617	67,617 47,862
Government grant (note 6)	38,800	-	-	-	38,800 38,090
Advertising & fund raising	12,387	-	-	-	12,387 375
Contributions (note 2)	9,295	31,083	4,232	-	47,310 52,347
	484,292	345,563	57,204	67,617	854,776 733,265
<b>Expenses</b>					
Salaries & benefits	230,243	-	-	-	230,243 201,158
Honaria & awards	4,898	27,990	7,770	-	40,598 41,036
Catering	3,893	28,390	11,808	-	44,191 40,930
Purchased services & materials	15,834	21,661	1,303	20,791	59,279 41,969
Travel, lodging & meals	31,747	15,947	4,948	-	52,242 37,561
Space rental & maintenance	40,487	43,367	1,630	-	85,484 78,139
Printing	35,542	10,861	8,379	2,873	59,455 48,455
Equipment rental & maintenance	32,046	21,890	3,788	-	57,885 51,851
Delivery	23,822	11,247	9,216	2,776	47,061 38,576
Supplies	7,731	9,886	6,204	10,016	33,805 27,957
Telephone	16,730	1,915	1,678	-	20,303 20,310
Professional fees	18,416	-	-	-	18,416 8,841
Amortization	16,606	-	-	-	16,606 13,032
Bank charges & interest	14,404	-	-	-	14,404 14,137
Organizational retreat	22,416	-	-	-	22,416 -
Legal support	4,000	-	-	-	4,000 -
	519,585	192,816	57,805	36,256	806,262 663,024
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses					
	(35,203)	153,047	4801	31,361	148,514 20,241

# ONTARIO LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 1998

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### 1. Status and nature of activities

The Ontario Library Association is incorporated without share capital under the laws of the Province of Ontario and qualified as a non-profit organization under provisions of the Income Tax Act (Canada). Its purpose is to defend the democratic right of all individuals to free and equal access to information and to encourage the development and improvement of library services and programs throughout Ontario.

### 2. Fund accounting

The general fund accounts for current operations and programs as well as the Association's administrative activities.

The Elizabeth Ann Cummings Memorial Lecture Fund accounts for a lecture event to advance the library profession. Restricted contributions and expenses for this purpose are reported in this fund.

The Margaret Scott Memorial Fund accounts for scholarships awarded to librarians for their attendance at continuing education, networking events and research. Restricted contributions and expenses for this purpose are reported in this fund.

The Grace Buller Scholarship Fund accounts for scholarships awarded to Ontario residents that would lead to the improvement of library services to special interest groups. Restricted contributions and expenses for this purpose are reported in this fund.

The Legal Defence Fund accounts for assistance provided to Ontario libraries to obtain legal counsel on issues threatening programs and services in the province. Restricted contributions and expenses for this purpose are reported in this fund.

### 3. Significant accounting policies

#### Revenue recognition

The Association follows the fund accounting method in which extremely restricted contributions are recognized when they are received in the fund corresponding to the purpose for which they were donated. Unrestricted contributions and restricted contributions for the reduction of the deficit (\$2,689 (1997 - \$1,151)) are recognized in the general fund when received.

# ONTARIO LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 1990

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### 3. Significant accounting policies (continued)

#### Revenue recognition

The Ontario operating grant is recognized as revenue of the general fund on the basis of the number of months of the Ontario Government's fiscal year falling within the association's fiscal period. Other special purpose grants are applied against the related expenses when the expenditures to which they relate have been incurred.

Membership fees, registration fees, contract administration fees and the sale of publications and materials are recognized as revenue of the general fund when received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

#### Inventory

Inventory is comprised of publications and items for resale and is valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Cost is determined using the first-in, first-out basis.

#### Capital assets

Purchased capital assets are carried at the lower of cost less accumulated amortization and the estimated net recoverable amount in the general fund. Contributed capital assets are recorded in the general fund at management's estimate of fair value at the date of contribution. Amortization is provided over the related assets' estimated useful lives, using the following methods and annual rates:

Computer equipment & software	20% declining method
Office furniture & equipment	20% declining method
Leasehold improvements	Straight-line over the term of the lease

#### Contributed services

The Association would not be able to carry out its activities without the services of the many volunteers who donate a considerable number of hours. Because of the difficulty of determining their fair value, contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements.

# ONTARIO LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 1998

### 4. Interfund loans

Interfund loans bear interest at the bank prime rate plus 1% and are not governed by terms of repayment.

### 5. Capital assets

	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Net book value 1998	Net book value 1997
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Office furniture & equipment	62,127	45,956	16,162	16,774
Computer equipment & software	143,743	88,327	55,416	38,761
Leasedhold improvements	—	1,450	3,832	—
	<u>216,950</u>	<u>145,713</u>	<u>64,280</u>	<u>54,525</u>

### 6. Deferred revenue

The deferred portion of the operating grant which is recorded in the general fund represents funding to cover the operating expenses of the association for three months subsequent to year end. The following summarizes Ontario grant transactions for the period:

	1998	1997
	\$	\$
Balance, beginning of year	8,950	11,200
Add: operating grant received	35,800	36,800
Less: amount recognized as revenue in the year	(35,800)	(36,800)
Balance, end of year	8,950	8,950

Deferred conference revenue represents registration fees collected during the current fiscal year for the association's super conference held subsequent to year end \$193,550 (1997 - \$188,810).

Deferred contract revenue represents the net of expenditures incurred in project management against recoveries received for projects continuing subsequent to year end - \$17,150 (1997 - \$17,251).

## ONTARIO LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 1998

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#### 7. Lease commitment

The association leases its office premises and is committed to the following minimum annual rental payments for the year ending December 31:

1999	\$10,246
2000	12,240
2001	8,250

#### 8. Comparative figures

Certain of the comparative figures have been reclassified to conform with the method of presentation adopted for the current year. These changes have had no effect on operating results previously reported.