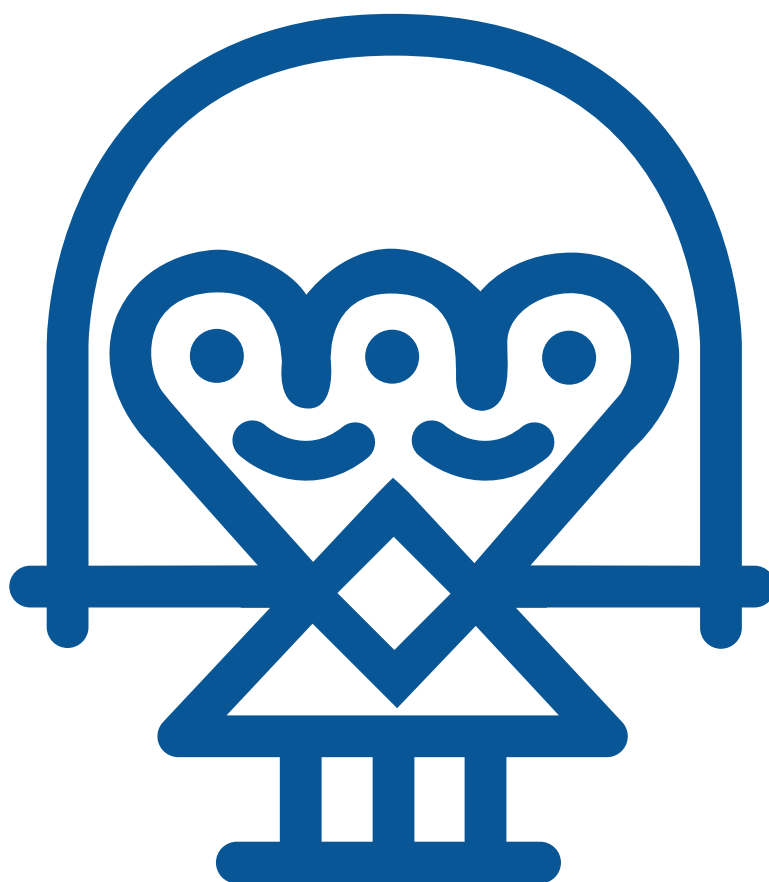


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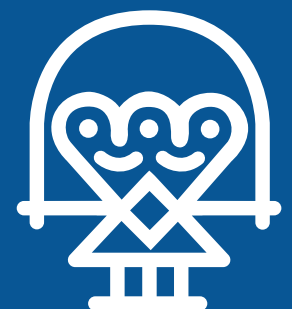
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CHARTER OF THE CHILDREN'S FUND OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

WHO ARE WE

The Children's Fund of the Slovak Republic was established on 12th May, 1990 as a nation-wide independent non-governmental organisation with the objective of protecting the children's rights and assisting in creating ideological, conceptual, and material conditions for health-, social, educational and psychological care for children and youth in Slovakia.

The Children's Fund is involved in projects beneficial to the public, however, it does not substitute the care of the state for children and youth; it is active in areas where the state cannot act due to various reasons.

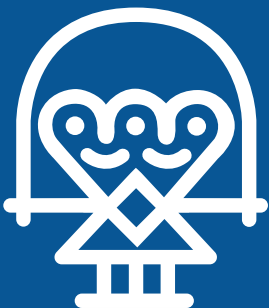
WHY ARE WE

We understood that:

- there is a degree of suffering that results in a feeling of resignation,
- some of them may be silent and we may be unable to hear them,
- a natural need of each of us is to help,
- the need to help only seems to be in contradiction to the world we live in,
- our world should be built also on the principle of equal opportunities.

OUR OBJECTIVES

- To point out groups which are often unable to help themselves and need our partnership.
- To help groups under threat.
- To cooperate with professionals, to contribute to quality of their work with children.
- To appeal to the public, to point out egoism, to stimulate feelings of togetherness in the society, to replace the monologue with a dialogue. To maintain a dialogue between humanity and economic rationality.
- To assist legal entities and individuals in searching the way to a moral credit of a "good citizen". To build on positive properties of the society ("we want to" rather than "we have to").
- To enforce equality of rights for all regardless of age, sex, physical and mental condition, on the basis of the Convention on the Rights of the Child.
- To profile the CF SR as a strong, transparent and trustworthy organisation.



CHILDREN'S FUND BODIES

ASSEMBLY	Members	Members of the CF SR
PRESIDIUM	Chairperson:	Štefan Matula
	Deputy Chairperson:	Nadežda Feketeová
	Members:	René Arnold Mikuláš Čurik from 7.12.06 Karol Dendis Ľubor Gáll Andrej Haršányi Karol Illý Milan Ježo from 7.12.06 Vladimír Jurkovič Martin Král Simona Michalíková Svetlana Poláková to 7.12.06 Peter Princ Roman Scherhauser Alena Synková Adrián Sýkora Tomáš Weis
AUDITING COMMISSION	Chairperson:	Eva Špičková
	Members:	Tibor Kováč to 7.12.06 Zuzana Némethová from 7.12.06 Eva Vargová
SECRETARIAT	Director:	Alena Synková
	Economist, Project Manager:	Lívia Čanigová
	Project Manager - Social Projects:	Michaela Šopová
	Social worker part time	Lucia Zaťková from 1.6. to 31.12.06
ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF THE BARRIERS ACCOUNT	Chairperson:	Milan Ježo
	Members:	Zuzana Banghová Kamila Bohunská Lívia Čanigová Miriam Čepíková to 7.12.06 Andrej Haršányi Ján Koreň Štefan Matula Alena Synková



ASSISTANCE TO CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

BARRIERS ACCOUNT

THE BARRIERS ACCOUNT is a project with nationwide operation, which has been in existence since 1993 assisting children and young people with a disability to improve the quality of their life.

THE BARRIERS ACCOUNT has two main objectives:

- To provide material assistance – to contribute towards aids, equipment and activities helping to overcome barriers. It contributes particularly towards wheelchairs, carriages and accessories, television reading magnifying lenses, specially modified computers, Fono programmes, listening apparatuses, various rehabilitation aids and facilities, contributions towards accessibility modifications, etc.
- To form partnership between healthy people and people with a disability.

The contribution is on the basis of individual applications from parents and applications from institutions, which care for children and young people with a disability.

The funds of THE BARRIERS ACCOUNT are sourced from a public collection permitted by the Ministry of Interior of the Slovak Republic.

IN 2006 THE BARRIERS ACCOUNT CONTRIBUTED TOWARDS AIDS BY SKK 879,408. THE TOTAL AMOUNT, WHICH THE BARRIERS ACCOUNT CONTRIBUTED TOWARDS AIDS BETWEEN 1995 AND 2006, IS SKK 10,144,737 (list of contributions on www.dfsr.sk).

CHILDREN INJURY

CAMPAIGN - PREVENT CHILDREN FROM DEATH

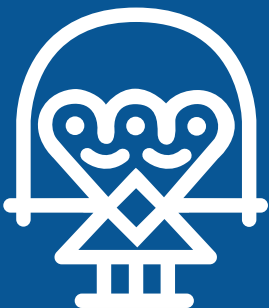
In the middle of February we launched national campaign named PREVENT CHILDREN FROM DEATH to reduce fatal injuries of children. Injuries are the main reason of children death. In Slovak republic die 200 children and juveniles every year because of traffic accidents, accidental drowning, various falls, burns and scalds, suffocation and poisoning. Traffic accidents are the main cause of injury death for children and the young, it is about 40%.

The aim of the campaign "Prevent children from death" is to contribute to reduction of children injuries and to help to built culture of safety in the society. Project is planned to continue several years with involvement of as many as possible partners.

THIS PART OF CAMPAIGN CONSISTED OF BILLBOARDS(150), RADIO- (30) AND TV- (PREPARED BASIC DOCUMENT, WILL BE BROADCASTED 2007) SPOTS, POSTERS (800) AND UNDER WINDOWS LABELS (20) IN BRATSLAVA CITY TRANSPORTATION, POSTERS IN PAEDIATRICIANS' WAITING-ROOMS (4000), PRESS CONFERENCE PR-ARTICLES.

SOCIAL PROJECTS

The Children's Fund has been implementing projects of social prevention and social counselling for disadvantaged groups since 1992. Clients are provided with information service, crisis intervention and long-term counselling in stressful life situations.



MIXCLUB

low threshold for children and juveniles

The project MIXCLUB follows up and widens the recent project of social prevention and social counselling PENTAGON (streetwork with children at risk and with their families in boarding-house so called Pentagon, carried out in the years 2000 to 2004).

Low threshold means breaking the barriers (social, race, communicative, economic, ...) and enabling maximum availability of services (without registration, fees, without restriction of race, gender, nationality or religion).

- Low threshold for children and juveniles in Bratislava - MIXCLUB, located at Stavbárska 60, Bratislava, is addressed to children and juveniles of 6 to 18 years of age, living mainly in risky and asocial environment.

It offers complex services throughout contact work, social help and psychosocial support, which are combined with the offer of leisure-time activities. Our target is to create conditions for making contact – relation with individuals and social groups, which are ignoring or do not seek the standard institutional assistance. We are trying to increase the quality of live of the target group also by creating conditions for active leisure-time spending, increasing social and life skills of children and juveniles and giving assistance for solving their problems. The part of the project is also work with inhabitants of the local community and with representatives of local authorities.

IN THE YEAR 2006 WE WORKED TOGETHER WITH 120 CHILDREN AND JUVENILES AND WE MADE CONTACT WITH 46 PARENTS AND OTHER ADULTS. ONE MEETING WAS VISITED BY 30 CHILDREN, SPECIAL ACTIVITIES ABOUT 35 CHILDREN ON AVERAGE.

EXPERIENCE IT ON YOUR OWN III.

group work with children and their parents

The project EXPERIENCE IT ON YOUR OWN has started in 2004. It is aimed at work with children who have attention disorders, hyperactivity and behaviour disorders (ADHD), so called problematic children, who are visiting first and second level of elementary school in Bratislava region and their closest social environment – family. The part of the project is work with the whole family as a basic cell, in which the child grows up and modifies its behaviour.

The project was carried out by afternoon meetings – 2 times per week with younger and older children, 2 times per month with parents and 1-2 times per month common meeting for children and parents.

Throughout the group form of work and activities of experience pedagogy with children we wish to support healthy development of their personalities, self-confidence, actualization of their potential abilities and inner positive sources. Activities put into the programme support their orientation on positive life values, self-recognition and taking responsibility for their own behaviour. The programme leads to whole harmonization of the personality, and to a support of prosocial behaviour of children and improves relations with parents.

IN 2005 WE WORKED WITH 16 CHILDREN AND 15 PARENTS.

TURNING POINT

Assistance to unemployed youth

The TURNING POINT club exists since 1992 as a support social project with the objective of assisting young people – graduates of elementary schools, high schools, universities and youth under threat (i.e., particularly those who achieved a minimum



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degree of education and grew up in socially insufficiently stimulating environment) to find their way in the labour market.

During these group and individual meetings we worked together with our clients on increasing the level of their social-communication skills, positive self-representation and on elaborating of individual action plans. The part of the meetings was the orientation on the labour market, preparation for the job interview, writing a C.V., writing a motivation letter, writing a job application.

IN 2006 OUR SERVICE USED 14 CLIENTS, 70% OF THEM, RESOLVED THEIR PROBLEM OF UNEMPLOYMENT.

FOR OURSELVES

Assistance to unemployed women – mothers

Since 1997, the FOR OURSELVES club has been helping unemployed women with children of up to 10 years of age who are limited more than anyone else in selection of a job by the time and location restrictions.

In the framework of the club activities, we provide the unemployed women with assistance in finding their way in the labour market, getting a job in as short time as possible, as well as in improvement of communication and presentation skills, in increasing of their self-confidence (a lot of women are not self-confident enough after being a long time maternity leave, they hardly get over rejection and failure in the labour market).

IN 2006, THE CLUB WAS VISITED BY 15 WOMEN, 60% OF THEM, RESOLVED THEIR UNEMPLOYMENT POSITIVELY.

INDIVIDUAL SOCIAL COUNSELLING

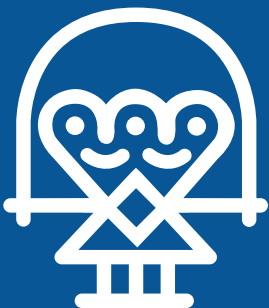
The Children's Fund provides also individual social counselling for people in stressful or crisis situations. This service is used by people who have problems in partnership and family relations, they are suffering from domestic violence or they have problem with getting accommodation. Our assistance consists mainly of social counselling, communication with administrative authorities, assistance in obtaining emergency or substitute accommodation and in creating a network of assisting professionals in Bratislava but also in other cities.

IN 2006, OUR ASSISTANCE WAS SOUGHT BY 10 CLIENTS.

FUND FOR POOR CHILDREN

At the beginning of the year 2006 we have launched a new project to help children from poor families. The aim of the project is to provide these children with school facilities. In January we donated children from "Fortuna"-social boarding-house in Bratislava – Dubravka and in September children from "Kopčany"-social boarding-house in Bratislava - Petržalka and children from the crises center "Brána do života" in Bratislava – Petržalka.

IN THE YEAR 2006 WE DONATED POOR CHILDREN WITH SCHOOL FACILITIES IN TOTAL AMOUNT OF SKK 32,855 AS THE SUPPORT OF EDUCATION.



OTHER ACTIVITIES

EDUCATION

- For students we organized educational meetings about activities of the Children's Fund and they had possibilities to do their practice in MIXklub.
- The low threshold workers from MIXCLUB were regularly taking part in supervision meetings that were oriented on their personal growth and on improvement of their professional work.
- We are included in a preparation on the standards of the low threshold programmes for children and youth in Slovakia.

EXPERT CONFERENCES

Since 1990, the Children's Fund has been organising expert conferences CHILD AT RISK which are focused on mapping the current status of threats to healthy development of the young generation, particularly from social, health, mental, and legislative aspects.

PUBLICATIONS OF ORGANIZATION

FIRST BOOK ABOUT ME AND MY FRIENDS "PUT INTO OFFSIDE" - publication focused on prevention of bullying for pupils of elementary schools and their pedagogues

SECOND BOOK ABOUT ME AND MY FRIENDS "BEYOND THE KEYHOLE" - info material - folder about decent and indecent behaviour for children and parents

POCKET GUIDE OF AN UNEMPLOYED WOMAN 1 - 5: WHAT AM I? UNEMPLOYED. BROKE. BEATEN. BORED. WASTEFUL. - a series of five information brochures designated for unemployed women

I AM IN THE STREET. BOTH DAY AND NIGHT. WHAT TO DO ABOUT THAT? - a series of three info materials about networks of Bratislava and Banska Bystrica assisting people in stressful life situations

A GUIDE TO BARRIER-FREE BRATISLAVA - a publication with a special map indicating barrier-free places and designated for citizens with handicap of Bratislava

PROCEEDINGS OF CHILD AT RISK I. - XV. - proceedings of presentations and conclusions of the conference

THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD AND MYTHS ABOUT THEM - a poster concerning currently violated children's rights in Slovakia

COMPLETED PROJECTS

I AM HERE WITH YOU

The project we run from the year 2002 and the aim of it is to improve stay of a child in the hospital. In the year 2005 we finished the 4th stage of this project with an objective to arrange more departments for common stay of parent and child in the hospital.

In this stage there were created conditions for all-day long common stay of parent and child in 3 hospitals in Slovakia.

IN COOPERATION WITH DONORS THERE WAS GIVEN OUT EQUIPMENT FOR ANOTHER 13 SPACES IN TOTAL AMOUNT OF SKK 572,480. DURING ALL FOUR



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STAGES OF THIS PROJECT FROM 2002 EQUIPMENT FOR 53 DEPARTMENTS AND 21 PC SETS IN TOTAL AMOUNT OF SKK 3,443,633 WERE PURCHASED.

ISLANDS OF LIFE

The project was implemented in 1999 – 2001 and the objective was to obtain funds and to purchase the so-called “Islands of life” consisting of a set of instruments for saving lives of children – a ventilator, a monitor, a positioning bed and infusion technology.

3 COMPLETE AND 2 PARTIAL ISLANDS OF LIFE WERE PURCHASED FOR INTENSIVE CARE UNITS OF CHILDREN HOSPITALS IN BRATISLAVA, BANSKA BYSTRICA, MARTIN, AND KOŠICE IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF SKK 7.7 MILLION.

CAMPAIGN “HITTING PEOPLE IS WRONG... CHILDREN ARE PEOPLE, TOO!”

The project was implemented in 2001 and the objective of the campaign was to open a public discussion on the topic of (impunity of) the use of corporal punishment on children. The campaign consisted of a press conference, billboards, radio spots, a web discussion site, an answering machine, advertising, PR articles and interviews for media.

AWARDS

ANTIDRUG ACT 2005 – award which got low threshold MIXCLUB for preventive activities with children.

ROMA ROSE AWARD – got the low threshold MIXCLUB from Roma non-governmental organization. MIXCLUB got it in the 2005 for education and upbringing Roma children as the only nonroma organization.

AWARD GOLDEN CLIENT OF THE YEAR 2004 - the Children's Fund of the Slovak Republic received for the assistance campaign towards THE BARRIERS ACCOUNT „Exceptional children“ in the competition for the most creative advertisement in Slovakia named Golden nail 2004 – 26th March 2004.

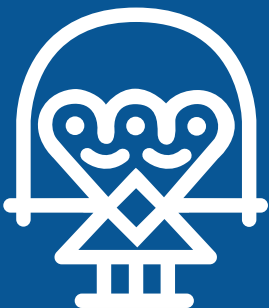
MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANISATIONS

DEFENCE FOR CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL (DCI)

Since 1991, the Children's Fund has been a member of the international organisation Defence for Children International (DCI) with the sit in Geneva. DCI was founded in the International Year of the Child (1979) with the focus on support and protection of children's rights. DCI assists implementation of the Convention on the Rights of the Child.

SLOVAK HUMANITARIAN COUNCIL (SHC)

The Children's Fund has been a member of the Slovak Humanitarian Council since its foundation. SHC acts as a national voluntary centre of humanitarian and charity organisations.



FINANCIAL REPORT

(In thousands of SKK)

BALANCE SHEET

TOTAL ASSETS		5,220	TOTAL LIABILITIES		5,220
Long-lived tangible assets			Funds of the organisation		
- Works and collections of art	190		- Registered capital		1,952
Financial investment			- Fund – public collection		2,207
- Partnership-interests in business corporation	210		- Accounting profit		- 102
Financial assets			Long-term liabilities		
- Cash	4		- Social fund		9
- Cash and cash equivalents in bank	4,815		Short-term liabilities		
Accrued assets			- Employee benefit obligations		65
- Pre-paid expenses	1		- Clearing with social security institutions		28
			- Tax obligations		8
			Accrued liabilities		
			- Accrued expenses		4
			- Accrued revenue		1,049

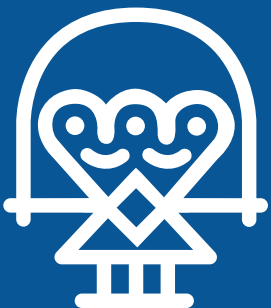
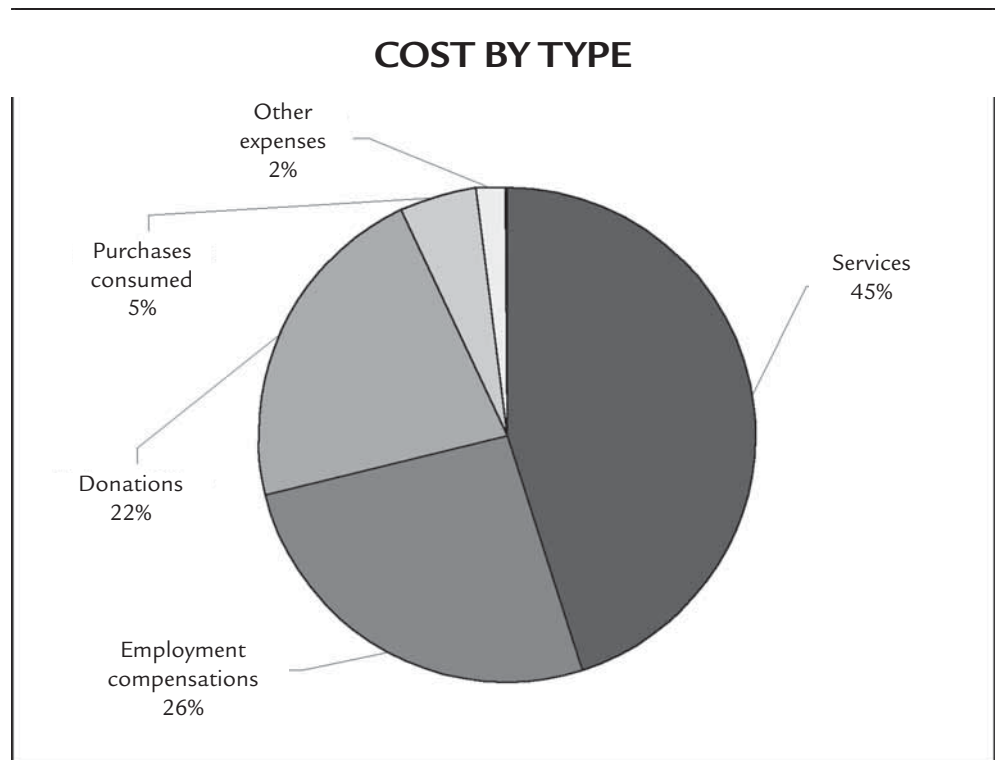
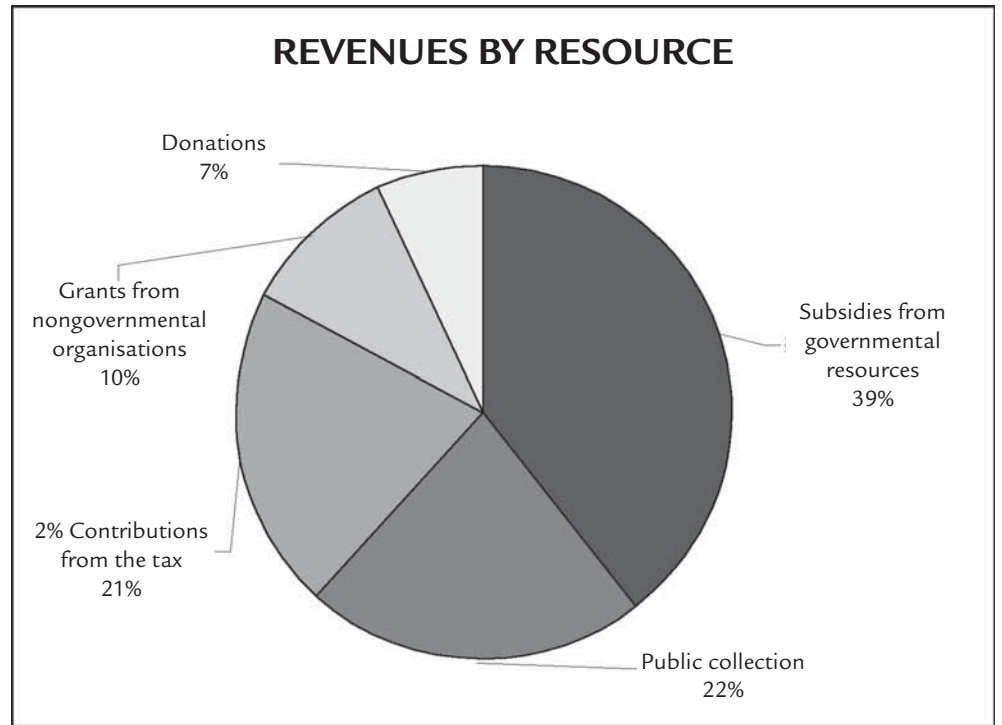
INCOME STATEMENT

REVENUE TOTAL	4,021
Subsidies for operation	1,555
Other revenues	879
2% contribution from the tax	830
Contributions received from other organizations	690
Interest	55
Contributions received from natural persons	9
Membership fees received	3
EXPENSES TOTAL	4,123
Other services	1,859
Donations	912
Labour costs	866
Statutory social insurance	190
Consumption of material	120
Energy consumption	96
Exchange rate	54
Other expenses	12
Income tax	10
Statutory social costs	3
Other taxes and expenses	1
ACCOUNTING LOSS	- 102

The economic management is verified by the Revision Commission of the Children Fund of the SR and approved by the Presidium of the Children Fund of the SR.



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2% OF THE INCOME TAX TO THE ORGANISATION'S ACTIVITY,
TO THE BARRIERS ACCOUNT
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