

**P.E.F. ISRAEL ENDOWMENT FUNDS, INC.
COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015
AND
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Directors of
P.E.F Israel Endowment Funds, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of P.E.F. Israel Endowment Funds, Inc. (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of November 30, 2016 and 2015, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits 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 from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of P.E.F Israel Endowment Funds, Inc. as of November 30, 2016 and 2015, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Greenfield & Fortuna, LLP

New York, N.Y.
March 31, 2017

P.E.F. ISRAEL ENDOWMENT FUNDS, INC.
STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION
NOVEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015

	<u>NOVEMBER 30,</u> <u>2016</u>	<u>NOVEMBER 30,</u> <u>2015</u>
Assets		
Cash	\$ 3,599,348	\$ 3,350,185
Unconditional Promise to Give		35,200
Interest and Dividends Receivable	72,905	88,952
Prepaid Expenses	55,419	51,213
Investments	143,878,045	121,071,570
Equipment and Leasehold Improvements, net	40,509	51,461
Other Assets	<u>68,180</u>	<u>62,880</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 147,714,406</u>	<u>\$ 124,711,461</u>
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Liabilities:		
Grants Payable	\$ 1,298,806	\$ 1,272,164
Deferred Rent and Accrued Liabilities	<u>90,882</u>	<u>71,551</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>1,389,688</u>	<u>1,343,715</u>
Commitment and Contingency (Note 6)		
Net Assets:		
Unrestricted	121,292,112	98,201,866
Temporarily Restricted	3,853,781	3,987,055
Permanently Restricted	<u>21,178,825</u>	<u>21,178,825</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>146,324,718</u>	<u>123,367,746</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 147,714,406</u>	<u>\$ 124,711,461</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

P.E.F. ISRAEL ENDOWMENT FUNDS, INC.
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
YEAR ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2016

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	TOTAL
Revenue				
Contributions	\$ 123,880,590	\$ 15,000	\$ -	\$ 123,895,590
Interest and Dividends, net	1,714,073	123,808		1,837,881
Net Realized and Unrealized Gains on Investments	3,172,703	26,487		3,199,190
	<u>128,767,366</u>	<u>165,295</u>		<u>128,932,661</u>
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	<u>298,569</u>	<u>(298,569)</u>		
Total Revenue	<u>129,065,935</u>	<u>(133,274)</u>		<u>128,932,661</u>
Expenses				
Grants to Qualified Organizations and Related Expenses	105,312,754			105,312,754
General and Administrative	648,113			648,113
Fundraising	14,822			14,822
Total Expenses	<u>105,975,689</u>			<u>105,975,689</u>
Change in Net Assets	23,090,246	(133,274)		22,956,972
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	<u>98,201,866</u>	<u>3,987,055</u>	<u>21,178,825</u>	<u>123,367,746</u>
Net Assets - End of Year	<u>\$ 121,292,112</u>	<u>\$ 3,853,781</u>	<u>\$ 21,178,825</u>	<u>\$ 146,324,718</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

P.E.F. ISRAEL ENDOWMENT FUNDS, INC.
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
YEAR ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2015

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	TOTAL
Revenue				
Contributions	\$ 64,027,942	\$ 48,188	\$ -	\$ 64,076,130
Interest and Dividends, net	1,529,802	85,043		1,614,845
Net Realized and Unrealized (Losses) on Investments	(1,955,739)	(114,154)		(2,069,893)
	<u>63,602,005</u>	<u>19,077</u>		<u>63,621,082</u>
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	<u>315,408</u>	<u>(315,408)</u>		
Total Revenue	<u>63,917,413</u>	<u>(296,331)</u>		<u>63,621,082</u>
Expenses				
Grants to Qualified Organizations and Related Expenses	66,404,572			66,404,572
General and Administrative	592,142			592,142
Fundraising	<u>14,311</u>			<u>14,311</u>
Total Expenses	<u>67,011,025</u>			<u>67,011,025</u>
Change in Net Assets	(3,093,612)	(296,331)		(3,389,943)
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	<u>101,295,478</u>	<u>4,283,386</u>	<u>21,178,825</u>	<u>126,757,689</u>
Net Assets - End of Year	<u>\$ 98,201,866</u>	<u>\$ 3,987,055</u>	<u>\$ 21,178,825</u>	<u>\$ 123,367,746</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

P.E.F. ISRAEL ENDOWMENT FUNDS, INC.
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015

	2016	2015
Cash Flows From Operating Activities		
Change in Net Assets	\$ 22,956,972	\$ (3,389,943)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash used in operating activities:		
Depreciation	10,952	12,798
Net Realized and Unrealized (Gains) Losses on Investments	(3,199,190)	2,069,893
Donated Securities	(26,976,737)	(2,839,008)
(Increase) decrease in operating assets:		
Unconditional Promise to Give	35,200	(35,200)
Interest and Dividends Receivable	16,047	16,343
Prepaid Expenses	(4,206)	(6,536)
Other Assets	(5,300)	1,921
Increase (decrease) in operating liabilities:		
Grants Payable	26,642	(290,816)
Deferred Rent and Accrued Liabilities	19,331	23,552
Net Cash (Used In) Operating Activities	(7,120,289)	(4,436,996)
Cash Flows From Investing Activities		
Purchases of Equipment		(2,333)
Proceeds from Sales of Investments	46,683,926	23,628,364
Purchases of Investments	(39,314,474)	(18,958,929)
Net Cash Provided By Investing Activities	7,369,452	4,667,102
Net Increase In Cash	249,163	230,106
Cash At Beginning of Year	3,350,185	3,120,079
Cash At End of Year	\$ 3,599,348	\$ 3,350,185

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

P.E.F. ISRAEL ENDOWMENT FUNDS, INC.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
NOVEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015

NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a) Organization

P.E.F. Israel Endowment Funds, Inc. (PEF) is a non-profit organization incorporated in the State of New York and is a tax-exempt public charity under the United States Internal Revenue Code 501(c)(3). It was established in 1922 as Palestine Endowment Funds, Inc. After the founding of the State of Israel its name was changed. PEF's support is derived from public contributions by individuals and organizations. PEF primarily supports charitable organizations in Israel.

b) Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of PEF have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).

c) Basis of Presentation

The organization is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets.

Unrestricted Net Assets - net assets that are not subject to donor imposed stipulations and where a privilege of grant recommendation is given to the donor (and his or her designees) and the distribution of principal and income is governed by PEF grant guidelines. Even when a recommendation fully complies with such guidelines, the Board of Directors has the absolute power and authority to reject such recommendation.

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets - consist of contributed funds subject to specific donor-imposed restrictions, contingent upon the occurrence of a specific future event or a specific passage of time before PEF may spend the funds, and earnings on endowment funds that have not yet been appropriated.

Permanently Restricted Net Assets - are subject to donor-imposed restrictions requiring that the assets be maintained in perpetuity.
(See Note 4)

d) Use of Estimates

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported revenues and expenses. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

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NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES
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e) Contribution Revenue

Contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Amounts received that are designated for future periods are reported as temporarily restricted or permanently restricted contributions that increases those net asset classes. When the temporary restriction expires, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions. Donated marketable securities are recorded as contributions at their fair values on date of donation.

f) Grants

Grants made to others are recorded as an expense when they become unconditional promises by PEF to give based on guidelines promulgated by the Board of Directors. At November 30, 2016 and 2015, promises to give to grantees but not disbursed were \$1,298,806 and \$1,272,164, respectively and payable within one year.

g) Functional allocation of expenses

The costs of providing grants and supporting services have been summarized on a functional basis in the accompanying statements of activities. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the grant making and supporting services in reasonable ratios determined by management.

h) Cash

Cash is composed of available cash balances. PEF maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts.

i) Promises to Give

Promises to give are oral or written agreements by donors to contribute cash or other assets to an entity. A promise to give is unconditional if its receipt depends only on the passage of time or demand by the organization and no right of return of any assets transferred exists. Conditional promises generally depend on some future event occurring before the promisor is bound or allow for a right of return of assets depending on some future event. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected in less than one year are recorded at their net realizable value, which is the estimate of their fair value. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected in more than one year are recorded at fair value, which is measured as the present value of their future cash flows.

The discounts on those amounts are computed using risk-adjusted interest rates applicable to the years in which the promises are received. Amortization of the discounts is included in contribution revenue. Unconditional promises with donor imposed restrictions are recorded as either temporarily or permanently restricted contributions. Conditional promises are recorded when the conditions are substantially met or explicitly waived, at which time the conditional promise becomes unconditional.

The organization had no unconditional promises to give at November 30, 2016. At November 30, 2015, the organization had one written unconditional promise to give for \$35,200 which was received on December 14, 2015.

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NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES
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j) Investments and Investment Income

Investments in equity securities with readily determinable fair values and all investments in debt securities are reported at fair value determined on the basis of quoted market prices. Investments in non-exchange traded limited partnerships, hedge funds and similar interests for which market values are not readily obtainable are carried at fair value as determined by the respective limited partnership, hedge fund or PEF's management. These values may differ significantly from values that would have been used had a readily available market existed for such investments, and the differences could be material to the change in net assets of PEF.

Investment transactions are recorded on a trade-date basis. Realized gains and losses are determined on the first-in, first-out basis. Unrealized gains or losses are determined by comparing cost to fair value at the beginning and end of the year. Gains or losses on investments are recognized as increases or decreases in unrestricted net assets unless their use is temporarily or permanently restricted by explicit donor stipulations.

Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Interest and dividend income for the years ended November 30, 2016 and 2015 are shown net of investment expenses of \$664,447 and \$676,008 respectively.

k) Fair Value of Financial Instruments

PEF's financial instruments are cash, unconditional promise to give and grants payable. The recorded values of these financial instruments approximate their fair values based on their short-term nature.

l) Concentrations of Credit Risk and Market Risk

Financial instruments that potentially subject PEF to concentrations of credit risk consist principally of cash and money market funds that are deposited in financial institutions which exceeded federally insured limits at times during the years ended November 30, 2016 and 2015. PEF has not experienced any losses in such accounts and management believes the organization is not exposed to any significant risk on these accounts.

PEF utilizes various investment instruments including mutual funds. Investment securities, in general, are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate risk, credit risk, and overall market volatility. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such change could materially affect the amounts reported in the financial statements.

m) Donated Services

No amounts have been reflected in the financial statements for donated services. PEF generally pays for services requiring specific expertise. Trustees volunteer their time and perform a variety of tasks that assists PEF in its operations.

At times, trustees also make cash and non-cash contributions to the organization which are included in the financial statements.

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 NOVEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015

NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES
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n) Depreciation

Equipment and Leasehold improvements are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Fixed asset expenditures in excess of \$1,000 are capitalized. The cost of maintenance and repairs is recorded as expenses are incurred. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives of 3 to 7 years for equipment. Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the shorter of their estimated useful lives or the term of the related lease.

o) Income Taxes

PEF is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, except on net income derived from unrelated business activities. No taxes were paid for unrelated business activities in the years ended November 30, 2016 and 2015. PEF believes that it has appropriate support for any tax positions taken, and as such, does not have any uncertain tax positions that are material to the financial statements. PEF's Forms 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, for the current fiscal year and the last three years are subject to examination by the Internal Revenue Service.

NOTE 2 – EQUIPMENT AND LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS

Equipment and leasehold improvements consist of the following at November 30:

	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Equipment	\$ 75,730	\$ 75,730
Leasehold Improvements	<u>3,315</u>	<u>3,315</u>
	79,045	79,045
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(38,536)</u>	<u>(27,584)</u>
	<u>\$ 40,509</u>	<u>\$ 51,461</u>

For the years ended November 30, 2016 and 2015, depreciation expense was \$10,952 and \$12,798, respectively.

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NOTE 3 - ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

To pay its operating expenses, PEF charges an administrative fee to all donor-advised funds as described below. Fees were based on total asset value as follows:

<u>Account Balance</u>	<u>Administrative Fee (Per Annum)</u>
Assets up to \$4,000,000	75 basis points
Additional assets exceeding \$4,000,000	30 basis points

The administrative fee is charged annually, and it reduces the value of the donor-advised funds and increases the value of PEF's operating fund. The fee was \$565,232 and \$586,738 for years ended November 30, 2016 and November 30, 2015 respectively.

NOTE 4 - ENDOWMENT FUNDS

PEF is subject to the New York Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act ("NYPMIFA). In accordance with NYPMIFA, PEF applies a standard of prudence and considers the following factors prescribed by NYPMIFA in making a determination to appropriate for expenditure or to accumulate donor-restricted endowments funds:

- (1) The duration and preservation of the fund
- (2) The purposes of PEF and its donor-restricted endowment fund
- (3) General economic conditions
- (4) The possible effect of inflation or deflation
- (5) The expected total return from income and the appreciation of investments
- (6) Other resources of PEF
- (7) The investment policies of PEF, and
- (8) Where appropriate, alternatives to spending from donor-restricted endowment funds and the possible effects on PEF.

PEF's endowment consists of 8 individual funds (4 permanently restricted and 4 temporarily restricted) and is an aggregation of gifts provided by donors with the requirement they be held in perpetuity or for a period of time to generate earnings now and in future years to support funding its programs and administrative operating costs.

PEF classifies as permanently restricted net assets: (a) the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the permanent endowment, and (c) accumulations to the permanent endowment made in accordance with the direction of the applicable donor gift instrument. The remaining portion of the donor-restricted endowment fund that is not classified in permanently restricted net assets is classified as temporarily restricted net assets until such amounts can be prudently spent, consistent with donor stipulations.

Endowment net asset composition by type of fund as of November 30, 2016 and 2015 is as follows:

		<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Permanently Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Donor Restricted	2016	<u>\$ (4,471,312)</u>	<u>\$ 3,853,781</u>	<u>\$ 21,178,825</u>	<u>\$ 20,561,294</u>
Donor Restricted	2015	<u>\$ (3,317,076)</u>	<u>\$ 3,987,055</u>	<u>\$ 21,178,825</u>	<u>\$ 21,848,804</u>

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NOTE 4 - ENDOWMENT FUNDS (Continued)

From time to time, the fair value of assets associated with individual donor-restricted endowment funds may fall below the level that the donor requires PEF to retain as a fund of perpetual duration. In accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles, accumulated deficiencies of this nature that are reported in unrestricted net assets totaled \$4,471,312 and \$3,317,076 as of November 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively. It represented 1 individual donor-restricted endowment fund for each year.

Changes in Endowment Net Assets
for the Fiscal Year Ended November 30, 2016

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Permanently Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Endowment net assets, beginning of year	\$ (3,317,076)	\$ 3,987,055	\$ 21,178,825	\$ 21,848,804
Contributions		15,000		15,000
Investment return:				
Investment Income	204,082	123,808		327,890
Net appreciation (depreciation) (realized and unrealized)	<u>(72,879)</u>	<u>26,487</u>	<u> </u>	<u>(46,392)</u>
Total investment return	131,203	150,295		281,498
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	<u>(1,285,439)</u>	<u>(298,569)</u>	<u> </u>	<u>(1,584,008)</u>
Endowment net assets, end of year	<u>\$ (4,471,312)</u>	<u>\$ 3,853,781</u>	<u>\$ 21,178,825</u>	<u>\$ 20,561,294</u>

Changes in Endowment Net Assets
for the Fiscal Year Ended November 30, 2015

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Permanently Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Endowment net assets, beginning of year	\$ (2,475,110)	\$ 4,283,386	\$ 21,178,825	\$ 22,987,101
Contributions		48,188		48,188
Investment return:				
Investment Income	219,210	85,043		304,253
Net appreciation (realized and unrealized)	<u>320,356</u>	<u>14,154</u>	<u> </u>	<u>206,202</u>
Total investment return	539,566	(29,111)		510,455
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	<u>(1,381,532)</u>	<u>(315,408)</u>	<u> </u>	<u>(1,696,940)</u>
Endowment net assets, end of year	<u>\$ (3,317,076)</u>	<u>\$ 3,987,055</u>	<u>\$ 21,178,825</u>	<u>\$ 21,848,804</u>

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NOTE 4 - ENDOWMENT FUNDS (Continued)

Return objectives and risk parameters:

PEF has adopted investment and spending policies for endowment assets to provide a stable stream of funding for programs supported by its endowment. Endowment assets include those assets of donor-restricted funds that the organization must hold in perpetuity, or for a donor-specified period. Endowment assets are invested in a manner intended to produce results that meet or exceed the five-year consumer price index. Actual returns in any given year may vary.

Strategies employed for achieving objectives:

To satisfy its long-term rate-of-return, PEF relies on a total-return strategy in which investment returns are achieved through both capital appreciation (realized and unrealized) and current yield (interest and dividends). PEF targets a diversified asset allocation within prudent risk constraints.

Spending policy and related objectives:

PEF has a policy of appropriating amounts sufficient for the purpose(s) of the endowment. In establishing this policy, PEF considered the long-term expected return on its endowment. Accordingly, over the long term, PEF expects the current spending policy to maintain a stable stream of funding to programs.

NOTE 5- FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Accounting Standards Codification Topic 820, Fair Value Measurement, defines “fair value” as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants. This pronouncement also establishes a framework for measuring and disclosing fair value of assets and liabilities. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under ASC Topic 820 are described below:

Fair Value Hierarchy

- Level 1 - Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the measurement date.
- Level 2 - Other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices in active markets for similar assets or liabilities).
- Level 3 - Significant unobservable inputs (including the organization's own assumptions in determining the fair value of assets or liabilities).

The asset's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

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NOTE 5 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

The following tables summarize the fair values of PEF's investments in accordance with the fair value hierarchy as of November 30, 2016.

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>
<u>Investments:</u>				
Equities:				
Consumer Durables	\$ 2,874,995	\$ 2,874,995	\$ -	\$ -
Consumer Non-Durables	5,553,201	5,553,201		
Consumer Services	2,178,876	2,178,876		
Distribution Services	272,012	272,012		
Electronic Technology	3,482,260	3,482,260		
Energy Minerals	5,642,849	5,642,849		
Financials	14,964,411	14,964,411		
Healthcare Services	1,472,641	1,472,641		
Healthcare Technology	3,282,493	3,282,493		
Industrial Services	393,052	393,052		
Process Industries	1,509,149	1,509,149		
Producer Manufacturing	4,109,628	4,109,628		
Retail Trade	2,387,978	2,387,978		
Technology Services	4,559,117	4,559,117		
Transportation	3,668,976	3,668,976		
Utilities	1,758,557	1,758,557		
Other	<u>1,200,594</u>	<u>1,200,594</u>		
Total Equities	59,310,789	59,310,789		
Mutual Funds	39,655,607	39,655,607		
Money Market Funds and Deposits at Brokers	6,462,192	6,462,192		
Fixed Income Securities:				
Government Bonds	21,552,507		21,552,507	
Corporate Bonds	3,298,984		3,298,984	
Certificate of Deposits	511,177		511,177	
Hedge Funds	10,398,952			10,398,952
Partnerships	<u>2,687,837</u>			<u>2,687,837</u>
	<u>\$ 143,878,045</u>	<u>\$ 105,428,588</u>	<u>\$ 25,362,668</u>	<u>\$ 13,086,789</u>

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NOTE 5 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

The following tables summarize the fair values of PEF's investments in accordance with the fair value hierarchy as of November 30, 2015.

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>
<u>Investments:</u>				
Equities:				
Consumer Durables	\$ 2,306,893	\$ 2,306,893	\$ -	\$ -
Consumer Non-Durables	5,641,900	5,641,900		
Consumer Services	2,551,880	2,551,880		
Distribution Services	604,960	604,960		
Electronic Technology	2,431,388	2,431,388		
Energy Minerals	4,481,841	4,481,841		
Financials	16,128,101	16,128,101		
Healthcare Services	2,433,543	2,433,543		
Healthcare Technology	2,802,433	2,802,433		
Industrial Services	399,028	399,028		
Process Industries	1,054,623	1,054,623		
Producer Manufacturing	3,627,690	3,627,690		
Retail Trade	3,601,524	3,601,524		
Technology Services	3,297,063	3,297,063		
Transportation	3,226,778	3,226,778		
Utilities	1,724,133	1,724,133		
Other	<u>415,369</u>	<u>415,369</u>		
Total Equities	59,729,147	59,729,147		
Mutual Funds	39,669,049	39,669,049		
Money Market Funds and Deposits at Brokers	4,241,682	4,241,682		
Fixed Income Securities:				
Government Bonds	2,647,463		2,647,463	
Corporate Bonds	3,811,304		3,811,304	
Certificate of Deposits	511,177		511,177	
Hedge Funds	10,933,708			10,933,708
Partnerships	<u>2,528,040</u>			<u>2,528,040</u>
	<u>\$ 121,071,570</u>	<u>\$ 100,639,878</u>	<u>\$ 6,969,944</u>	<u>\$ 13,461,748</u>

PEF uses the following ways to determine the fair value of its Level 2 and Level 3 investments:

- Government and corporate bonds: Determined by the closing bid price on the measurement date.
- Certificates of deposits: Valued at cost plus accrued interest, which approximates fair value.
- Hedge Funds: Determined by the hedge funds published net asset values (NAV) per unit.
- Partnerships: Determined considering brokers quotes and published price or best information available in the circumstance that impact value.

There were no changes in the valuation techniques during the year.

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NOTE 5 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

The following table summarizes the changes in PEF's Level 3 investments for the years ended November 30, 2016 and 2015:

	<u>November 30, 2016</u>	<u>November 30, 2015</u>
	<u>Hedge Funds and Partnerships</u>	<u>Hedge Funds and Partnerships</u>
Beginning of the year	\$ 13,461,748	\$ 13,571,240
Distributions	-	(529,725)
Sales	(1,309,989)	-
Interest and Dividends	7,310	-
Net Realized Losses	(34,338)	-
Net Unrealized Gains	<u>962,058</u>	<u>420,233</u>
End of the year	<u>\$ 13,086,789</u>	<u>\$ 13,461,748</u>

Realized losses and Unrealized gains are included in Net Realized and Unrealized Gains on Investments in the accompanying statement of activities.

The following table lists investments in hedge funds at November 30, 2016.

<u>Investment Category</u>	<u>Strategy</u>	<u>Fair Value Determined Using NAV</u>	<u>Redemption Notice Period</u>	<u>Redemption Frequency</u>
Hedge Funds	Multi-Strategy	3,097,801	90 Days	Annually
Hedge Funds	Multi-Strategy	<u>7,301,151</u>	60 Days	Quarterly
		<u>\$ 10,398,952</u>		

The following table lists investments in partnerships at November 30, 2016.

<u>Type</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Valuation Techniques</u>	<u>Liquidity</u>
Investment Partnership	\$ 2,367,284	Third Party Valuation	May be liquidated quarterly with 65 days written notice.
Rental Real Estate Partnership	<u>320,553</u>	Liquidation Value	As a minority partner PEF has no control over liquidation. The liquidation is currently in process.
	<u>\$ 2,687,837</u>		

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NOTE 5 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

The following table lists investments in hedge funds at November 30, 2015.

<u>Investment Category</u>	<u>Strategy</u>	<u>Fair Value Determined Using NAV</u>	<u>Redemption Notice Period</u>	<u>Redemption Frequency</u>
Hedge Funds	Event-Driven	\$ 1,345,831	90 Days	Quarterly
Hedge Funds	Multi-Strategy	2,934,374	90 Days	Annually
Hedge Funds	Multi-Strategy	<u>6,653,503</u>	60 Days	Quarterly
		<u>\$ 10,933,708</u>		

The following table lists investments in partnerships at November 30, 2015.

<u>Type</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Valuation Techniques</u>	<u>Liquidity</u>
Investment Partnership	\$ 2,216,301	Third Party Valuation	May be liquidated quarterly with 65 days written notice.
Rental Real Estate Partnership	<u>311,739</u>	Liquidation Value	As a minority partner PEF has no control over liquidation. The liquidation is currently in process.
	<u>\$ 2,528,040</u>		

NOTE 6 – COMMITMENT AND CONTINGENCY

PEF is obligated under a non-cancelable operating lease for office space, expiring in January 2025. The lease contains annual escalation clauses and, accordingly, rent expense is recorded on the straight line basis over the life of the lease. Rental expense was \$163,471 and \$162,498 for the years ended November 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively. Future minimum lease payments for the years ended November 30, are as follows:

2017	\$ 151,920
2018	156,225
2019	161,621
2020	170,430
2021	175,291
Thereafter	<u>589,049</u>
	<u>\$ 1,404,536</u>

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NOTE 6 - COMMITMENT AND CONTINGENCY (Continued)

PEF is a named defendant in a civil action suit along with other charitable organizations, Israeli government officials and private individuals filed with the U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York. Plaintiffs claim damages in excess of \$1.35 billion against PEF. The suit was brought by plaintiffs who allege, among other things negligent and intentional infliction of emotional distress and violations of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act. PEF has been named as a defendant because it has made grants to charities which help people involved in guardianship proceedings. The complaint is in its early stages of discovery and Defendants are preparing a motion to dismiss. Although the results cannot be known with certainty, this action is substantially similar to at least twelve actions, not one of which survived a motion to dismiss, filed in U.S. federal and/or state courts by a small group of Israeli men against Israeli government officials, various charities and private individuals that support Israel's family law and child welfare systems. Further the management of PEF and legal counsel believe they have meritorious claims and defenses in the present action and intend to vigorously defend PEF's interests and comply with the instructions of the court to achieve a successful dismissal of the complaint.

NOTE 7 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

PEF's management has evaluated subsequent events through March 31, 2017 which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued, and has concluded that there are no subsequent events for disclosure.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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**Independent Auditor's Report
on Supplementary Information**

To the Board of Directors of
P.E.F. Israel Endowment Funds, Inc.

We have audited the financial statements of P.E.F. Israel Endowment Funds, Inc. (a nonprofit organization) as of and for the years ended November 30, 2016 and 2015 and our report thereon dated March 31, 2017, which expressed an unmodified opinion on those financial statements appears on page 1. Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The schedule of functional expenses is presented for the purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Greenfield & Fortuna, LLP

New York, N.Y.
March 31, 2017

P.E.F. ISRAEL ENDOWMENT FUNDS, INC.
SCHEDULE OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
YEAR ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2016, WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR 2015

	Program Services	Supporting Services		Totals	
	Grants to Qualified Organizations and Related Expenses	General and Administrative	Fundraising	2016	2015
Compensation and Related Expenses					
Salaries	\$ 135,956	\$ 255,918	\$ 7,997	\$ 399,871	\$ 388,395
Employee Benefits	24,631	46,365	1,449	72,445	66,612
Total Compensation and Related Expenses	160,587	302,283	9,446	472,316	455,007
Grants	104,962,201			104,962,201	65,994,604
Investment Management Fees		664,447		664,447	676,008
Rent	55,580	104,621	3,270	163,471	162,498
Insurance	7,019	13,212	414	20,645	20,932
Office Expense	25,418	69,346	1,495	96,259	66,282
Telephone	1,061	1,998	62	3,121	2,377
Postage	2,303	4,335	135	6,773	8,410
Professional Fees	2,880	139,841		142,721	163,524
Outside Services	65,542			65,542	63,650
Computer Consulting Services	30,163			30,163	59,420
State Filing Fees		1,525		1,525	1,525
Depreciation		10,952		10,952	12,798
Total Expenses	\$ 105,312,754	\$ 1,312,560	\$ 14,822	\$ 106,640,136	\$ 67,687,033
Less: expenses included with revenues on the statement of activities		(664,447)		(664,447)	(676,008)
Total expenses, year ended November 30, 2016	\$ 105,312,754	\$ 648,113	\$ 14,822	\$ 105,975,689	
Total expenses, year ended November 30, 2015	\$ 66,404,572	\$ 592,142	\$ 14,311		\$ 67,011,025