Quarterly Financial Statements of:

NATIONAL ARTS CENTRE CORPORATION

For the 3 months ended November 30, 2017

Management Responsibilities

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these quarterly financial statements in accordance with the Treasury Board of Canada Standard on Quarterly Financial Reports for Crown Corporations, and for such internal controls as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of quarterly financial statements that are free from material misstatement. Management is also responsible for ensuring all other information in this quarterly financial report is consistent, where appropriate, with the quarterly financial statements.

Based on my knowledge, the unaudited quarterly financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position, results of operations and cash flows of the Corporation, as at the date of and for the periods presented in the quarterly financial report.

Peter A. Herrndorf, O.C.

President and Chief Executive Officer

Daniel Senyk

Daniel Senyk, CA

Chief Financial Officer

January 31, 2018

Statement of financial position

As at November 30, 2017

(Unaudited)

(in thousands of dollars)	No	vember 30 2017	A	August 31 2017	
ASSETS					
Current					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	(1,271)	\$	5,955	
Restricted cash held for specified capital projects (Note 4)		76,824		75,863	
Investments		280		1,466	
Accounts receivable		5,955		3,842	
Inventories		136		108	
Prepaid expenses		1,725		2,731	
		83,649		89,965	
Investments		9,184		7,571	
Capital assets		174,285		159,717	
	\$	267,118	\$	257,253	
LIABILITIES					
Current					
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	31,052	\$	31,494	
Deferred parliamentary appropriations (Note 5)		1,469		4,495	
Deferred revenue		6,750		6,726	
Deferred parliamentary appropriations, specified capital projects (Note 4)		58,043		57,559	
		97,314		100,274	
Deferred capital funding		174,285		159,717	
Long-term portion of provision for employee future benefits		2,365		2,335	
and the position of providing the same continu		273,964		262,326	
ACCUMULATED DEFICIT					
Unrestricted		(6,846)		(5,073)	
	\$	267,118	\$	257,253	

The accompanying notes and schedules form an integral part of the financial statements.

Statement of operations

For the 3 months ended November 30, 2017 (Unaudited)

(in thousands of dollars)	 2017 20		2016
REVENUES			
Commercial operations (Schedule 1)	\$ 3,681	\$	1,864
Programming (Schedule 2)	3,912		2,427
Grant from the National Arts Centre Foundation	2,628		1,561
Other income	738		332
Investment income	56		66
	11,015		6,250
Parliamentary appropriations (Note 6)	11,389		10,073
	22,404		16,323
EXPENSES (Schedule 3)			
Commercial operations (Schedule 1)	2,283		1,212
Programming (Schedule 2)	14,601		9,909
Building operations	5,734		4,189
Administration and technology	1,559		1,577
	24,177		16,887
NET RESULTS OF OPERATIONS	\$ (1,773)	\$	(564)

The accompanying notes and schedules form an integral part of the financial statements.

Statement of changes in accumulated deficit

For the 3 months ended November 30, 2017 (Unaudited)

(in thousands of dollars)	 2017	2016		
Unrestricted, beginning of the period	\$ (5,073)	\$	(1,382)	
Net results of operations	 (1,773)		(564)	
Unrestricted, end of the period	\$ (6,846)	\$	(1,946)	

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Statement of cash flows

For the 3 months ended November 30, 2017

(Unaudited)

(in thousands of dollars)	2017			2016		
Operating Activities						
Net results of operations	\$	(1,773)	\$	(564)		
Items not affecting cash						
Amortization and write-down of capital assets		2,559		1,313		
Amortization of deferred capital funding		(2,559)		(1,313)		
		(1,773)		(564)		
Change in non-cash operating assets and liabilities		(4,579)		(6,587)		
Change in long-term portion of provision for employee future benefits		30		19		
Cash flow (used for) from operating activities		(6,322)		(7,132)		
Capital Activities						
Additions to capital assets		(17,127)		(21,635)		
Cash flow used for capital activities		(17,127)		(21,635)		
Investing Activities						
(Purchase) sale of investments		(427)		14		
Cash flow (used for) from investment activities		(427)		14		
Financing Activities						
Transfer - restricted cash held for specified capital projects		(961)		12,876		
Parliamentary appropriations received for the acquisition of capital assets		17,612		10,096		
Cash flow from financing activities		16,651		22,972		
Increase (decrease) in cash position		(7,226)		(5,782)		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		5,955		6,627		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	(1,271)	\$	845		

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Schedule 1

Schedule of revenues and expenses - Commercial operations

For the 3 months ended November 30, 2017

(Unaudited)

(in thousands of dollars)	Rev	venues	Ex	penses	Net
Food and Beverage Services	\$	1,716	\$	1,453	\$ 263
Parking Services		1,121		243	877
Rental of Halls		844		586	258
	\$	3,681	\$	2,283	\$ 1,398
				2016	
(in thousands of dollars)	Rev	venues	Ex	penses	Net
Food and Beverage Services	\$	571	\$	734	\$ (162)
Parking Services		965		226	739
Rental of Halls		328		253	75

NATIONAL ARTS CENTRE CORPORATION Schedule 2 Schedule of revenues and expenses - Programming

For the 3 months ended November 30, 2017 (Unaudited)

(in thousands of dollars)	2017	2016		
REVENUES				
Music	\$ 1,074	\$ 859		
English Theatre	503	247		
Dance	730	447		
Other Programming	1,139	561		
Programming Support	333	239		
French Theatre	134	74		
	3,912	2,427		
EXPENSES				
Music	5,509	4,091		
English Theatre	1,610	817		
Dance	1,359	688		
Other Programming	2,269	1,357		
Programming Support	2,570	2,470		
French Theatre	1,284	486		
	14,601	9,909		
EXCESS OF EXPENSES OVER REVENUES	\$ 10,689	\$ 7,482		

Schedule 3 Schedule of expenses

For the 3 months ended November 30, 2017

(in thousands of dollars)	2017	2016
Salaries and benefits	\$ 8,435	\$ 6,478
Artistic fees	5,480	2,714
National Arts Centre Orchestra fees	2,399	1,901
Amortization and write down of capital assets	2,559	1,313
Advertising	948	1,024
Utilities	767	459
Maintenance and repairs	489	459
Payments to municipalities	510	511
Professional fees	416	426
Production	496	188
In-kind contributions of goods and services	24	61
Cost of sales	456	218
Financial charges and bad debts	166	133
Rental of facilities	141	124
Promotion	191	90
Staff travel	135	121
Telecommunications	46	70
Equipment	99	115
Education and training	32	20
Insurance	68	64
Office	66	135
Supplies	114	93
Board	36	29
Miscellaneous	 102	142
	\$ 24,177	\$ 16,887

Notes to the Quarterly Financial Statements

As at November 30, 2017

1. Authority, objectives and operations

The National Arts Centre Corporation (the "Corporation") was established in 1966 pursuant to the *National Arts Centre Act* and began operating the National Arts Centre (the "Centre") in 1969. The Corporation is not subject to the provisions of the *Income Tax Act*. In accordance with Section 85 (1.1) of Part X of the *Financial Administration Act*, Divisions I to IV of this *Act* do not apply to the Corporation, except for sections 89.8 to 89.92, subsection 105(2) and sections 113.1, 119, 131 to 148 and section 154.01, which do apply to the Corporation. The Corporation is deemed, under Section 15 of the *National Arts Centre Act*, to be a registered charity within the meaning of that expression in the *Income Tax Act*. The Corporation is not an agent of Her Majesty. Except for the purposes of the *Public Service Superannuation Act* and the *Government Employees Compensation Act*, employees of the Corporation are not part of the federal public administration.

The objectives of the Corporation are to operate and maintain the Centre, to develop the performing arts in the National Capital Region, and to assist the Canada Council for the Arts in the development of the performing arts elsewhere in Canada.

In furtherance of its objectives, the Corporation may arrange for and sponsor performing arts activities at the Centre; encourage and assist in the development of performing arts companies resident at the Centre; arrange for or sponsor radio and television broadcasts and the screening of films in the Centre; provide accommodation at the Centre, on such terms and conditions as the Corporation may fix, for national and local organizations whose objectives include the development and encouragement of the performing arts in Canada and, at the request of the Government of Canada or the Canada Council for the Arts, arrange for performances elsewhere in Canada by performing arts companies, whether resident or non-resident in Canada, and arrange for performances outside Canada by performing arts companies resident in Canada.

2. Notice to reader

These quarterly financial statements have not been audited and must be read in conjunction with the accompanying Narrative Discussion, and the most recent audited annual financial statements.

3. Basis of presentation

These unaudited financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards (PSAS) including series 4200 accounting standards for government not-for-profit organizations (GNFPO).

The standard on quarterly financial reports for crown corporations requires that the statement of financial position include the ending balances of the most current quarter, and the balances at the end of the immediately preceding fiscal year as the comparative. The statement of operations must include the current quarterly results as well as the year to date results, along with comparable quarterly and year to date results from the previous fiscal year.

4. Restricted cash held for Specified Capital Projects

In 2015, the Government of Canada approved funding of \$110,500,000 for Architectural Rejuvenation to improve the public spaces of the Centre. In 2016 an additional \$114,900,000 was approved for Production Renewal to modernize performance facilities. Progress payments are being received on a monthly basis to match the construction schedule.

(in thousands of dollars)	
Restricted cash at beginning of period	\$ 75,863
Appropriations received to fund specified capital projects	17,740
Appropriations invested in specified capital projects	(16,779)
Restricted cash at end of period	\$ 76,824
Project related accounts payable	(18,781)
Deferred parliamentary appropriations, specified capital projects	\$ 58,043

5. Deferred parliamentary appropriations

Deferred appropriations represent approved parliamentary appropriations received for work to be completed in a future period. Information on deferred appropriations is as follows:

(in thousands of dollars)	Beg	ginning	Re	ceived		Used	E	nding
Building refurbishment	\$	2,091	\$	1,167	\$	(1,789)	\$	1,469
Programming and Operations	·	2,254		4,508	·	(6,762)		-
Specific programs		150		-		(150)		-
Total	\$	4,495	\$	5,675	\$	(8,701)	\$	1,469

6. Parliamentary appropriations

The Corporation receives parliamentary appropriations from the Government of Canada to support its operating and capital activities. The table below illustrates the parliamentary appropriations received during the fiscal year, and the accounting adjustments required to arrive at the calculation of revenue that conforms to public sector accounting standards.

(in thousands of dollars)	
Main estimates amount provided for operating	
and capital expenditures	\$ 5,675
Supplementary estimates	17,740
Appropriations approved	23,415
Portion of parliamentary appropriations used (deferred)	
for specific projects	2,543
Appropriation used to purchase depreciable	
property, plant and equipment	(17,127)
Amortization of deferred capital funding	2,559
Parliamentary appropriations	\$ 11,389

Narrative Discussion

General

These quarterly financial statements have not been audited and must be read in conjunction with the most recent annual audited financial statements.

Strategic Goals

The Corporation remains committed to the fulfillment of its strategic goals published in *Canada is our Stage*:

CREATION: Helping artists and arts organizations across Canada create ambitious new work for national and international audiences

PERFORMANCE: Developing a new Department of Indigenous Theatre, and strengthening the NAC's national performance role

LEARNING: Extending the *Music Alive Program* to Atlantic Canada, and our education activities across the country

ARCHITECTURAL REJUVENATION: Shepherding the architectural rejuvenation of the NAC A NATIONAL, FRANCOPHONE ORGANIZATION: Becoming just as national in French as we are in English by renewing our commitment to Francophone artists, arts organizations and audiences

INCREASING OUR EARNED REVENUES: Increasing our earned revenues to support our national initiatives

AUDIENCES AT THE CENTRE: Building relationships with our audiences

These strategic goals support the Corporation's legislative mandates, which are to maintain and operate the National Arts Centre (the "Centre"), to develop the performing arts in the national capital region, and to assist the Canada Council for the Arts in developing the performing arts elsewhere in Canada.

Analysis

The Corporation presents programming in many of the performing art disciplines. The type of program, the availability of performances on specific dates, the number of performers, the scale of the program, and the complexity of the technical elements are different for each performance. In addition, each season is different from the previous one. For instance, one season's first quarter may include a full scale ballet with orchestra, while the same quarter the next season may include a small modern dance duet with recorded music and minimal sets. The Corporation's Food and Beverage Services and Parking Services are also influenced by the level of programming because of the number of patrons that the performances bring to the National Arts Centre.

The Corporation manages this normal business variability through detailed budgeting and scheduling and by the careful analysis of expenditures. For that reason, variances between quarters are to be expected, as are operating deficits early in the season. The Corporation relies on comparisons to expected revenues and expenditures to manage its financial performance.

Financial Highlights

For the three months ending November 30, 2017 the NAC realized revenues of \$22,404,000 and expenses of \$24,177,000, resulting in a deficit from operations of \$1,773,000. This is consistent with the planned deficit for this fiscal year which is partly the result of dislocation costs associated with the Architectural Rejuvenation Project.

Risks

The NAC relies on parliamentary appropriations, ticket sales, commercial revenue, donations and sponsorships to fund its programming and to maintain the Centre. These sources of revenue may fluctuate with economic conditions, and programming choices. Additionally, the Centre is approaching 50 years of age and some building systems will require replacement in the coming years.

Physical construction of the Architectural Rejuvenation Project and Production Renewal is underway. As with all large construction projects, there are inherent financial and operational risks. The Centre has remained open for business throughout the majority of the construction period. This brings scheduling and logistical risks to the project beyond the scope of typical construction.