

**MICHAEL CUCCIONE FOUNDATION**

*A Private Foundation*

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

December 31, 2008

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## REVIEW ENGAGEMENT REPORT

To the members of **Michael Cuccione Foundation**

We have reviewed the statement of financial position of Michael Cuccione Foundation as at December 31, 2008 and the statements of operations and changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended. Our review was made in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements and accordingly consisted primarily of enquiry, analytical procedures and discussion related to information supplied to us by the Foundation.

A review does not constitute an audit and consequently we do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

In common with many non-profit organizations, the Foundation derives most of its revenue from fundraising and donations, the completeness of which is not susceptible to satisfactory review verification. Accordingly, our verification of this revenue was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the Foundation and we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to this revenue, excess of revenue over expenses, assets or net assets.

Based on our review, except for the effect of adjustments, if any, we might have determined to be necessary had we been able to satisfy ourselves concerning the completeness of the revenue referred to in the preceding paragraph, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that these financial statements are not, in all material respects, in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.



Certified General Accountants

Vancouver, BC  
March 11, 2009

# MICHAEL CUCCIONE FOUNDATION

## STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

*Unaudited - See Review Engagement Report*

	2008	%	2007	%
<b>Revenues</b>				
Annual Gala	\$ 227,851	8.4	185,866	41.3
Fundraising Events	266,733	9.9	212,248	47.1
Donations	135,382	5.0	49,844	11.1
Government Grants	2,000,000	74.1	-	-
Interest	70,293	2.6	15,959	3.5
Foreign currency exchange gain (loss)	546	-	(13,649)	(3.0)
	<u>2,700,805</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>450,268</u>	<u>100.0</u>
<b>Expenses</b>				
Advertising and promotion	5,776	0.2	20,762	4.6
Amortization	1,049	-	919	0.2
Bank charges and interest	4,759	0.2	3,798	0.8
Annual Gala	75,745	2.8	56,490	12.5
Fundraising events	92,055	3.4	77,062	17.1
Office	9,180	0.3	9,732	2.2
Professional services	2,736	0.1	1,879	0.4
Telephone	2,776	0.1	2,970	0.7
Travel	4,062	0.2	4,992	1.1
Wages and benefits	28,335	1.0	28,900	6.4
	<u>226,473</u>	<u>8.4</u>	<u>207,504</u>	<u>46.1</u>
<b>Excess of Revenues over Expenses</b>	<b>2,474,332</b>	<b>91.6</b>	<b>242,764</b>	<b>53.9</b>
<b>Net Assets, Beginning of Year</b>	<u>546,179</u>		<u>547,107</u>	
	<b>3,020,511</b>		<b>789,871</b>	
<b>Donations</b>	<b>368,351</b>		<b>243,692</b>	
<b>Net Assets, End of Year</b>	<b>\$ 2,652,160</b>		<b>546,179</b>	

*See Accompanying Notes*

# MICHAEL CUCCIONE FOUNDATION

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at December 31, 2008

*Unaudited - See Review Engagement Report*

	2008	2007
<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>Current</b>		
Cash and short-term investments	\$ 2,568,705	509,206
Accounts receivable (Note 3)	69,099	36,658
Prepaid expenses	13,010	1,250
	<u>2,650,814</u>	<u>547,114</u>
<b>Equipment</b> (Note 4)	3,535	3,645
	<u>\$ 2,654,349</u>	<u>550,759</u>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
<b>Current</b>		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 5)	\$ 2,189	4,580
<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<b>2,652,160</b>	<b>546,179</b>
	<u>\$ 2,654,349</u>	<u>550,759</u>

*See Accompanying Notes*

**Approved on Behalf of the Board:**

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*Michael Cuccione, Sr., President*

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*John Audia, Vice President*

# MICHAEL CUCCIONE FOUNDATION

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

*Unaudited - See Review Engagement Report*

	2008	2007
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM:</b>		
<b>Operating Activities</b>		
Excess of revenues over expenses	\$ 2,474,332	242,764
Amortization	1,049	919
Accounts receivable	(32,440)	(17,390)
Prepaid expenses	(11,760)	30
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(2,392)	3,176
	<b>2,428,789</b>	<b>229,499</b>
<b>Financing Activities</b>		
Donations	(368,351)	(243,692)
	<b>(368,351)</b>	<b>(243,692)</b>
<b>Investing Activities</b>		
Acquisition of equipment	(939)	(1,748)
	<b>(939)</b>	<b>(1,748)</b>
<b>Net Increase/Decrease in Cash</b>	<b>2,059,499</b>	<b>(15,941)</b>
<b>Cash, Beginning of Year</b>	<b>509,206</b>	<b>525,147</b>
<b>Cash, End of Year</b>	<b>\$ 2,568,705</b>	<b>509,206</b>

*See Accompanying Notes*

# MICHAEL CUCCIONE FOUNDATION

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2008

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### Note 1 Purpose of the Organization

Michael Cuccione Foundation is incorporated under the Societies Act of British Columbia as a not-for-profit organization and is a registered charity under the Income Tax Act.

The Foundation was formed to raise funds through bequests, gifts, donations and various fundraising activities and to expend or administer these funds for cancer research and for the use of children's hospitals located in Canada. In addition, it is also the purpose of the Foundation to raise cancer awareness in the community, to provide emotional support to cancer patients and their families, and to promote the foregoing purposes throughout Canada.

### Note 2 Accounting Policies

#### Revenue Recognition

The Foundation follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions. Investment income is recorded based on the accrual method.

### Note 3 Accounts Receivable

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Accrued interest	\$ 59,141	7,084
Fundraising	8,200	28,354
Government agencies	<u>1,758</u>	<u>1,220</u>
	<u>\$ 69,099</u>	<u>36,658</u>

### Note 4 Equipment

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Equipment	\$ 10,035	9,096
Accumulated amortization	<u>6,500</u>	<u>5,451</u>
Net book value	<u>\$ 3,535</u>	<u>3,645</u>

#### Amortization

Equipment is recorded at cost. Amortization is provided for using the following annual rates and methods:

Equipment	20%	Declining balance
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## **Note 5      Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities**

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Accounts payable	\$ <b>1,189</b>	3,015
Accrued liabilities	<u>          <b>1,000</b></u>	<u>          1,565</u>
	<u>\$    <b>2,189</b></u>	<u>          4,580</u>