

TRUSTEE REPORT 2016-2020

27/01/2021

During 2015, with the completion of the SS Nomadic restoration project, ownership of SS Nomadic was transferred from the Nomadic Charitable Trust to the Titanic Foundation Limited.

This meant that the Nomadic Preservation Society no longer had open access, or potential to do volunteer work assisting with regular maintenance etc. on-board the ship. This resulted in the local members losing interest in attending meetings, these normally would have held on board and they had lost the enjoyment of being of practical assistance to the ship. Our non-local membership was also dropping due to aspects of the poor financial climate and a generally ageing membership.

At a meeting in October 2016, it was decided that the future was uncertain and the Society should enter a period of dormancy and reassess any opportunities that arise to continue our aims in support the SS Nomadic and educating the public about her.

Since October 2016, the NPS has not functioned as a Society, holding no member meetings or any fundraising events of any nature. We remain dormant due to the reasons in paragraph 2 above.

The Trustees are in name only and will remain as such until the Society is wound up completely and any lying funds in the bank accounts distributed to functions relating to the "Nomadic".

We therefore request that any charitable status under HMRC Charity Commission be rescinded as of 2019.

Respectively.

David Young V/Chair NPS and Chairman Trustees NPS