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Press Release: documenta annual financial statements 2022: documenta fifteen closes in the black

Following the recent Supervisory Board and shareholders' meetings, documenta und Museum Fridericianum gGmbH can announce the approved and adopted annual financial statements for the financial year 2022. This means that documenta fifteen (June 18 – September 25, 2022) has remained within its EUR 42.2 million overall budget.

For the documenta year 2022, documenta und Museum Fridericianum gGmbH has presented a financial statement that is in the black.

Upon recommendation of the Supervisory Board, the shareholders approved the annual financial statements for 2022 and discharged the Managing Directors Dr. Sabine Schormann, Alexander Farenholtz and Dr. Ferdinand von Saint André for the financial year 2022.

The acting Managing Director Prof. Dr. Andreas Hoffmann is pleased with this result and thanks his predecessors and the team: "I am very pleased that we can now close the major exhibition, which was prepared during the pandemic and marked by the crisis surrounding the anti-Semitic motifs, in the black. I would like to take this as an opportunity to thank my predecessors and the team for prudent financial management and controlling."

After the Finding Committee for documenta 16 (June 12 – September 19, 2027) was already established at the end of March 2023, the non-profit GmbH is rapidly moving ahead towards the opening of the preparatory phase of documenta 16. The Artistic Direction will be announced as planned around the turn of the year 2023/2024. At the same time, documenta will continue until the end of the year to undergo the organizational development initiated in response to the anti-Semitism incidents at documenta fifteen.

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