

DFCC Bank Records Strong Performance Despite Economic Challenges in Q3 2023

- Group Total operating income up by 43% to LKR 31 Bn
- Group records Operating Profit Before Taxes on Financial Services of LKR 11 Bn.
- Group PAT of LKR 7 Bn
- Impairment charge of LKR 12 Bn reflective of present economic stresses

During the period under review, DFCC Bank remained committed to providing high-quality, customer-centric banking services across the country despite facing unprecedented challenges that affected the banking industry. As a result of this dedication, the Bank has recorded a strong performance for the Q3 of 2023.

The Central Bank of Sri Lanka's (CBSL) timely policy rate relaxation has enabled downward adjustments to the historically high-interest rates, and improved economic conditions would help boost credit flows to the economy in the period ahead. Meanwhile, a reduction was also observed in the yields on government securities with falling risk premia following the finalisation of the debt treatment on rupee-denominated instruments under the domestic debt optimisation (DDO) programme.

The Bank has aligned with the CBSL guidelines and reduced lending and deposit rates to pass the benefits of the continued easing of monetary conditions to individuals and businesses adequately and swiftly, thus supporting the envisaged rebound of the economy.

The following commentary relates to the unaudited Financial Statements for the period ended 30 September 2023, presented in accordance with Sri Lanka Accounting Standard 34 (LKAS 34) on "Interim Financial Statements".

Financial Performance

Profitability

DFCC Bank PLC, the largest entity within the Group, reported an Operating Profit Before Taxes on Financial Services of LKR 10,693 Mn, Profit Before Income Tax (PBT) of LKR 8,305 Mn and a Profit After Tax (PAT) of LKR 5,498 Mn for the period ended 30 September 2023. This compares with an Operating Profit Before Taxes on Financial Services of LKR 2,269 Mn, PBT of LKR 1,420 Mn and a PAT of LKR 1,043 Mn in Q3 of 2022. The Group recorded an Operating Profit Before Taxes on Financial Services of LKR11,069 Mn, PBT of LKR 9,938 Mn and PAT of LKR 7,064 Mn for the period ended 30 September 2023 compared to 2,612 Mn, LKR 1,762 Mn and LKR 1,320 Mn, respectively, in 2022. All the member entities of the Group made positive contributions to this performance. The Bank's Return on Equity (ROE) increased to 11.66% during the period ended 30 September 2023 from 5.04% recorded for the year ended 31 December 2022. The Bank's Return on Assets (ROA) before tax for the period ended 30 September 2023 is 1.76% compared to 0.46% for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Net Interest Income

The Bank's Net Interest Income (NII) increased 26% over Q3 of 2022 to reach LKR 23,655 Mn by the end of September 2023. Both deposit and lending interest rates have continued to adjust downwards with the broader guidelines provided by the Central Bank in line with the relaxed monetary policy stance of the Central Bank. Accordingly, the Bank has reduced both lending and deposit rates to pass on the benefits of the continued easing of monetary conditions to individuals and businesses adequately and swiftly, thereby supporting the envisaged rebound of the economy. While lower interest rates may have resulted in reduced interest income and expenses, in nominal terms, Net Interest Income (NII) has continued to improve as a metric during the period under review as a result of the Bank's strategy of investing in high-yield government securities.

Strategically, the Bank thus increased its fixed-income investment portfolio, contributing significantly to increased interest income. The interest margin increased from 4.95% in September 2022 to 5.45% by September 2023.

Fee and Commission Income

The Bank's dynamic strategies and the efforts of its dedicated teams led to increased remittances, trade-related commissions, and other fee income lines, which contributed to the increase in non-funded business during the period. Fee income generated by credit cards also increased significantly, in line with the volume of the transactions. Accordingly, net fee and commission income have increased by 40% to LKR 2,848 Mn for the period ended 30 September 2023, compared to LKR 2,031 Mn for the comparative period in 2022.

Impairment Charge on Loans and Other Losses

The impaired loan (stage 3) ratio increased from 4.36% in December 2022 to 6.13% as of 30 September 2023, continuing the prevalent trend amidst the present economic conditions. However, the Bank expects this trend to moderate and potentially improve towards the end of the year, reflecting positive developments in the macroeconomic environment coupled with the Bank's concerted efforts regarding recoveries. To address the current and potential future impacts of the present economic conditions on the lending portfolio, the Bank made adequate impairment provisions during the period by introducing changes to internal models to account for unseen risk factors in the present highly uncertain and volatile environment, including additional provisions made for the Bank's exposure to risk elevated sectors.

The Bank has used significant judgment using the information available at the reporting date to estimate the recoverable value of foreign currency-denominated investment securities issued by the Government of Sri Lanka. Accordingly, an impairment charge has been recognised to maintain a provision cover of 45% on the above investments.

Accordingly, with these provisions to address the additional risks in the economic environment, the impairment charge recorded at LKR 12,113 Mn for the period ended 30 September 2023, compared to LKR 11,962 Mn in the comparable period.

Operating Expenses

Operating expenses for the period ended 30 September 2023 increased to LKR 8,370 Mn compared with LKR 7,382 Mn during the corresponding period in 2022, primarily due to the increase in inflation. However, the Bank has taken numerous cost control measures within the Bank, resulting in operating expenses being curtailed and managed at these levels.

Other Comprehensive Income

Changes in the fair value of investments in equity securities and fixed-income securities (treasury bills and bonds) and movement in hedging reserves are recorded through other comprehensive income. Due to the application of hedge accounting, the impact on the total equity of the Bank due to exchange rate fluctuation was minimised. A fair value gain of LKR 6,431 Mn was recorded on account of equity securities outstanding as at 30 September 2023. The increase in the share price of Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC during the period was the main contributor to the reported fair value gain in equity securities. The favourable movement in treasury bills and bond yields also resulted in a fair value gain of LKR 3,239 Mn during the period.

Business Growth

Assets

Despite the challenges faced by the economy and the banking sector, DFCC Bank's total assets increased by LKR 28.7 Bn, recording a growth of 5.07% from December 2022. In line with the Bank's growth strategy and the present economic climate, an increase in investment in fixed-income securities, combined with positive fair value movement in both fixed-income securities and equity securities, has contributed to a 100% increase in investment in financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income as of 30 September 2023 compared to the balance as of 31 December 2022. With increased provision for expected credit losses, appreciation of the Sri Lanka Rupee compared to 31 December 2022 and considerable economic challenges, the net loan portfolio was recorded at LKR 335 Bn as at 30 September 2023, which is 9% lower than the balance as at 31 December 2022.

Liabilities

The Bank's deposit base experienced a growth of 5.75% during the period, recording an increase of LKR 21.3 Bn to LKR 392 Bn, up from LKR 370 Bn as at 31 December 2022. This resulted in recording a loan-to-deposit ratio of 96.98%. Further, the CASA ratio was 22.20% as at 30 September 2023. The Bank's funding costs were also contained using medium to long-term concessionary credit lines, primarily used to grow the lending portfolio. Taking into consideration these concessionary term borrowings, the CASA ratio further improved to 33.12%, and the loans-to-deposit ratio improved to 83.37% as at 30 September 2023.

Equity and Compliance with Capital Requirements

DFCC Bank's total equity increased to LKR 65 Bn as at 30 September 2023, supported by favourable movements in the equity portfolio and fixed income security portfolio classified as fair value through other comprehensive income, and positive movements in the hedging reserve, together with the recorded profit after tax of LKR 5.5 Bn. Accordingly, Tier 1 and Total Capital ratios improved to 11.090% and 13.722%, respectively, by 30 September 2023, compared to 10.085% and 13.148%, respectively, as at 31 December 2022. The Bank's Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR) was 135.63%, and Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) – all currency – was 463.22% as at 30 September 2023, compared to 126.55% and 202.34%, respectively, as at 31 December 2022. All these ratios were thus maintained well above the minimum regulatory requirement.

CEO's Statement

"DFCC Bank's strong performance in Q3 of 2023, as evidenced by a remarkable 43% increase in total group operating income, underscores our commitment to delivering exceptional banking services in challenging times. We're optimistic about the future, thanks to the Central Bank's supportive policies, lower interest rates, and improved economic conditions. While facing external challenges and ongoing economic stresses, our prudent strategies have led to a significant boost in profitability, growth in assets, and improved equity positions. We remain steadfast in our mission to navigate the volatile business environment and continue supporting our valued customers and the nation's economy."

Thimal Perera

Director / Chief Executive Officer

9 November 2023

DFCC Bank PLC Income Statement

				Bank						Grou	p		
	,	For the	he period ended		For th	e quarter ende	d	For th	ne period ended			e quarter end	.ed
For the nine months ended 30 September	Notes	30.09.2023	30.09.2022	Change	30.09.2023	30.09.2022	Change	30.09.2023	30.09.2022	Change	30.09.2023	30.09.2022	Change
		LKR 000	LKR 000	%	LKR 000	LKR 000	%	LKR 000	LKR 000	%	LKR 000	LKR 000	%
Gross Income		83,182,752	49,504,401	68	27,125,251	21,865,301	24	83,653,361	49,954,441	67	27,296,562	22,003,168	24
Interest income		74,718,665	46,083,842	62	23,981,690	20,197,152	19	74,720,213	46,084,294	62	23,982,062	20,197,017	19
Interest expense		51,063,795	27,379,119	87	15,802,120	12,484,472	27	50,975,365	27,326,949	87	15,773,705	12,457,580	27
Net interest income		23,654,870	18,704,723	26	8,179,570	7,712,680	6	23,744,848	18,757,345	27	8,208,357	7,739,437	6
Fee and commission income		3,789,657	2,542,275	49	1,247,287	1,036,913	20	3,788,829	2,543,077	49	1,246,911	1,037,075	20
Fee and commission expenses		941,983	510,971	84	344,515	188,833	82	941,983	510,971	84	344,515	188,833	82
Net fee and commission income		2,847,674	2,031,304	40	902,772	848,080	6	2,846,846	2,032,106	40	902,396	848,242	6
Net gain/ (loss) from trading	5	1,675,060	(384,330)	536	240,473	622,513	(61)	1,675,060	(384,330)	536	240,473	622,513	(61)
Net (loss)/ gain from financial instruments at fair	6	(301,506)	117.035	(358)	(259,294)	(39,697)	(553)	(301,506)	117,035	(358)	(259,294)	(39,697)	(553)
value through profit or loss		` ′ ′	,	` ′	` ′ ′	` ' '	` '	. , ,		` ′	` , , ,	` ′ ′	` ′
Net gains from derecognition of financial assets						20.024							
Fair value through other comprehensive income	_	2,618,875	39,438	6,540	1,836,771	29,031	6,227	2,618,875	39,438	6,540	1,836,771	29,031	6,227
Net other operating income	7	682,001	1,106,141	(38)	78,324	19,389	304	1,151,890	1,554,927	(26)	249,639	157,229	59 19
Total operating income		31,176,974	21,614,312	44	10,978,616	9,191,997	19	31,736,013	22,116,522	43	11,178,342	9,356,756	19
Impairment charge for loans and other losses													
Loans to and receivables from other customers		11,525,277	10.116.092	14	3,738,363	3,891,038	(4)	11,525,277	10,133,591	14	3,738,363	3,891,038	(4)
Other financial assets		588,222	1,855,161	(68)	278,735	1,269,751	(78)	588,222	1,855,161	(68)	278,735	1,269,751	(78)
Others		-	(8,977)	100	-	(6,050)	100	-	(8,977)	100	-	(6,050)	100
Net operating income		19,063,475	9,652,036	98	6,961,518	4,037,258	72	19,622,514	10,136,747	94	7,161,244	4,202,017	70
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Operating expenses													
Personnel expenses		3,421,696	3,377,410	1	1,161,374	1,124,666	3	3,607,629	3,546,921	2	1,216,095	1,178,175	3
Depreciation and amortisation		814,005	838,694	(3)	254,478	278,789	(9)	862,164	882,585	(2)	270,636	292,285	(7)
Other expenses		4,134,173	3,165,986	31	1,466,247	1,147,697	28	4,083,689	3,095,624	32	1,450,181	1,113,758	30
Total operating expenses		8,369,874	7,382,090	13	2,882,099	2,551,152	13	8,553,482	7,525,130	14	2,936,912	2,584,217	14
Operating profit before taxes on financial services		10,693,601	2,269,946	371	4,079,419	1,486,106	175	11,069,032	2,611,617	324	4,224,332	1,617,799	161
Taxes on financial services		2,388,406	849,744	181	883,956	397,000	123	2,388,406	849,744	181	883,956	397,000	123
Operating profit after taxes on financial services		8,305,195	1,420,202	485	3,195,463	1,089,106	193	8,680,626	1,761,873	393	3,340,376	1,220,801	174
Share of profits of associate and joint venture		-	-	-	-	-	-	1,257,412	(326)	385,809	731,072	(149,436)	589
Profit before income tax		8,305,195	1,420,202	485	3,195,463	1,089,106	193	9,938,038	1,761,547	464	4,071,448	1,071,365	280
Income tax expense		2,806,988	376,937	645	902,533	558,826	62	2,874,482	441,387	551	931,150	575,488	62
Profit for the period		5,498,207	1,043,265	427	2,292,930	530,280	332	7,063,556	1,320,160	435	3,140,298	495,877	533
Profit attributable to:		-,,=0,	-,- 10,200	.2.	_,,	,		1,500,000	-,-20,100		-,,	,	
Equity holders of the Bank		5,498,207	1,043,265	427	2,292,930	530,280	332	6,933,641	1,206,362	475	3,095,592	451,900	585
Non-controlling interests		-	-	-	-	-	-	129,915	113,798	14	44,706	43,977	2
Profit for the period		5,498,207	1,043,265	427	2,292,930	530,280	332	7,063,556	1,320,160	435	3,140,298	495,877	533
Basic/Diluted earnings per ordinary share (LKR)		13.20	2.88	358	5.50	1.46	277	16.64	3.33	400	7.43	1.25	494

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Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

Statement of Front of Loss and Other Comprehensive income	Bank						Group					
	For th	ne period ended	l	For the	e quarter ende	d	For t	he period ended	i	For the qua	rter ended	
For the nine months ended 30 September	30.09.2023	30.09.2022	Change	30.09.2023	30.09.2022	Change	30.09.2023	30.09.2022	Change	30.09.2023	30.09.2022	Change
•	LKR 000	LKR 000	%	LKR 000	LKR 000	%	LKR 000	LKR 000	%	LKR 000	LKR 000	%
Profit for the period	5,498,207	1,043,265	427	2,292,930	530,280	332	7,063,556	1,320,160	435	3,140,298	495,877	533
Other comprehensive income / (expense) for the period, net of tax												
Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to income statement												
Movement in fair value reserve(fair value through other												
comprehensive income debt instrument):												
Net change in fair value	3,239,206	988,262	228	894,890	173,788	415	3,239,206	988,262	228	894,890	173,788	415
Reclassified to income statement	135,645	(257,535)	153	17,876	-	100	135,645	(257,535)	153	17,876	-	100
Share of other comprehensive income of equity accounted associate and							(251,631)	676,993	(137)	83,015	(110,653)	175
joint venture	-	_	-	-	_	-	(231,031)	070,773	(137)	65,015	(110,033)	175
Movement in hedging reserve:												
Cash flow hedge - effective portion of changes in fair value	(4,394,939)	11,447,567	(138)	2,048,618	4,773,310	(57)	(4,394,939)	11,447,567	(138)	2,048,618	4,773,310	(57)
Cash flow hedge - reclassified to income statement	4,925,000	(20,182,500)	124	(2,016,250)	85,716	(2,452)	4,925,000	(20,182,500)	124	(2,016,250)	85,716	(2,452)
Related deferred tax	(1,150,638)	2,087,319	(155)	(262,756)	(1,225,059)	79	(1,150,638)	2,087,319	(155)	(262,756)	(1,225,059)	79
Total other comprehensive income / (expense) that are or may be												
reclassified subsequently to income statement	2,754,274	(5,916,887)	147	682,378	3,807,755	(82)	2,502,643	(5,239,894)	148	765,393	3,697,102	(79)
Items that will not be reclassified to income statement												
Movement in fair value reserve (FVOCI equity instruments):												
Equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income - net	6,431,350	(3,660,489)	276	3,672,529	1,068,205	244	6,431,350	(3,649,445)	276	3,672,529	1,068,205	244
change in fair value												
Share of other comprehensive income of equity accounted associate and	-	-	-	-	-	-	67	654	(90)	67	249	(73)
joint venture									` '			
Total other comprehensive income / (expense) on items that will not be	6,431,350	(3,660,489)	276	3,672,529	1,068,205	244 -	6,431,417	(3,648,791)	276	3,672,596	1,068,454	244
reclassified to income statement							, ,					
Other comprehensive income / (expense) for the period, net of tax	9,185,624	(9,577,376)	196	4,354,907	4,875,960	(11)	8,934,060	(8,888,685)	201	4,437,989	4,765,556	(7)
Total comprehensive income / (expense) for the period	14,683,831	(8,534,111)	272	6,647,837	5,406,240	23	15,997,616	(7,568,525)	311	7,578,287	5,261,433	44
Total comprehensive income / (expense) attributable to:	14 602 021	(9.524.111)	272	6 647 927	5 406 240	22	15 967 701	(7 692 222)	307	7 522 502	5 217 450	4.4
Equity holders of the Bank Non-controlling interests	14,683,831	(8,534,111)	212	6,647,837	5,406,240	23	15,867,701 129,915	(7,682,323) 113,798	307 14	7,533,582 44,706	5,217,456 43,977	44
Total comprehensive income / (expense) for the period	14,683,831	(8,534,111)	272	6,647,837	5,406,240	23	15,997,616	(7,568,525)	311	7,578,288	5,261,433	44
Total comprehensive income / (expense) for the period	14,000,001	(0,334,111)	212	0,047,037	3,400,240	43	15,997,010	(7,300,323)	311	1,518,288	3,201,433	44
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DFCC Bank PLC Statement of Financial Position

		Bank			Gr	roup			
As at		30.09.2023	31.12.2022	Change	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	Change		
			(Audited)			(Audited)			
	Notes	LKR 000	LKR 000	%	LKR 000	LKR 000	%		
Assets									
Cash and cash equivalents		13,226,607	16,122,565	(18)	13,239,026	16,126,635	(18)		
Balances with Central Bank of Sri Lanka		1,882,368	9,030,868	(79)	1,882,368	9,030,868	(79)		
Placements with banks		23,361,007	15,224,692	53	23,369,127	15,242,493	53		
Derivative financial assets		15,880,204	20,473,544	(22)	15,880,204	20,473,544	(22)		
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss		1,477,401	1,429,149	3	1,477,401	1,429,149	3		
Financial assets at amortised cost - Loans to and receivables from banks		3,003,956	-	100	3,003,956	-	100		
Financial assets at amortised cost - Loans to and receivables from other	8	334,931,494	369,072,030	(9)	334,931,494	369,072,030	(9)		
customers.	O	334,731,474	307,072,030	())	334,731,474	307,072,030	()		
Financial assets at amortised cost - Debt and other instruments		51,318,825	50,947,926	1	51,318,825	50,947,926	1		
Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income		126,383,439	63,319,060	100	126,383,439	63,319,060	100		
Investments in subsidiaries		237,035	237,035	0	-	-	_		
Investments in associate		33,169	33,169	(0)	36,203	35,394	2		
Investments in joint venture		755,000	755,000	-	4,584,245	3,577,701	28		
Investment property		9,879	9,879	-	472,562	439,973	7		
Property, plant and equipment		3,251,166	3,198,553	2	3,436,742	3,389,441	1		
Intangible assets and goodwill		1,833,798	2,198,042	(17)	2,004,239	2,375,055	(16)		
Deferred tax asset		4,691,059	4,137,828	13	4,696,765	4,143,535	13		
Other assets		12,334,890	9,737,079	27	12,574,272	9,920,180	27		
Total assets		594,611,297	565,926,419	5	599,290,868	569,522,984	5		
Liabilities									
Due to banks		18,313,888	15,857,994	15	18,313,888	15,857,994	15		
Derivative financial liabilities		192,589	84,670	127	192,589	84,670	127		
Financial liabilities at amortised cost - Due to depositors	10	391,617,050	370,314,026	6	390,797,201	369,746,855	6		
Financial liabilities at amortised cost - Due to other borrowers		72,002,002	81,145,692	(11)	72,002,002	81,145,692	(11)		
Debt securities in issue		15,819,356	16,304,115	(3)	15,819,356	16,304,115	(3)		
Retirement benefit obligation		627,746	591,550	6	650,708	615,849	6		
Current tax liabilities		3,678,395	2,479,562	48	3,686,459	2,575,008	43		
Deferred tax liability Other liabilities		- 11,108,161	10,027,872	- 11	121,461 11,539,948	149,608 10,322,400	(19) 12		
Subordinated term debt		15,968,132	18,399,991	(13)	15,968,132	18,399,991	(13)		
Total liabilities		529,327,319	515,205,472	3	529,091,744	515,202,182	3		
Total habilities		327,327,317	313,203,472	3	323,031,744	313,202,102	3		
Equity									
Stated capital		13,866,557	13,182,025	5	13,866,557	13,182,025	5		
Statutory reserve		2,874,968	2,874,968	-	2,874,968	2,874,968	-		
Retained earnings		27,313,904	22,600,898	21	32,881,870	26,731,857	23		
Other reserves		21,228,549	12,063,056	76	20,139,664	11,225,802	79		
Total equity attributable to equity holders of the Bank		65,283,978	50,720,947	29	69,763,059	54,014,652	29		
Non-controlling interests		-	-	-	436,065	306,150	42		
Total equity		65,283,978	50,720,947	29	70,199,124	54,320,802	29		
Total equity and liabilities		594,611,297	565,926,419	5	599,290,868	569,522,984	5		
Contingent liabilities and commitments		189,953,590	160 122 507	12	189,953,590	160 122 507	12		
Contingent liabilities and commitments		109,955,590	169,132,507	12	109,955,590	169,132,507	12		
Net assets value per share, LKR		154.72	125.96	23	165.34	134.14	23		
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	Bank		Group		
	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	
Memorandum Information					
Number of Employees	2,052	1,989	2,168	2,097	
Number of Branches (Including Service centres)	139	139			

Statement of Changes in Equity

		Statutory reserve	Ot	her reserves			
	Stated capital LKR 000	Reserve fund LKR 000	Fair value reserve LKR 000	Hedging reserve LKR 000	General reserves LKR 000	Retained earnings LKR 000	Total equity LKR 000
Bank							
Balance as at 01 January 2022	8,600,457	2,746,968	2,096,627	(329,442)	13,779,839	22,091,649	48,986,098
Adjustment on surcharge tax	-	-	-	-	-	(1,232,490)	(1,232,490)
Adjusted balance as at 01 January 2022	8,600,457	2,746,968	2,096,627	(329,442)	13,779,839	20,859,159	47,753,608
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	1,043,265	1,043,265
Other comprehensive expenses net of tax	-	-	(2,938,827)	(6,638,549)	-	-	(9,577,376)
Total comprehensive (expense) / income for the period	-	-	(2,938,827)	(6,638,549)	-	1,043,265	(8,534,111)
Transfer of gains on disposal of equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income to retained earnings	-	-	(137,187)	-	-	137,187	-
Transactions with equity holders of the Bank,							
recognised directly in equity							
Rights issue	3,620,001	-	-	-	-	(36,089)	3,583,912
Forfeiture of unclaimed dividends		-	-	-	-	3,494	3,494
Final dividend for 2021 – Scrip	961,567	-	-	-	-	(961,567)	-
Total contributions from and distribution to							
equity holders	4,581,568	-	-	-	-	(994,162)	3,587,406
Balance as at 30 September 2022	13,182,025	2,746,968	(979,387)	(6,967,991)	13,779,839	21,045,449	42,806,903
Balance as at 01 January 2023	13,182,025	2,874,968	(1,832,190)	115,407	13,779,839	22,600,898	50,720,947
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	5,498,207	5,498,207
Other comprehensive income net of tax	-	-	8,814,582	371,042	-	-	9,185,624
Total comprehensive income/ (expense) for the period	-	-	8,814,582	371,042	-	5,498,207	14,683,831
Transfer of gains on disposal of equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income to retained earnings	_	_	(20,131)	_	_	20,131	_
Transactions with equity holders of the Bank,			(20,131)			20,131	
recognised directly in equity							
Final dividend for 2022 – Scrip	684,532	-	-	-	-	(805,332)	(120,800)
Total contributions from and distribution to							
equity holders	684,532	<u> </u>				(805,332)	(120,800)
Balance as at 30 September 2023	13,866,557	2,874,968	6,962,261	486,449	13,779,839	27,313,904	65,283,978

Statement of Changes in Equity

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	Stated	Reserve	Fair value	Exchange	Hedging	General	Retained	Total	Non- controlling	Total
	Capital	fund	reserve	equalization	reserve	reserve	earnings		interests	equity
				reserve						
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000
Group										
Balance as at 01 January 2022	8,600,457	2,746,968	655,255	163,201	(329,442)	13,779,839	25,831,589	51,447,867	317,158	51,765,025
Adjustment on surcharge tax	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,274,906)	(1,274,906)	. , ,	(1,309,892)
Adjusted balance as at 01 January 2022	8,600,457	2,746,968	655,255	163,201	(329,442)	13,779,839	24,556,683	50,172,961	282,172	50,455,133
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,206,362	1,206,362	113,798	1,320,160
Other comprehensive (expense) / income, net of tax		-	(2,936,160)	685,371	(6,638,550)	-	654	(8,888,685)	-	(8,888,685)
Total comprehensive (expense) / income for the period	-	-	(2,936,160)	685,371	(6,638,550)	-	1,207,016	(7,682,323)	113,798	(7,568,525)
Transfer of gains on disposal of equity investments at fair value			(137,187)				137,187			
through other comprehensive income to retained earnings	-	-	(137,187)	-	-	-	137,187	-	-	-
Transactions with equity holders of the Bank, recognized										
directly in equity										
Rights issue	3,620,001	-	-	-	-	-	(36,089)	3,583,912	-	3,583,912
Forfeiture of unclaimed dividends		-	-	-	-	-	3,494	3,494	-	3,494
Final dividend for 2021 – Scrip	961,567	-	-	-	-	-	(961,567)	-	-	_
Total contributions from and distribution to equity holders	4,581,568	-	-	-	-	-	(994,162)	3,587,406	-	3,587,406
Balance as at 30 September 2022	13,182,025	2,746,968	(2,418,092)	848,572	(6,967,992)	13,779,839	24,906,724	46,078,044	395,970	46,474,014
Balance at 01 January 2023	13,182,025	2,874,968	(3,273,562)	604,118	115,407	13,779,839	26,731,857	54,014,652	306,150	54,320,802
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,933,641	6,933,641	129,915	7,063,556
Other comprehensive income / (expense), net of tax	-	-	8,832,175	(269,224)	371,042	-	67	8,934,060	-	8,934,060
Total comprehensive income / (expense) for the period	-	-	8,832,175	(269,224)	371,042	-	6,933,708	15,867,701	129,915	15,997,616
Transfer of gains on disposal of equity investments at fair value										
through other comprehensive income to retained earnings	-	-	(20,131)	-	-	-	20,131	-	-	-
Transactions with equity holders of the Bank, recognized										
directly in equity										
Change in holding through joint venture	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,506	1,506	-	1,506
Final dividend for 2022 – Scrip	684,532	-	-	-	-	-	(805,332)	(120,800)	-	(120,800)
Total contributions from and distribution to equity holders	684,532	-	-	-	-	-	(803,826)	(119,294)	-	(119,294)
Balance as at 30 September 2023	13,866,557	2,874,968	5,538,482	334,894	486,449	13,779,839	32,881,870	69,763,059	436,065	70,199,124

Statement of Cash Flows

_	BANI	K	GROUP		
For the period ended 30th September	2023	2022	2023	2022	
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	
Cash flows from operating activities					
Interest receipts	48,439,338	35,449,315	48,432,664	35,455,024	
Interest payments	(45,011,162)	(23,375,025)	(44,959,689)	(23,332,102)	
Net commission receipts	3,671,268	2,542,275	3,671,268	2,542,275	
Net trading income	26,840	25,824	26,840	25,824	
Recoveries from loans previously written off	11,767	130,521	11,767	130,521	
Receipts from other operating activities	112,945	174,028	525,519	698,026	
Payments on other operating activities	(4,809,949)	(4,155,617)	(4,573,902)	(4,154,248)	
Cash payments to employees	(3,352,173)	(3,750,215)	(3,910,756)	(4,208,372)	
Taxes on financial services	(2,598,965)	(876,977)	(2,598,965)	(876,977)	
Operating Cash flows before changes in operating assets and liabilities	(3,510,091)	6,164,129	(3,375,254)	6,279,971	
(Increase)/ decrease in operating assets:					
Balances with Central Bank / deposits held for regulatory or monetary control purposes	7,148,500	2,196,073	7,148,500	2,196,073	
Financial assets at amortised cost - Loans to and receivables from other customers	11,974,105	12,031,432	11,974,105	12,031,432	
Others	876,597	(1,574,845)	853,366	(1,267,987)	
Increase /(decrease) in operating liabilities:					
Financial liabilities at amortised cost - Due to depositors	23,600,197	(12,338,256)	23,426,917	(12,768,843)	
Negotiable certificates of deposits	(925,169)	(259,276)	(925,169)	(259,276)	
Others	428,059	(1,301,163)	499,084	(1,301,163)	
Net cash flows from operating activities before income tax	39,592,198	4,918,094	39,601,549	4,910,207	
Surcharge tax paid	-	(616,245)	-	(620,331)	
Income tax paid	(3,312,024)	(1,221,051)	(3,407,338)	(1,301,029)	
Net cash flows from operating activities	36,280,174	3,080,798	36,194,211	2,988,847	
Cash flows from investing activities					
Dividends received from investmenet in subsidiaries, joint venture, and associate	-	-	(89,861)	-	
Dividend received from other investments	71,909	1,087,933	71,909	1,087,933	
Interest received	23,992,364	4,981,005	24,085,648	5,023,595	
Government Securities- net	(50,731,221)	(2,826,374)	(50,731,221)	(2,826,374)	
Proceeds from sale and redemption of securities	240,748	379,997	240,748	395,034	
Purchase of financial investments	(1,290,092)	(1,160,491)	(1,290,092)	(1,160,491)	
Purchase of property, equipment, intangibles and investment property	(618,665)	(575,204)	(627,318)	(579,496)	
Proceeds from sale of equipment, investment property and others	7,013	9,728	7,013	9,728	
Net cash flows used in investing activities	(28,327,944)	1,896,594	(28,333,174)	1,949,929	
Cash flows from financing activities					
Redemption of debentures	(2,913,470)	-	(2,913,470)	-	
Issue of new shares under Right Issue	-	3,620,001	-	3,620,001	
Borrowing , medium and long - term	1,563,912	4,093,432	1,563,912	4,093,432	
Other borrowings - net	6,111,771	11,124,317	6,111,771	11,124,317	
Repayment of borrowing ,medium and long - term	(7,353,204)	(21,967,424)	(7,353,204)	(21,967,424)	
Dividends paid	(120,882)	180	(31,021)	180	
Net Cash flows used in financing activities	(2,711,873)	(3,129,494)	(2,622,012)	(3,129,494)	
Net increase /(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	5,240,357	1,847,898	5,239,025	1,809,282	
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	31,347,257	16,976,261	31,369,128	17,023,406	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	36,587,614	18,824,159	36,608,153	18,832,688	
Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents with items reported in the statement of financial position					
Cash and cash equivalents	13,226,607	13,147,640	13,239,026	13,156,169	
Placements with banks	23,361,007	5,676,519	23,369,127	5,676,519	
	36,587,614	18,824,159	36,608,153	18,832,688	
-	20,207,014	10,027,137	20,000,123	10,052,000	

The Statement of Cash Flows of the Bank includes the results of associate, joint venture, and subsidiary companies only to the extent of the cash flows between Bank and respective companies as required by Sri Lanka Accounting Standards.

Explanatory Notes

Note 1. Statement of Compliance

The consolidated financial statements of the Group and the separate financial statements of the Bank have been presented in accordance with the Sri Lanka Accounting Standards 34 (LKAS 34) "Interim Financial Statements" issued by The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka (CA Sri Lanka) and in compliance with the requirements of the Companies Act, No. 07 of 2007 and the Banking Act No. 30 of 1988 and amendments thereto.

Note 2. Accounting Policies and Accounting Estimates

There were no changes to the accounting policies and method of computation since the publication of the last annual financial statements.

Note 3. Group Financial Statements

The Group Financial Statements comprise the Bank and its subsidiaries DFCC Consulting (Pvt) Limited, Lanka Industrial Estates Limited and Synapsys Limited and group interest in associate company National Asset Management Limited and group interest in joint venture Acuity Partners (Pvt) Ltd. Investments in Subsidiaries, joint venture and associate companies are accounted under cost method in Bank's financial statements. Investment in associate and joint venture are accounted under equity method in group's financial statements.

Note 3.1 31 March Financial Year Company

This is Lanka Industrial Estates Ltd.

Note 4. Expected Credit Loss calculation

In order to address the impacts of prevailing economic conditions on the lending portfolio, the Bank has made adequate impairment provision as at 30 September 2023 by introducing changes to internal models to cover unseen risk factors in the highly uncertain and highly volatile environment including additional provisions made as management overlay for the exposures to risk elevated sectors.

The main uncertainties regarding the estimations for the recoverability of the Bank's total exposure related to the debt service capacity of the Government of Sri Lanka, which, in turn, is affected by the development of the prevailing macroeconomic environment as well as by the levels of liquidity of the Government and the outcome of the Debt restructuring negotiations with the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and the resultant comprehensive debt restructuring program. Due to the uncertainties relating to the above, the Bank has used significant judgement using the information available as at reporting date to estimate the recoverable value of foreign currency denominated investments securities issued by Government of Sri Lanka. Accordingly, an impairment charge has been recognized to maintain a minimum provision cover of 45% on above investments.

Note 5. Net profit / (loss) from trading

	Ban	k	Group		
For the period ended 30 September	2023	2022	2023	2022	
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	
Foreign exchange from banks other customers	1,723,041	(360,399)	1,723,041	(360,399)	
Government securities					
- Net marked to market (loss)/ gain	(9,873)	9	(9,873)	9	
- Net capital gain	10,348	9,146	10,348	9,146	
Equity securities					
- Net marked to market loss	(100,642)	(58,430)	(100,642)	(58,430)	
- Net capital gain	16,492	16,669	16,492	16,669	
- Dividend income	35,694	8,675	35,694	8,675	
	1,675,060	(384,330)	1,675,060	(384,330)	

Note 6. Net loss from financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss

	Ban	k	Group		
For the period ended 30 September	2023	2022	2023	2022	
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	
Forward exchange fair value changes					
Contracts with commercial banks	(293,760)	135,842	(293,760)	135,842	
Contracts with CBSL	(13,839)	(16,171)	(13,839)	(16,171)	
Gain / (Loss) on financial assets fair value through profit or loss - equity securities	6,093	(2,636)	6,093	(2,636)	
	(301,506)	117,035	(301,506)	117,035	

Note 7. Net Other Operating Income

	Ban	K	Grou	ıp
For the period ended 30 September	2023	2022	2023	2022
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000
Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income				
Dividend income	588,047	1,079,258	588,047	1,079,258
Premises rental income	-	-	319,353	-
Gain on sale of property, plant and equipment	9,785	-	9,785	-
Foreign exchange (loss) / gain	(18,702)	(161,665)	(24,104)	(161,665)
Recovery of loans written-off	11,757	-	11,757	-
Others	91,114	188,548	247,052	637,334
	682,001	1,106,141	1,151,890	1,554,927

Note 8. Financial Assets at Amortized Cost - Loans to and Receivables from Other Customers

	Bar	nk	Group		
As at	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	
		(Audited)		(Audited)	
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	
Gross loans and receivables (Note 8.1)	379,791,576	402,975,829	379,791,576	402,975,829	
Less: Allowance for impairment (Note 8.2)	(44,860,082)	(33,903,799)	(44,860,082)	(33,903,799)	
Net loans and receivables	334,931,494	369,072,030	334,931,494	369,072,030	
Note 8.1 Loans to and Receivables from Other Customers - By produ	ct Bar	nk	Gro	un	

••	Bank		Group		
As at	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	
		(Audited)		(Audited)	
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	
By product-Domestic Currency					
Overdrafts	50,784,066	53,985,736	50,784,066	53,985,736	
Trade finance	20,455,708	18,965,291	20,455,708	18,965,291	
Credit cards	6,260,777	5,552,271	6,260,777	5,552,271	
Pawning	12,741,377	9,619,908	12,741,377	9,619,908	
Staff loans	2,398,246	2,722,811	2,398,246	2,722,811	
Term loans	219,007,353	221,023,597	219,007,353	221,023,597	
Lease rentals receivable	14,336,514	17,237,903	14,336,514	17,237,903	
Asset back notes	-	95,272	-	95,272	
	325,984,041	329,202,789	325,984,041	329,202,789	
By product-Foreign Currency					
Overdrafts	770,540	852,782	770,540	852,782	
Trade finance	21,107,968	23,244,992	21,107,968	23,244,992	
Term loans	31,929,027	49,675,266	31,929,027	49,675,266	
_	53,807,535	73,773,040	53,807,535	73,773,040	
<u> </u>					
Gross loans and receivables	379,791,576	402,975,829	379,791,576	402,975,829	

Note 8.2 Movement in Impairment during the period

	Bank		Gro	пр
	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	30.09.2023	31.12.2022
		(Audited)		(Audited)
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000
Stage 1				
Balance at beginning	4,495,287	2,202,668	4,495,287	2,202,668
(Reversal)/ charge to income statement	(883,717)	2,292,619	(883,717)	2,292,619
Write-off during the period	-	-	-	-
Balance at end	3,611,570	4,495,287	3,611,570	4,495,287
Stage 2				
Balance at beginning	5,677,290	1,989,584	5,677,290	1,989,584
Charge to income statement	4,202,565	3,687,706	4,202,565	3,687,706
Write-off during the period	-	-	-	-
Balance at end	9,879,855	5,677,290	9,879,855	5,677,290
Stage 3				
Balance at beginning	23,731,222	14,865,798	23,731,222	14,865,798
Charge to income statement	8,206,428	7,947,831	8,206,428	7,947,831
Other movements	(568,993)	917,593	(568,993)	917,593
Balance at end	31,368,657	23,731,222	31,368,657	23,731,222
Total Impairment	44,860,082	33,903,799	44,860,082	33,903,799

Note 9 . Analysis of Commitments and Contingencies and Impairment

9.3

	Bank		Group			
A4	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	30.09.2023	31.12.2022		
As at		(Audited)		(Audited)		
	Rs 000	Rs 000	Rs 000	Rs 000		
Gross commitment and contingencies	189,953,590	169,132,507	189,953,590	169,132,507		
Accumulated impairment under stage 1	571,986	519,425	571,986	519,425		
Accumulated impairment under stage 2	62,457	97,300	62,457	97,300		
Accumulated impairment under stage 3	-	-	-	-		
Net commitments and contingencies	189,319,147	168,515,782	189,319,147	168,515,782		
Product-wise commitments and contingencies						
Domestic currency						
Credit related commitments & contingencies						
Undrawn -Credit facilities	77,353,623	72,337,584	77,353,623	72,337,584		
Acceptances	99,777	12,038	99,777	12,038		
Documentary Letter of credit	447,009	77,434	447,009	77,434		
Guarantees	21,354,434	24,018,867	21,354,434	24,018,867		
	99,254,843	96,445,923	99,254,843	96,445,923		
Other commitments & contingencies						
Capital commitments	148,378	296,559	148,378	296,559		
Bid Bonds	593,805	310,790	593,805	310,790		
	742,183	607,349	742,183	607,349		
Sub total	99,997,026	97,053,272	99,997,026	97,053,272		
Foreign currency						
Credit related commitments & contingencies						
Undrawn - Credit facilities	16,495,045	15,359,202	16,495,045	15,359,202		
Acceptances	4,875,293	2,813,862	4,875,293	2,813,862		
Documentary Letter of credit	9,027,626	2,725,835	9,027,626	2,725,835		
Guarantees	4,974,784	1,699,809	4,974,784	-		
	35,372,748	22,598,708	35,372,748	20,898,899		
Other commitments & contingencies						
Forward exchange contracts	53,886,632	49,480,528	53,886,632	49,480,52		
Capital commitments	697,184	-	697,184	-		
•	54,583,816	49,480,528	54,583,816	49,480,528		
Sub total	89,956,564	72,079,236	89,956,564	70,379,42		
Total gross commitments and contingencies	189,953,590	169,132,508	189,953,591	167,432,699		

Bank	Stage 01	Stage 02	Stage 03	Total
	Rs 000	Rs 000	Rs 000	Rs 000
Balance as at 1st January 2023	519,425	97,300	-	616,725
Net charge to profit or loss	52,561	(34,843)	-	17,718
Write-off during the year	-	-	-	-
Balance as at 30 September 2023	571,986	62,457	-	634,443

Group	Stage 01 Stage 02		Stage 03	Total
	Rs 000	Rs 000	Rs 000	Rs 000
Balance as at 1st January 2023	519,425	97,300	-	616,725
Net charge to profit or loss	52,561	(34,843)	-	17,718
Write-off during the year	-	-		-
Balance as at 30 September 2023	571,986	62,457	•	634,443

Note 10. Financial liabilities at amortized cost - Due to depositors

	Bar	ık	Gro	up
As at	30.09.2023		30.09.2023	31.12.2022
		(Audited)		(Audited)
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000
By product-Domestic Currency				
Demand deposits (current accounts)	10,345,327	8,317,768	10,345,262	8,314,555
Savings deposits	51,126,804	38,476,411	51,074,373	38,457,883
Fixed deposits	252,543,979	253,748,588	251,838,921	253,286,947
Other deposits	303,386	784,949	303,386	784,949
Certificate of deposits	999,647	1,976,859	999,647	1,976,859
	315,319,143	303,304,575	314,561,589	302,821,193
By product- Foreign Currency				
Demand deposits (current accounts)	1,243,321	953,618	1,243,321	953,618
Savings deposits	23,914,399	20,183,650	23,892,729	20,143,443
Fixed deposits	51,140,187	45,833,914	51,099,562	45,790,333
Other deposits	_	38,269	-	38,268
	76,297,907	67,009,451	76,235,612	66,925,662
Total	391,617,050	370,314,026	390,797,201	369,746,855

Note 11. Reclassifications of Financial Instrument

Reclassifications of Financial Instrument considering the unprecedented changes in the macro-economic conditions, the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka (CA Sri Lanka) has decided to issue the "Statement of Alternative Treatment (SoAT) on Reclassification of Debt Portfolio". This SoAT will provide a temporary practical expedient to permit the entities to reclassify the debt portfolio measured at Fair Value through Other Comprehensive Income (FVTOCI) to amortised cost.

The Bank used this option to reclassify long term debt instruments subsequent to the initial recognition. The fair value of the debt portfolio reclassified during year 2022 and remaining as at 30 September 2023 amounted to LKR 10.5 Bn. and cumulative fair value loss thereon amounted to LKR 1.4 Bn. (net of tax LKR 1.1 Bn.).

Note 12. Events after the reporting period

There were no material events that took place after the reporting date which require adjustment to or disclosure in the Financial Statements other than below.

Note 12.1 Proposed Debenture Issue

The Board of Directors and shareholders has decided to issue up to eighty million (80,000,000) Basel III compliant, subordinated, listed, rated, unsecured, redeemable debentures with a non-viability conversion option, each at an issue price (par value) of LKR 100 with a term up to seven years. This was approved by the shareholders at the extra ordinary general meeting (EGM) on 30 March 2023 subject to obtaining all necessary regulatory and other approvals.

Note 13. Disclosures under Listing Rules

13.1 During the year, there were no material changes in the composition of assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities. All known expenditure items have been provided for.

There is no management fees or similar expenditure provided for in the Financial Statements

13.2 Stated capital

	Number of shares				
As at	30.09.2023	31.12.2022			
Number of shares of the Bank	421,948,655	402,666,056			
13.3 Market price of a share					
Information on shares of the Bank for the quarter ended	30.09.2023	31.12.2022			
- Highest price LKR	95.50	37.00			
- Lowest price LKR	50.00	31.00			
- Market price LKR	86.30	32.00			

13.4 Twenty Major Shareholders as at 30.09.2023

	Name of Shareholder/Company	Shareholding	%
1	Hatton National Bank PLC A/C No 1	52,629,168	12.47
2	Bank of Ceylon-No2 A/C (BOC PTF)	44,141,353	10.46
3	LOLC Investment Holding Three (Private) Limited	42,194,864	9.99
4	Mr. M.A.Yaseen	35,524,244	8.41
5	Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation Ltd-Life Fund	32,000,355	7.58
6	Don And Don Holdings Private Limited	30,256,510	7.17
7	Employee's Provident Fund	28,277,617	6.70
8	Melstacorp PLC	25,973,794	6.15
9	Seafeld International Ltd	20,558,446	4.87
10	People's Leasing & Finance PLC / Don And Don Holdings (Private) Limited	9,891,470	2.34
11	Renuka City Hotels PLC	8,037,892	1.90
12	Seylan Bank PLC/ ARRC Capital (Pvt) Ltd	5,043,934	1.19
13	Renuka Hotels PLC	4,726,698	1.12
14	Employees Trust Fund Board	4,627,590	1.09
15	Mr.G.B.D Tilakarathne	3,348,737	0.79
16	Akbar Brothers Pvt Ltd A/C No 1	3,149,088	0.74
17	Anverally International (Pvt) Limited	3,089,081	0.73
18	Cargo Boat Development Company PLC	2,898,893	0.68
19	Peoples Leasing & Finance PLC/Mrs.M.E. Amarasinghe	2,678,062	0.63
20	Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation Ltd - General Fund	2,499,191	0.59

13.5 Public Holdings as at 30.09.2023

Public holdings percentage 67.02%
Number of Public shareholders 10,100
Float adjusted market capitalisation LKR 24,404 million
Applicable option as per CSE Listing Rule 7.13.1 (a) Option 1

13.6 Directors' Interests in Shares

W.R.H.Fernando

J. Durairatnam	Nil
L.K.A.H. Fernando (Ms.)	Nil
H.M.N.S Gunawardana (Ms.)	Nil
N.K.G.K. Nemmawatta	Nil
N.H.T.I.Perera	25,814
V J Senaratne (Ms.)	2,101
A.L.Thambiayah (Ms)	105,094
N.Vasantha Kumar	1,800
H.A.J. de Silva Wijeyeratne	12,905
W.D. Batagoda	Nil

Certification

These Financial Statements have been prepared in compliance with requirements of the Companies Act No 07 of 2007.

Chinthika Amarasekera Chief Financial Officer

We, the undersigned, being the Chairman, the Chief Executive Officer of DFCC Bank PLC certify that:

- (a) the above statements have been prepared in compliance with the format and definitions prescribed by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka.
- (b) the information contained in these statements have been extracted from the unaudited financial statements of the Bank and the Group unless indicated as audited.

J. Durairatnam Chairman Thimal Perera
Director & Chief Executive Officer

No of Shares As at 30.09.2023

Nil

Listed Debentures

	Interest rate Frequency	Effective Rate %	Coupon Rate %	Interest rate of Comparative Government Securities (Gross) p.a.	Balance as at 30.09.2023	Mar	ket price LK	·R	Yield	Last
					LKR 000	Highest	Lowest	Last Traded	Last Traded %	Traded Date
Debenture Cate	gory									
Fixed Rate										
2016/2023	Annually	12.75	12.75	15.24	6,734,734	N/T	N/T	N/T	N/A	N/A
2018/2025	Annually	13.00	13.00	14.89	4,362,275	N/T	N/T	N/T	N/A	N/A
2019/2024	Annually	13.50	13.50	14.66	4,065,089	N/T	N/T	N/T	N/A	N/A
2019/2026	Annually	13.75	13.75	14.66	1,910,510	N/T	N/T	N/T	N/A	N/A
2019/2029	Annually	13.90	13.90	12.82	4,731,454	N/T	N/T	N/T	N/A	N/A
2020/2025	Annually	9.00	9.00	14.86	4,678,843	N/T	N/T	N/T	N/A	N/A
2020/2025	Annually	11.00	11.00	15.22	5,169,998	N/T	N/T	N/T	N/A	N/A
2020/2027	Annually	9.25	9.25	14.41	222,728	N/T	N/T	N/T	N/A	N/A

N/T -Not traded

Selected Performance Indicators

Selected Performance Indicators	Ba	nk	Group			
	30.09.2023	31.12.2022	30.09.2023 31.12.2022			
Regulatory Capital (LKR '000)	30.07.2023	31.12.2022	30.07.2023	31.12.2022		
Common Equity Tier I	40,604,299	36,818,873	43,182,241	36,381,998		
Tier 1 Capital	40,604,299	36,818,873	43,182,241	36,381,998		
Total Capital	50,239,920	48,004,800	52,825,203	47,574,242		
Regulatory Capital Ratios %						
Common Equity Tier 1 Capital Ratio (Minimum requirement - 7%)	11.090	10.085	11.760	9.937		
Tier 1 Capital Ratio (Minimum requirement - 8.5%)	11.090	10.085	11.760	9.937		
Total Capital Ratio (Minimum requirement - 12.5%)	13.722	13.148	14.386	12.993		
-						
Leverage Ratio (Minimum requirement is 3%)	6.26	5.93	6.62	5.87		
Regulatory Liquidity						
Statutory liquid assets LKR 000						
Total bank operations	197,356,017	122,283,753				
Statutory liquid assets ratio % (Minimum requirement 20%)						
Total bank operations	38.99	26.36				
Total Stock of High-Quality Liquid Assets	162,096,477	101,602,039				
Liquidity Coverage Ratio (%) – Rupee (Minimum Requirement - 2023 -						
100%, 2022 - 90%)	446.33	289.85				
Liquidity Coverage Ratio (%) - All Currency (Minimum Requirement -	463.22	202.34				
2023 - 100% , 2022 -90%)	403.22	202.34				
Net Stable Funding Ratio (%) (Minimum requirement - 2023 - 100%, 2022						
- 90%)	135.63	126.55				
Asset Quality Impaired Loans (Stage 3) Ratio (%)	6.13	4.36				
Impairment (Stage 3) to Stage 3 Loans Ratio (%)	50.09	51.73				
Profitability						
Interest margin %	5.45	4.96				
Return on assets (profit before tax) %	1.76	0.46				
Return on equity (profit after tax) %	11.66	5.04				
Other Ratios						
Debt to equity ratio (times)	2.11	2.51				
Interest cover (times)	2.28	1.47				

Analysis of Financial Instruments By Measurement Basis

	Bank				Group			
	Fair value through profit or loss - mandatory	Fair value through other comprehensive income	Amortised cost	Total	Fair value through profit or loss -	Fair value through other comprehensive income	Amortised cost	Total
As at 30 September 2023	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	mandatory LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000
Financial Assets	LKK 000	LKK 000	LKK 000	LKK 000	LKK 000	LKK 000	LKK 000	LKK 000
Cash and cash equivalents	-	_	13,226,607	13,226,607	_	_	13,239,026	13,239,026
Balances with Central Bank of Sri Lanka	_	_	1,882,368	1,882,368	_	_	1,882,368	1,882,368
Placements with banks	_	_	23,361,007	23,361,007	_	_	23,369,127	23,369,127
Derivative financial assets	15,880,204	_	-	15,880,204	15,880,204	_	-	15,880,204
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	1,477,401	_	_	1,477,401	1,477,401	_	_	1,477,401
Financial assets at amortised cost - Loans to and receivables	, , .			, ,	, , .			, ,
from banks	-	-	3,003,956	3,003,956	-	-	3,003,956	3,003,956
Financial assets at amortised cost -Loans to and receivables from other customers	-	-	334,931,494	334,931,494	-	-	334,931,494	334,931,494
Financial assets at amortised cost - Debt and other								
instruments	-	-	51,318,825	51,318,825	-	-	51,318,825	51,318,825
Financial assets measured at fair value through other								
comprehensive income	-	126,383,439	-	126,383,439	-	126,383,439	-	126,383,439
Other assets	-	-	9,779,315	9,779,315	-	-	9,915,975	9,915,975
Total financial assets	17,357,605	126,383,439	437,503,572	581,244,616	17,357,605	126,383,439	437,660,771	581,401,815
Financial Liabilities								
Due to banks	-	-	18,313,888	18,313,888	_	-	18,313,888	18,313,888
Derivative financial liabilities	192,589	-	-	192,589	192,589	-	-	192,589
Financial liabilities at amortised cost -Due to depositors	-	-	391,617,050	391,617,050	-	-	390,797,201	390,797,201
Financial liabilities at amortised cost - Due to other								
borrowers	-	-	72,002,002	72,002,002	-	-	72,002,002	72,002,002
Debt securities issued	-	-	15,819,356	15,819,356	-	-	15,819,356	15,819,356
Other liabilities	-	-	4,849,911	4,849,911	-	-	5,253,227	5,253,227
Subordinated term debt	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	15,968,132	15,968,132	<u>-</u>	-	15,968,132	15,968,132
Total financial liabilities	192,589	-	518,570,339	518,762,928	192,589	-	518,153,806	518,346,395

	Bank				Group				
As at 31 December 2022	Fair value through profit or loss - mandatory	Fair value through other comprehensive income	Amortised cost	Total	Fair value through profit or loss - mandatory	Fair value through other comprehensive income	Amortised cost	Total	
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	
Financial Assets									
Cash and cash equivalents	-	-	16,122,565	16,122,565	-	-	16,126,635	16,126,635	
Balances with Central Bank of Sri Lanka	-	-	9,030,868	9,030,868	-	-	9,030,868	9,030,868	
Placements with banks	-	-	15,224,692	15,224,692	-	-	15,242,493	15,242,493	
Derivative financial assets	20,473,544	-	-	20,473,544	20,473,544	-	-	20,473,544	
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss Financial assets at amortised cost -Loans to and receivables	1,429,149	-	-	1,429,149	1,429,149	-	-	1,429,149	
from other customers	-	-	369,072,030	369,072,030	-	-	369,072,030	369,072,030	
Financial assets at amortised cost - Debt and other instruments	-	-	50,947,926	50,947,926	-	-	50,947,926	50,947,926	
Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	63,319,060	-	63,319,060	-	63,319,060	-	63,319,060	
Other assets	-	-	7,791,474	7,791,474	-	-	7,957,933	7,957,933	
Total financial assets	21,902,693	63,319,060	468,189,555	553,411,308	21,902,693	63,319,060	468,377,885	553,599,638	
Financial Liabilities									
Due to banks	-	-	15,857,994	15,857,994	-	-	15,857,994	15,857,994	
Derivative financial liabilities	84,670	-	-	84,670	84,670	-	-	84,670	
Financial liabilities at amortised cost -Due to depositors	-	-	370,314,026	370,314,026	-	-	369,746,855	369,746,855	
Financial liabilities at amortised cost - Due to other									
borrowers	-	-	81,145,692	81,145,692	-	-	81,145,692	81,145,692	
Debt securities issued	-	-	16,304,115	16,304,115	-	-	16,304,115	16,304,115	
Other liabilities	-	-	8,101,153	8,101,153	-	-	8,288,066	8,288,066	
Subordinated term debt	-	-	18,399,991	18,399,991	-	-	18,399,991	18,399,991	
Total financial liabilities	84,670	-	510,122,971	510,207,641	84,670	-	509,742,713	509,827,383	

Fair Values of Financial Instruments

Financial Instruments Recorded at Fair Value

The following is a description of how fair values are determined for financial instruments that are recorded at fair value using valuation techniques. These incorporate the Bank's estimate of assumptions that a market participant would make when valuing the instruments.

(a) Derivatives

Derivative products valued with market-observable inputs are mainly currency swaps and forward foreign exchange contracts. Such valuations incorporate various inputs such as foreign exchange spot and forward rates.

(b) Financial Assets at Fair Value through Other Comprehensive Income

Financial Assets at Fair Value through Other Comprehensive Income are valued using valuation techniques or pricing models primarily consisted of unquoted equities.

(c) Financial Assets at Fair Value through Profit or Loss

Quoted Equities and Sri Lanka Government Securities - are included under Financial Assets at Fair Value through Profit or Loss are valued using market prices.

Determination of Fair Value and Fair Value Hierarchy

The Bank uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique.

- Level 1: Quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: Other techniques for which all inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are observable, either directly or indirectly.

Level 3: Techniques which use inputs that have a significant effect on the recorded fair value that are not based on observable

The following table shows an analysis of financial instruments and non financial assets and liabilities recorded at fair value by level of fair value hierarchy

As at 30 September 2023	Level 1 LKR 000	Level 2 LKR 000	Level 3 LKR 000	Total LKR 000	
Financial Assets					
Derivative financial assets					
Forward foreign exchange contracts		15,880,204		15,880,204	
Financial assets measured at fair value through pr	ofit or loss				
Government of Sri Lanka Treasury Bonds	128,220			128,220	
Equity securities - quoted	1,308,345			1,308,345	
Units in Unit Trusts - Quoted	3,740			3,740	
Units in Unit Trusts - Unquoted		37,097		37,097	
Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income				-	
Government of Sri Lanka Treasury Bills and Bonds	110,274,017			110,274,017	
Sri Lanka Sovereign bonds	-			-	
Equity shares- quoted	15,888,003			15,888,003	
Equity shares- unquoted			221,419	221,419	
	127,602,325	15,917,301	221,419	143,741,045	
Financial Liabilities					
Derivative financial liabilities					
Forward foreign exchange contracts		192,589		192,589	
	-	192,589	-	192,589	

As at 31st December 2022	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	
	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	LKR 000	
Financial Assets					
Derivative financial assets					
Forward foreign exchange contracts		20,473,544		20,473,544	
Financial assets measured at fair value through p	rofit or loss				
Government of Sri Lanka Treasury Bonds				-	
Government of Sri Lanka Treasury Bonds	795,433			795,433	
Equity securities - quoted	598,972			598,972	
Units in Unit Trusts - Quoted	3,740			3,740	
Units in Unit Trusts - Unquoted		31,004		31,004	
Financial assets measured at fair value through					
other comprehensive income					
Government of Sri Lanka Treasury Bills	54,926,057			54,926,057	
and Bonds	34,720,037			54,720,057	
Sri Lanka Sovereign bonds	-			-	
Equity shares- quoted	8,171,584			8,171,584	
Equity shares- unquoted			221,419	221,419	
	64,495,786	20,504,548	221,419	85,221,753	
Financial Liabilities					
Derivative financial liabilities					
Forward foreign exchange contracts	-	84,670	-	84,670	
-	-	84,670	-	84,670	

Set out below is a comparison, by class, of the carrying amounts and fair values of the Bank's financial instruments that are not carried at fair value in the financial statements. This table does not include the fair values of non-financial assets and non-financial liabilities.

	As at 30 Septe	mber 2023	As at 31st December 2022		
	Carrying Amount Fair Value		Carrying Amount	Fair Value	
Financial Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	13,226,607	13,226,607	16,122,564	16,122,564	
Balances with Central Bank of Sri Lanka	1,882,368	1,882,368	9,030,868	9,030,868	
Placements with banks	23,361,007	23,361,007	15,224,692	15,224,692	
Financial assets at amortised cost - Loans to					
and receivables from banks	3,003,956	3,003,956	-	-	
Financial assets at amortised cost - Loans to					
and receivables from other customers	334,931,494	303,846,654	369,072,030	339,333,283	
Financial assets at amortised cost - Debt and					
other instruments	51,318,825	51,469,785	50,947,926	50,780,504	
Other assets	9,779,315	9,779,315	7,791,474	7,791,474	
Financial Liabilities					
Due to banks	18,313,888	18,313,888	15,857,994	15,857,994	
Financial liabilities at amortised cost - due to					
depositors	391,617,050	387,993,604	370,314,026	361,987,182	
Financial liabilities at amortised cost - due to					
other borrowers	72,002,002	72,002,002	81,145,692	81,145,692	
Debt securities in issue	15,819,356	14,110,808	16,304,115	11,786,904	
Other liabilities	4,849,911	4,849,911	8,101,153	8,101,153	
Subordinated term debt	15,968,132	13,812,886	18,399,991	15,010,515	

Fair Value of Financial Assets and Liabilities not Carried at Fair Value

The following describes the methodologies and assumptions used to determine fair values for those financial instruments which are not already recorded at fair value in the Financial Statements.

Assets for which Fair Value Approximates Carrying Value

For financial assets and financial liabilities that have a short term maturity, it is assumed that the carrying amounts approximate their fair value. This assumption is applied for Cash and Cash Equivalents, Balances with Central Bank of Sri Lanka, Placements with Banks and Securities Purchased under Re-sale Agreements. This assumption is also applied to demand deposits, savings accounts without a specific maturity, floating rate instruments and fixed rate instruments having maturities within 12 months.

Fixed Rate Financial Instruments

The fair value of fixed rate financial assets and liabilities (other than assets and liabilities with maturities within 12 months) carried at amortised cost are estimated by comparing market interest rates when they were first recognised with current market rates for similar financial instruments.

Reconciliation of Level 3 fair values

The following table shows a reconciliation from the opening balances to the closing balances for Level 3 fair values.

	Equity S	Equity Securities			
	Bank	Group Group			
	2023	2022			
	LKR 000	LKR 000			
Balance at 1 January	221,419	216,602			
Purchased during the year					
Gain included in OCI					
- Net change in fair value (unrealised)	-	4,817			
Balance at end of the period	221,419	221,419			

Sensitivity analysis

For the fair values of equity securities, reasonably possible changes at the reporting date to one of the significant unobservable inputs, holding other inputs constant, would have the following effects.

	OCI Net of Tax		
Equity securities as at 30.09.2023	Increase LKR 000	Decrease LKR 000	
Adjusted net assets value (5% movement)	11,071	(11,071)	

OPERATING SEGMENTS - GROUP

Information about reportable segments

	30 September 2023				30 September 2022					
-	Corporate Banking LKR.'000	Retail Banking LKR.'000	Treasury LKR.'000	Other LKR.'000	Total LKR.'000	Corporate Banking LKR.'000	Retail Banking LKR.'000	Treasury LKR.'000	Other LKR.'000	Total LKR.'000
External revenue										
Interest income	19,375,235	29,452,633	25,595,940	89,980	74,513,788	14,587,833	23,565,633	5,404,036	52,623	43,610,125
Net fees and commission income	1,946,195	1,756,139	(2,188)	-	3,700,146	1,041,078	2,052,965	(40,799)	-	3,053,244
Net gain from trading Net loss from financial instruments at fair	372,591	183,492	1,118,977	-	1,675,060	-	-	(384,330)	-	(384,330)
value through profit or loss			(301,506)	-	(301,506)	-	-	117,035	-	117,035
Net gain from derecognition of financial assets			2,618,875	-	2,618,875	-	-	39,438	-	39,438
Net other operating income	7,152	3	-	706,876	714,031	83,718	69,644	582,327	676,454	1,412,143
Income from external customers	21,701,173	31,392,267	29,030,098	796,856	82,920,394	15,712,629	25,688,242	5,717,707	729,077	47,847,655
Inter segment revenue				(326,247)	(326,247)				(279,036)	(279,036)
Total segment revenue	21,701,173	31,392,267	29,030,098	470,609	82,594,147	15,712,629	25,688,242	5,717,707	450,041	47,568,619
Impairment for loans and other losses Interest Expense Net operating income Segment assets Segment liabilities	- - 136,058,757 58,511,940	- - 195,903,433 332,721,769	- 224,931,812 122,295,967	- - 1,084,299 576,947	12,113,499 50,975,365 19,505,283 557,978,301 514,106,623	- 155,616,724 69,090,224	- - 218,691,880 273,092,760	- - 121,237,887 134,053,501	- - 1,049,895 501,272	11,979,775 27,326,949 8,261,895 496,596,386 476,737,757
Information on cash flows Cash flows from operating activities Cash flows from investing activities Cash flows from financing activities Net cash flows generated during the year	- - - -	- - - -	- - -	- - - -	36,194,211 (28,333,174) (2,622,012) 5,239,025		- - - -	- - - -	- - -	7,997,716 (3,058,940) (3,129,494) 1,809,282
Capital expenditure: Property, plant and equipment Intangible assets	- -	73,177 -	- -	- -	73,177 -	367	41,040 32,328	- -	-	41,407 32,328

Reconciliations of information on reportable segments to the amounts reported in the financial statements

	2023 LKR.'000	2022 LKR.'000
Revenue		
Total revenue for reportable segments	82,920,394	47,847,655
Unallocated amounts	1,059,213	2,385,822
Elimination of inter-segment revenue	(326,247)	(279,036)
Consolidated revenue	83,653,360	49,954,441
Net Operating Income		
Total net operating income for reportable segments	19,505,283	8,261,895
Unallocated amounts	117,231	1,874,851
Consolidated net operating income	19,622,514	10,136,746
Assets		
Total assets for reportable segments	557,978,301	496,596,386
Other unallocated amounts	41,312,567	32,038,010
Consolidated total assets	599,290,868	528,634,396
Liabilities		
Total liabilities for reportable segments	514,106,623	476,737,757
Other unallocated amounts	14,985,121	5,422,625
Consolidated total liabilities	529,091,744	482,160,382