Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (Malaysia) Berhad (Registration No. 201001000001 (839839 M)) (Incorporated in Malaysia)

UNAUDITED CONDENSED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 31 MARCH 2024

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#### MANAGEMENT'S CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the attached unaudited condensed financial statements for the 1st quarter and three months ended 31 March 2024 have been prepared from the Bank's accounting records and that they are in accordance with the requirements of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") 134: *Interim Financial Reporting* issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") and the Guidelines on Financial Reporting for Financial Institutions (BNM/RH/PD 032-13) issued by Bank Negara Malaysia ("BNM") on 29 April 2022.

Xie Shaoxiong Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer

Date: 26 April 2024

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#### **UNAUDITED CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 MARCH 2024**

	Note	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
ASSETS			
Cash and short-term funds Deposits and placements with banks and other	10	183,578	581,663
financial institutions Financial investments measured at fair value through other	11	89,193	126,716
comprehensive income ("FVOCI")	12	1,110,475	683,548
Financial investments measured at amortised cost	13	349,373	405,107
Loans, advances and financing	14	3,093,487	3,054,830
Derivative financial assets	15	6,404	6,734
Other assets	16	22,333	16,131
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia		33,880	30,266
Tax recoverable		6,388	3,961
Property and equipment		3,437	3,351
Right-of-use assets		9,503	10,620
Intangible asset		=	=
Deferred tax assets		9,132	10,586
TOTAL ASSETS		4,917,183	4,933,513
LIABILITIES			
Deposits from customers	17	2,528,252	2,509,680
Deposits and placements of banks and other			
financial institutions	18	912,959	968,042
Derivative financial liabilities	15	6,248	6,385
Other liabilities	19	59,413	58,298
Lease liabilities	20	9,324	10,385
Provision for commitments and contingencies	20	2,779	2,885
Provision for taxation		298	215
TOTAL LIABILITIES		3,519,273	3,555,890
EQUITY			
Share capital		832,609	832,609
Reserves		565,301	545,014
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNER OF THE BANK		1,397,910	1,377,623
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		4,917,183	4,933,513
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES	26	2,523,716	2,543,650

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# UNAUDITED CONDENSED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

		1st quarter ended				
	Note	31 Mar 2024 31	1 Mar 2023	31 Mar 2024 3		
		RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Interest income	21	58,799	42,575	58,799	42,575	
Interest expense	21	(24,414)	(11,694)	(24,414)	(11,694)	
Net interest income	21	34,385	30,881	34,385	30,881	
Net non-interest income	22	7,086	10,711	7,086	10,711	
Net operating income		41,471	41,592	41,471	41,592	
Other operating expenses	23	(17,155)	(20,373)	(17,155)	(20,373)	
Operating profit Write-back of/(Allowance for)		24,316	21,219	24,316	21,219	
impairment on loans, advances and financing Write-back of impairment on other	24	521	(336)	521	(336)	
financial assets	25	505	940	505	940	
Profit before taxation Tax expense		25,342 (5,748)	21,823 (5,184)	25,342 (5,748)	21,823 (5,184)	
Profit for the financial period		19,594	16,639	19,594	16,639	
Other comprehensive income, net of tax Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss Foreign currency translation reserve - Currency translation differences in		1.575	266	1565	266	
respect of foreign operations Fair value reserve		1,565	266	1,565	266	
- Changes in fair value		(1,147)	6,790	(1,147)	6,790	
- Deferred tax adjustment		275	(1,630)	275	(1,630)	
		(872)	5,160	(872)	5,160	
Total other comprehensive income for the financial period		693	5,426	693	5,426	
Total comprehensive income for the financial period		20,287	22,065	20,287	22,065	
Basic earnings per ordinary share (sen):		2.35	2.00	2.35	2.00	

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#### UNAUDITED CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

	•	Non-Distributable — Foreign		Foreign		istributable	le	
	Share capital RM'000	Currency Translation Reserve RM'000	Fair Value Reserve RM'000	Regulatory Reserve RM'000	Retained earnings RM'000	Total Equity RM'000		
At 1 January 2023  Total comprehensive income for the financial period  Other comprehensive income/(expense), net of tax  Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to/(from)	832,609	3,379	3,206	17,644	447,454	1,304,292		
profit or loss  Foreign currency translation reserve  - Currency translation differences in respect of foreign operations	-	266	-	-	-	266		
Fair value reserve - Changes in fair value	_		6,790			6,790		
- Deferred tax adjustment	Ī	-	(1,630)	-	_	(1,630)		
	=	=	5,160	=	=	5,160		
Total other comprehensive income/(expense) for the financial period	-	266	5,160	-	-	5,426		
Profit for the financial period	=	=	=	=	16,639	16,639		
Total comprehensive income/(expense) for the financial period	<del>-</del>	266	5,160	-	16,639	22,065		
At 31 March 2023	832,609	3,645	8,366	17,644	464,093	1,326,357		

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# UNAUDITED CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2024 (continued)

	•	——Non-Disti Foreign	ributable ——	→ D	istributable	
	Share capital RM'000	Currency Translation Reserve RM'000	Fair Value Reserve RM'000	Regulatory Reserve RM'000	Retained Earnings RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
At 1 January 2024  Total comprehensive income/(expense) for the financial period  Other comprehensive income/(expense), net of tax  Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to/(from)  profit or loss	832,609	5,571	6,495	17,644	515,304	1,377,623
Foreign currency translation reserve - Currency translation differences in respect of foreign operations	-	1,565	-	-	-	1,565
Fair value reserve						
- Changes in fair value	-	-	(1,147)	-	-	(1,147)
- Deferred tax adjustment			275		_	275
	-	-	(872)	-	-	(872)
Total other comprehensive income/(expense) for the financial period	-	1,565	(872)	-	-	693
Profit for the financial period	-	-	<del>-</del>	-	19,594	19,594
Total comprehensive income/(expense) for the financial period	-	1,565	(872)	-	19,594	20,287
At 31 March 2024	832,609	7,136	5,623	17,644	534,898	1,397,910

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#### UNAUDITED CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000
Cash flows (used in)/from operating activities		
Profit before taxation	25,342	21,823
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation of property and equipment	444	397
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	1,117	1,139
Interest expense on lease liabilities	71	26
(Write-back of)/Allowance for impairment on loans, advances and		
financing	(521)	336
Write-back of impairment on other financial assets	(505)	(940)
Net unrealised losses arising from derivative trading	193	1,158
Transfer to foreign currency translation reserve	1,565	266
Accretion of discounts net of amortisation of premiums of financial		
investments measured at FVOCI	350	311
Accretion of discounts net of amortisation of premiums of financial		
investments measured at amortised cost	948	1,060
Operating profit before working capital changes	29,004	25,576
Changes in operating assets		
Deposits and placements with banks and other financial institutions	37,623	34,595
Loans, advances and financing	(38,246)	127,405
Other assets	(6,202)	1,790
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia	(3,614)	390
Changes in operating liabilities		
Deposits from customers	18,572	1,588
Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions	(55,083)	(133,156)
Other liabilities	1,115	2,999
Provision for credit commitments and contingencies	4	
Cash (used in)/from operations	(16,827)	61,187
Income taxes paid	(6,363)	(2,920)
Net cash (used in)/from operating activities	(23,190)	58,267
Cash flows used in investing activities		
Purchase of property and equipment	(531)	(470)
Net purchase of financial investments measured at FVOCI	(428,425)	=
Net proceeds from financial investments measured at amortised cost	55,000	
Net cash used in investing activities	(373,956)	(470)
Cash flows used in financing activity		
Net payment of lease liabilities	(1,132)	(1,145)
Net cash used in financing activity	(1,132)	(1,145)

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# UNAUDITED CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2024 (continued)

	Note	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		(398,278)	56,652
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the financial period		581,663	215,359
		183,385	272,011
Add: Allowance for/(Write-back of) credit loss for the financial period		193	(68)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the financial period		183,578	271,943
Cash and cash equivalents comprise:			
Cash and Cash equivalents comprise.			
Cash and short-term funds	10	183,578	271,943

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# EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

#### 1. General information

Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (Malaysia) Berhad is principally engaged in the provision of banking and other related financial services.

There were no significant changes in these activities during the financial period.

#### 2. Basis of preparation

The unaudited condensed interim financial statements for the 1st quarter and three months ended 31 March 2024 have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") 134: *Interim Financial Reporting* issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") and the Guidelines on Financial Reporting for Financial Institutions (BNM/RH/PD 032-13) issued by Bank Negara Malaysia ("BNM") on 29 April 2022.

The unaudited condensed interim financial statements do not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Bank as at and for the financial year ended 31 December 2023. The explanatory notes attached to the unaudited condensed interim financial statements provide an explanation of events and transactions that are significant for an understanding of the changes in the financial position and performance of the Bank since the financial year ended 31 December 2023.

All the significant accounting policies and methods of computation applied in the unaudited condensed interim financial statements are consistent with those adopted in the most recent audited annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023, except for the adoption of the following Amendments with effect from 1 January 2024:

- Amendments to MFRS 16, Leases Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback
- Amendments to MFRS 101, Presentation of Financial Statements Non-current Liabilities with Covenants and Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current
- Amendments to MFRS 107, Statement of Cash Flows and MFRS 7, Financial Instruments Disclosures Supplier Finance Arrangements

The initial application of the amendments to the above standards does not have any significant impact to the financial statements of the Bank.

The following are the accounting standards, interpretations and amendments that have been issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") but have not been adopted by the Bank:-

- Amendments to MFRS 121, The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates: Lack of Exchangeability (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025)
- Amendments to MFRS 10, Consolidated Financial Statements and MFRS 128, Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures Sale of Contribution of Assets between an Investor and Its Associate or Joint Venture (effective date yet to be determined)

The initial applications of the amendments are not expected to have any significant financial impact to the current period and prior period financial statements of the Bank.

#### 3. Auditors' Report on Preceding Annual Financial Statements

The audit report on the audited annual financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2023 was not subject to any qualification.

#### 4. Seasonality or Cyclical Factors

The business operations of the Bank are not subject to material seasonal or cyclical fluctuations.

#### 5. Unusual Items due to Their Nature, Size or Incidence

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows of the Bank for the 1st quarter and three months ended 31 March 2024.

#### 6. Changes in Estimates

There were no material changes in the estimates of amounts reported in the prior financial year that have a material effect on the financial results and position of the Bank for the 1st quarter and three months ended 31 March 2024.

#### 7. Issue of Shares and Debentures

There was no issuance of shares and debentures during the 1st quarter and three months ended 31 March 2024.

#### 8. Dividend Paid

No dividend was paid during the 1st quarter and three months ended 31 March 2024.

#### 9. Significant Events

There were no material events subsequent to the statement of financial position date that require disclosure in or adjustments to the unaudited condensed interim financial statements.

#### 10. Cash and short-term funds

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Cash and balances with banks and other financial institutions	90,289	85,924
Money at call and deposit placements maturing within one month	93,352	495,995
	183,641	581,919
Less: Allowance for credit loss	(63)	(256)
	183,578	581,663

An analysis of changes in the allowance for credit loss is as follows:-

	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
Allowance for credit loss				
At 1 January 2024	256	-	-	256
New assets originated	8	-	-	8
Assets derecognised or repaid	(201)	-	_	(201)
Foreign exchange adjustments	=			=
At 31 March 2024	63	-	-	63
At 1 January 2023	416	-	<del>-</del>	416
New assets originated	252	-	-	252
Assets derecognised or repaid	(412)	-	_	(412)
At 31 December 2023	256	=	=	256

#### 11. Deposits and placements with banks and other financial institutions

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Licensed Malaysian banks	50,000	75,000
Foreign banks	39,501	52,124
	89,501	127,124
Less: Allowance for credit loss	(308)	(408)
	89,193	126,716
Less: Allowance for credit loss	(308)	(408)

An analysis of changes in the allowance for credit loss is as follows:-

	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
Allowance for credit loss				
At 1 January 2024	408	-	-	408
New assets originated	-	-	-	-
Assets derecognised or repaid	(100)	=	-	(100)
At 31 March 2024	308	-	-	308
At 1 January 2023	1,372	-	-	1,372
New assets originated	(964)	-	-	(964)
At 31 December 2023	408	-	-	408

#### 12. Financial investments measured at fair value through other comprehensive income

#### (i) By type

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Malaysian Government Securities	371,566	321,596
Malaysian Government Investment Issues	738,909	361,952
	1,110,475	683,548

#### (ii) By maturity structure

'000
,112
,395
,376
,665
,548

# (iii) Movement of gross carrying amount and allowance for credit loss to other comprehensive income

	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
Gross carrying amount				
At 1 January 2024	683,548	-	-	683,548
New assets originated	428,487	-	-	428,487
Assets derecognised or repaid	(413)	-	=	(413)
Changes in fair value	(1,147)	=	-	(1,147)
At 31 March 2024	1,110,475	-	=	1,110,475
-				
At 1 January 2023	802,808	-	-	802,808
New assets originated or purchased	31,094	-	-	31,094
Assets derecognised or repaid	(154,682)	-	=	(154,682)
Changes in fair value	4,328	-	-	4,328
At 31 December 2023	683,548	-	-	683,548
	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
Allowance for credit loss At 1 January/31 March 2024		-	_	
At 1 January/31 December 2023		-	-	-

The carrying amounts of financial investments measured at FVOCI are their respective fair values. Accordingly, the recognition of allowance for credit loss does not affect the carrying amount of those assets, but is reflected as a debit to profit or loss and credit to other comprehensive income.

#### 13. Financial investments measured at amortised cost

# (i) By type

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Financial institutions' securities	45,097	45,292
Corporate bonds	205,265	261,007
Other debt securities		
- Cagamas bonds	100,064	100,073
	350,426	406,372
Less: Allowance for credit loss	(1,053)	(1,265)
	349,373	405,107

#### (ii) By maturity structure

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Within one year	190,348	241,284
More than one year to three years	140,078	145,088
More than three years to five years	20,000	20,000
	350,426	406,372

# (iii) Movement of gross carrying amount and allowance for credit loss to profit or loss

	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
Gross carrying amount				
At 1 January 2024	406,372	-	-	406,372
New assets originated or purchased	-	-	-	=
Assets derecognised or repaid	(55,946)	=	=	(55,946)
At 31 March 2024	350,426	-	-	350,426
At 1 January 2023	425,379	-	_	425,379
New assets originated or purchased	60,061	-	-	60,061
Assets derecognised or repaid	(79,068)	-	-	(79,068)
At 31 December 2023	406,372	-	-	406,372

#### 13. Financial investments measured at amortised cost (continued)

# (iii) Movement of gross carrying amount and allowance for credit loss to profit or loss (continued)

	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
Allowance for credit loss				
At 1 January 2024	1,265	-	-	1,265
New assets originated	-	_	_	-
Assets derecognised or repaid	(212)	-	-	(212)
Changes due to change in credit risk	-	-	-	-
At 31 March 2024	1,053	-	-	1,053
At 1 January 2023	1,487	_	_	1,487
New assets originated	87	_	_	87
Assets derecognised or repaid	(118)	-	=	(118)
Changes due to change in credit risk	(40)	-	_	(40)
Changes in model/risk parameter	(151)	-	-	(151)
At 31 December 2023	1,265	-	-	1,265

#### 14. Loans, advances and financing

#### (i) By type

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Overdrafts	17,316	7,570
Term loans		
- Housing loans	110,281	108,740
- Syndicated term loans	910,984	843,419
- Other term loans	793,837	846,649
Bills receivable	49,201	88,664
Revolving credits	1,149,266	1,093,156
Bankers' acceptances	92,306	96,298
Staff loans	1,806	1,835
Credit card loans	2,783	3,020
Gross loans, advances and financing Less: Allowance for credit loss	3,127,780	3,089,351
- Stage 1 (12-month ECL)	(26,136)	(26,145)
- Stage 2 (Lifetime ECL - non-credit impaired)	(6,803)	(7,020)
- Stage 3 (Lifetime ECL - credit impaired)	(1,354)	(1,356)
	(34,293)	(34,521)
Net loans, advances and financing	3,093,487	3,054,830

# (ii) By type of customer

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Domestic non-bank financial institutions		
- Others	356,758	236,237
Domestic business enterprises		
- Small medium enterprises	252,092	258,373
- Others	1,823,113	1,955,184
Individuals	36,775	37,751
Foreign entities	659,042	601,806
	3,127,780	3,089,351

#### (iii) By interest rate sensitivity

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Fixed rate loan Variable rate	233,789	231,199
- Base rate/base lending rate plus	95,994	83,751
- Cost plus	2,671,028	2,705,285
- Other variable rates	126,969	69,116
	3,127,780	3,089,351

#### (iv) By sector

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	5,014	5,014
Manufacturing	684,226	739,292
Electricity, gas and water	40,505	42,110
Construction	208,927	258,181
Mining and quarrying	252,159	254,168
Real estate activities	455,582	467,769
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and		
motorcycles	206,530	216,485
Information and communication	24,545	22,370
Finance and insurance	725,032	558,679
Education	199,620	199,668
Household	121,692	121,090
Transportation and Storage	171,061	172,512
Administrative and Support Services	32,602	31,700
Accommodation and Food Services	285	313
	3,127,780	3,089,351

#### (v) By purpose

	31 Mar 2024	31 Dec 2023
	RM'000	RM'000
Purchase of properties		
- Non-residential	502,457	513,635
- Residential	111,873	110,358
Construction	129,096	130,004
Credit card	2,783	3,020
Personal use	731	781
Working capital	1,785,533	1,634,752
Other purposes	595,307	696,801
	3,127,780	3,089,351

#### (vi) By geographical distribution

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Within Malaysia	2,509,360	2,519,599
Outside Malaysia	618,420	569,752
	3,127,780	3,089,351

Concentration by location for loans, advances and financing is based on the geographical location where the credit risk resides.

#### (vii) By residual contractual maturity

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Maturity within one year	1,441,349	1,429,963
More than one year to three years	738,972	770,309
More than three years to five years	543,078	466,153
More than five years	404,381	422,926
	3,127,780	3,089,351

#### (viii) Impaired loans, advances and financing

#### (a) Movement in impaired loans, advances and financing

		31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
	At 1 January 2024/1 January 2023	1,356	1,279
	Impaired during the financial period	2	136
	Reclassified as performing during the financial period	(39)	(64)
	Write-off	-	(48)
	Exchange differences	35	53
	At 31 March 2024/31 December 2023	1,354	1,356
	As % of gross loans, advances and financing	0.04%	0.04%
(b)	By sector		
		31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and		
	Motorcycles	1,275	1,239
	Household	79	117
		1,354	1,356
(c)	By purpose		
		31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
	Working capital	1,275	1,239
	Credit card	79	117
		1,354	1,356
(d)	By geographical distribution		
		31 Mar 2024	31 Dec 2023
		RM'000	RM'000
	Within Malaysia	79	117
	Outside Malaysia	1,275	1,239
	•	1,354	1,356

Concentration by location for impaired loans, advances and financing is based on the geographical location where the credit risk resides.

#### (ix) Movements in gross loans, advances and financing

	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 January 2024	2,771,080	316,915	1,356	3,089,351
New assets originated	301,582	14,673	2	316,257
Assets derecognised or repaid	(260,719)	(17,144)	-	(277,863)
Transfer to Stage 1	7,468	(7,429)	(39)	-
Transfer to Stage 2	(83)	83	-	-
Transfer to Stage 3	_	-	-	-
Write-off	-	-	-	-
Foreign exchange adjustments		-	35	35
At 31 March 2024	2,819,328	307,098	1,354	3,127,780
At 1 January 2023	2,190,753	278,074	1,279	2,470,106
New assets originated	1,770,831	24,221	10	1,795,062
Assets derecognised or repaid	(1,132,400)	(43,422)	=	(1,175,822)
Transfer to Stage 1	48,566	(48,530)	(36)	=
Transfer to Stage 2	(106,670)	106,698	(28)	-
Transfer to Stage 3	-	(126)	126	-
Write-off	-	-	(48)	(48)
Foreign exchange adjustments		-	53	53
At 31 December 2023	2,771,080	316,915	1,356	3,089,351

#### (x) Movements in allowance for credit loss on loans, advances and financing

	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 January 2024	26,145	7,020	1,356	34,521
New assets originated	2,102	368	2	2,472
Assets derecognised or repaid	(1,877)	(626)	-	(2,503)
Transfer to Stage 1	155	(116)	(39)	=
Transfer to Stage 2	(1)	1	-	=
Transfer to Stage 3	-	_	-	-
Write-off	-	_	_	-
Changes due to change in credit risk	(381)	1	_	(380)
Foreign exchange adjustments	(7)	155	35	183
At 31 March 2024	26,136	6,803	1,354	34,293
At 1 January 2023	18,871	4,178	1,279	24,328
New assets originated	8,708	984	9	9,701
Assets derecognised or repaid	(6,361)	(1,529)	-	(7,890)
Transfer to Stage 1	943	(907)	(36)	-
Transfer to Stage 2	(1,106)	1,134	(28)	=
Transfer to Stage 3	=	(2)	2	=
Changes due to change in credit risk	2,020	1,853	125	3,998
Changes in model/risk parameter	2,960	1,309	=	4,269
Write-off	-	_	(48)	(48)
Foreign exchange adjustments	110	-	53	163
At 31 December 2023	26,145	7,020	1,356	34,521

#### 15. Derivative financial assets/liabilities

	31		
	Contract/ Nominal value RM'000	Assets RM'000	Liabilities RM'000
Foreign exchange contracts			
- Currency forwards and spots	216,762	205	38
- Currency swaps	82,177	14	58
Interest rate contracts			
- Cross currency interest rate swaps	89,080	5,491	5,458
- Interest rate swaps	100,000	694	694
Total recognised derivative assets/liabilities (Note 26)	488,019	6,404	6,248

	31 Dec 2023		
	Contract/ Nominal value RM'000	Assets RM'000	Liabilities RM'000
Foreign exchange contracts			
- Currency forwards and spots	146,876	251	196
- Currency swaps	159,988	1,354	1,109
Interest rate contracts			
- Cross currency interest rate swaps	87,774	4,237	4,188
- Interest rate swaps	200,000	892	892
Total recognised derivative assets/liabilities (Note 26)	594,638	6,734	6,385

#### 16. Other assets

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Interest receivable	17,506	12,357
Deposits	1,500	1,502
Other receivables and prepayments	3,167	2,272
Collateral pledged for derivative transactions	160	=
	22,333	16,131

#### 17. Deposits from customers

# (i) By type of deposits

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Demand deposits	562,309	697,150
Fixed deposits	1,317,785	1,253,093
Savings deposits	161,746	160,650
Money market deposits	328,333	244,777
Others	158,079	154,010
	2,528,252	2,509,680

# 17. Deposits from customers (continued)

#### (ii) By type of customers

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Business enterprises	1,286,873	1,343,131
Individuals	406,311	383,396
Foreign entities	834,800	782,805
Others	268	348
	2,528,252	2,509,680

#### (iii) By maturity structure of term deposits

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Due within six months	1,341,508	1,060,473
More than six months to one year	304,610	437,397
	1,646,118	1,497,870

# 18. Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Licensed Malaysian banks	175,184	326,239
Licensed investment banks	20,042	50,042
Licensed Islamic banks	31,441	25,862
Other financial institutions	32,078	31,984
Foreign banks	654,214	533,915
	912,959	968,042

#### 19. Other liabilities

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Interest payable	27,711	23,585
Other payables and accruals	31,702	34,713
	59,413	58,298

# 20. Provision for commitments and contingencies

	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 January 2024	2,027	858	-	2,885
New commitments originated	304	25	=	329
Commitments derecognised	(240)	(191)	=	(431)
Transfer to Stage 1	26	(26)	=	-
Changes due to changes in credit risk	(9)	1	-	(8)
Foreign exchange adjustments	3	1	-	4
At 31 March 2024	2,111	668	-	2,779
At 1 January 2023	1,719	574	-	2,293
New commitments originated	2,117	202	-	2,319
Commitments derecognised	(1,773)	(105)	_	(1,878)
Transfer to Stage 1	6	(6)	=	-
Transfer to Stage 2	(8)	8	=	-
Changes due to changes in credit risk	(205)	63	-	(142)
Changes in model/risk parameter	171	122	-	293
At 31 December 2023	2,027	858	-	2,885

#### 21. Net Interest income

1st quarte	er ended	Year-To-Date ended	
31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000
43,095	28,905	43,095	28,905
3,899	2,614	3,899	2,614
8,355	7,704	8,355	7,704
2 450	2.252	2 450	2.252
			3,352
58,799	42,575	58,799	42,575
(9,200)	(1,578)	(9,200)	(1,578)
(15,214)	(10,116)	(15,214)	(10,116)
(24,414)	(11,694)	(24,414)	(11,694)
34,385	30,881	34,385	30,881
	31 Mar 2024 RM'000 43,095 3,899 8,355 3,450 58,799 (9,200) (15,214)	RM'000       RM'000         43,095       28,905         3,899       2,614         8,355       7,704         3,450       3,352         58,799       42,575         (9,200)       (1,578)         (15,214)       (10,116)         (24,414)       (11,694)	31 Mar 2024 RM'000         31 Mar 2023 RM'000         31 Mar 2024 RM'000           43,095         28,905         43,095           3,899         2,614         3,899           8,355         7,704         8,355           3,450         3,352         3,450           58,799         42,575         58,799           (9,200)         (1,578)         (9,200)           (15,214)         (10,116)         (15,214)           (24,414)         (11,694)         (24,414)

#### 22. Net Non-interest income

#### (i) Net fee income

	1st quarte	er ended	Year-To-Date ended		
	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000	
Fee income:					
- Commission	1	4	1	4	
<ul> <li>Service charges and fees</li> </ul>	954	1,315	954	1,315	
- Loan processing fees	172	470	172	470	
- Syndication fees	943	-	943	-	
- Guarantee fees	1,367	1,270	1,367	1,270	
- Commitment fees	231	218	231	218	
- Other loan-related fee income	45	5	45	5	
- Other fee income	2	3	2	3	
	3,715	3,285	3,715	3,285	
Fee expense:					
- Brokerage fees	(21)	(14)	(21)	(14)	
- Other fee expense	(441)	(243)		(243)	
-	(462)	(257)	(462)	(257)	
Net fee income	3,253	3,028	3,253	3,028	

# (ii) Net trading income

	1st quarter ended		Year-To-Date ended	
	31 Mar 2024	ar 2024 31 Mar 2023	31 Mar 2024	31 Mar 2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Net gain from dealing in foreign				
exchange	23,193	4,099	23,193	4,099
Net gain/(losses) arising from				
derivative trading	(19,168)	4,465	(19,168)	4,465
Net unrealised revaluation				
gain/(losses) in foreign exchange	(1)	251	(1)	251
Net unrealised (losses) arising from				
derivative trading	(193)	(1,158)	(193)	(1,158)
_	3,831	7,657	3,831	7,657

# (iii) Other income

	1st quarte	1st quarter ended		ate ended
	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000
Other operating income	2	26	2	26
Total net non-interest income	7,086	10,711	7,086	10,711

# 23. Other operating expenses

	1st quarte 31 Mar 2024	31 Mar 2023	Year-To-D 31 Mar 2024	31 Mar 2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Personnel costs:				
- Salaries, allowance and bonuses	10,426	13,469	10,426	13,469
- Pension fund contributions	1,174	1,534	1,174	1,534
- Other staff costs	1,663	1,632	1,663	1,632
Promotion and marketing related				
expenses:				
<ul> <li>Advertising and promotion</li> </ul>	40	22	40	22
- Others	86	18	86	18
Establishment costs:				
- Depreciation of property and				
equipment	444	397	444	397
- Depreciation of right-of-use assets	1,117	1,139	1,117	1,139
- Interest expense on lease liabilities	71	26	71	26
- Expenses relating to leases of low-				
value assets	64	33	64	33
- Others	477	651	477	651
Administrative expenses:				
- Auditors' remuneration				
<ul> <li>statutory audit fees</li> </ul>	63	63	63	63
<ul> <li>audit related services</li> </ul>	3	3	3	3
- Professional fees	92	66	92	66
- Licence fee	86	84	86	84
- Membership fee	31	23	31	23
- Others	1,318	1,213	1,318	1,213
	17,155	20,373	17,155	20,373

# 24. (Write-back of)/Allowance for impairment on loans, advances and financing

	1st quarter ended		Year-To-Date ended	
	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Mar 2023 RM'000
(Write-back of)/Allowance for credit loss				
<ul><li>Loans, advances and financing</li><li>Provision for commitments and</li></ul>	(411)	(167)	(411)	(167)
contingencies	(110)	503	(110)	503
	(521)	336	(521)	336

# 25. (Write-back of) /Allowance for impairment on other financial assets

	1st quarter ended		Year-To-Date ended	
	31 Mar 2024	31 Mar 2023	31 Mar 2024	31 Mar 2023
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
(Write-back of) /Allowance for credit loss				
- Cash and short-term funds	(193)	68	(193)	68
- Deposit and placements with banks				
and other financial institutions	(100)	(1,005)	(100)	(1,005)
- Financial investments measured at				
amortised cost	(212)	(3)	(212)	(3)
	(505)	(940)	(505)	(940)

#### 26. Commitments and contingencies

The commitments and contingencies comprise the following:-

	31 Mar 2024			
		Positive		
		value of	Credit	Risk-
	Principal	derivative	equivalent	weighted
	amount	contracts^	amount*	assets*
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Credit-related exposures				
Direct credit substitutes	118,014	-	118,014	23,603
Transaction-related contingent items	379,554	-	189,777	72,157
Short-term self-liquidating trade-related				
Contingencies	166,390	-	33,278	15,507
Other commitments, such as formal				
standby facilities and credit lines, with				
an original maturity of:				
- Exceeding one year	121,953	-	60,976	58,328
<ul> <li>Not exceeding one year</li> </ul>	1,212,163	-	242,433	190,930
Unutilised credit card lines	37,622	-	7,525	5,643
Derivative financial contracts				
Foreign exchange related contracts:				
- Less than one year	298,939	219	3,709	2,261
Interest rate related contracts:				
- Less than one year	89,081	5,491	8,386	4,873
- One year to five years	100,000	694	1,694	339
Total	2,523,716	6,404	665,792	373,641

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#### 26. Commitments and contingencies (continued)

	31 Dec 2023 Positive			
	Principal amount RM'000	value of derivative contracts^ RM'000	Credit equivalent amount* RM'000	Risk- weighted assets* RM'000
Credit-related exposures				
Direct credit substitutes	114,747	-	114,747	22,949
Transaction-related contingent items	410,711	-	205,356	88,050
Short-term self-liquidating trade-related				
contingencies	180,762	=	36,152	12,318
Other commitments, such as formal standby facilities and credit lines, with an original maturity of:				
- Exceeding one year	124,535	=	62,268	59,310
<ul> <li>Not exceeding one year</li> </ul>	1,081,047	=	216,209	175,719
Unutilised credit card lines	37,210	-	7,442	5,582
<u>Derivative financial contracts</u> Foreign exchange related contracts:				
- Less than one year	306,864	1,605	4,553	1,917
Interest rate related contracts:				
- Less than one year	87,774	4,237	7,090	4,225
- One year to five years	200,000	892	4,892	3,446
Total	2,543,650	6,734	658,709	373,516
_		Note 15		

- ^ The foreign exchange related contracts are off-balance sheet derivative financial instruments whose values change in response to changes in prices or rates (such as foreign exchange rates and interest rates) of the underlying instruments. The underlying principal amounts of these derivative financial instruments and their corresponding gross positive fair values (derivative financial assets) as at respective reporting dates are as shown above.
- \* The credit equivalent and risk-weighted amounts are computed using credit conversion factors and risk-weighting rules as per BNM guidelines. The credit conversion factors and risk weighting rules are based on guidelines of the revised Capital Adequacy Framework on the Standardised Approach.

#### 27. Capital adequacy

The total risk-weighted assets of the Bank are computed based on the following approaches:-

- (i) Standardised Approach for Credit risk;
- (ii) Standardised Approach for Market risk;
- (iii) Basic Indicator Approach for Operational risk.

The capital adequacy ratios of the Bank are analysed as follows:-

	31 Mar 2024 RM'000	31 Dec 2023 RM'000
Common Equity Tier 1 ("CET1") Capital/Tier 1 Capital		
Paid-up share capital	832,609	832,609
Retained earnings	515,304	515,304
Regulatory reserve	17,644	17,644
Foreign currency translation reserve	7,136	5,571
Unrealised gains on financial investments measured at FVOCI	5,623	6,495
	1,378,316	1,377,623
Less: Regulatory adjustments applied in the calculation of CET1 Capital		
- Deferred tax assets	(9,132)	(10,585)
- 55% cumulative gains of financial investments measured at	(2,002)	(2.572)
FVOCI	(3,092)	(3,572)
- Regulatory reserve attributable to loans, advances and	(17 644)	(17.644)
financing	(17,644)	(17,644)
	(29,868)	(31,801)
Total CET1 Capital/Tier 1 Capital	1,348,448	1,345,822
Tier 2 Capital		
Allowance for credit loss	25,870	26,107
Regulatory reserve	17,644	17,644
Total Tier 2 Capital	43,514	43,751
Total Capital	1,391,962	1,389,573
CET1 capital ratio	35.844%	35.618%
Tier 1 capital ratio	35.844%	35.618%
Total capital ratio	37.000%	36.776%
Total Suprair Tatio	37.00070	30.77070

Breakdown of gross risk-weighted assets ("RWA") in the various categories of risk-weights:-

	31 Mar 2024		31 Dec 2023	
	Exposures RM'000	Risk- weighted Assets RM'000	Exposures RM'000	Risk- weighted Assets RM'000
Total RWA for credit risk	5,601,801	3,481,139	5,609,996	3,500,113
Total RWA for market risk	-	8,635	-	12,534
Total RWA for operational risk	-	272,266	-	265,868
	5,601,801	3,762,040	5,609,996	3,778,515

(a) The breakdown of RWA by exposures in each major risk category under the standardised approach as at the respective reporting dates are as follows:-

		31 Mar 2024			
Risk Type				Risk-	
• •		Gross	Net	Weighted	Capital
		Exposures	Exposures	Assets	Requirement
		RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Credit Risk					
On-balance sheet Exp					
Sovereigns/Central B	anks	1,164,646	1,164,646	-	-
Banks, Development	Financial				
Institutions and MD	Bs	424,050	424,050	134,280	10,742
Corporates		2,925,420	2,925,420	2,628,651	210,292
Regulatory Retail		267,804	267,804	263,321	21,066
Residential Mortgage	es	104,625	104,625	39,584	3,167
Other assets		49,464	49,464	41,662	3,333
Total On-Balance Sheet					_
Exposures		4,936,009	4,936,009	3,107,498	248,600
Off-balance sheet Exp					
Credit-related off-bal	ance sheet				
exposures		652,003	652,003	366,168	29,293
OTC derivatives		13,789	13,789	7,473	598
Total Off-Balance S	heet				
Exposures		665,792	665,792	373,641	29,891
•	_				
Total On and Off-Ba	alance Sheet				
Exposures		5,601,801	5,601,801	3,481,139	278,491
	=				
Large exposure risk r	equirement*	=	=	-	=
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Market Risk	Long	Short			
г .	Position	Position			
Foreign currency	0.413		0.412	0.412	(72
risk	8,412	-	8,412	8,412	673
Interest rate risk	89,080	89,080	=	223	18
0				272.266	21.701
Operational risk	-	-		272,266	21,781
Total RWA and Cap	oital Requireme	ents		3,762,040	300,963

*Note:* 

MDBs - Multilateral Development Banks

*OTC - Over the counter* 

<sup>\*</sup> The Bank does not need to fulfill the capital requirement for Large Exposure Risk as there is no amount in excess of the lowest threshold arising from equity holdings as specified in the BNM's Risk-Weighted Capital Adequacy Framework ("RWCAF").

Risk Type		31 Dec 2023							
		Gross Exposures RM'000	Net Exposures RM'000	Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000	Capital Requirement RM'000				
Credit Risk									
On-balance sheet Exp	oosures								
Sovereigns/Central B		783,631	783,631	-	=				
Banks, Development	Financial								
Institutions and MD	Bs	736,039	736,039	174,151	13,932				
Corporates		3,013,126	3,013,126	2,610,544	208,844				
Regulatory Retail		271,725	271,725	267,778	21,422				
Residential Mortgage	es	106,381	106,381	40,061	3,205				
Other assets		40,385	40,385	34,063	2,725				
Total On-Balance S	heet								
Exposures		4,951,287	4,951,287	3,126,597	250,128				
-	_								
Off-balance sheet Ex	posures								
Credit-related off-balance sheet		642,174	642,174	363,927	29,114				
exposures									
OTC derivatives		16,535	16,535	9,589	767				
Total Off-Balance Sheet									
Exposures		658,709	658,709	373,516	29,881				
	_				,				
Total On and Off-B	alance Sheet								
Exposures		5,609,996	5,609,996	3,500,113	280,009				
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Large exposure risk r	equirement*	_	_	_	_				
Earge exposure risk i	equilement								
Market Risk	Long	Short							
	Position	Position							
Foreign currency									
risk	12,315	<del>-</del>	12,315	12,315	985				
Interest rate risk	87,774	87,774	-	219	18				
Operational risk	-	=		265,868	21,269				
Total RWA and Cap		3,778,515	302,281						

*Note:* 

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OTC - Over the counter

<sup>\*</sup> The Bank does not need to fulfill the capital requirement for Large Exposure Risk as there is no amount in excess of the lowest threshold arising from equity holdings as specified in the BNM's RWCAF.

(b) The breakdown of credit risk exposures by risk weights as at the respective reporting dates are as follows:-

		Exposures after Netting and Credit Risk Mitigation					Total Exposures	
31 Mar 2024 Risk Weights	Sovereign/ Central Banks RM'000	Banks, MDBs, and DFIs RM'000	Corporates RM'000	Regulatory Retail RM'000	Residential Mortgages RM'000	Other Assets RM'000	after Netting & Credit Risk Mitigation RM'000	Total Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000
0%	1,164,646	_	90,856	1,942	48	7,802	1,265,294	_
20%	, , , <u>-</u>	377,163	448,561	-	-	3,504	829,228	165,846
35%	-	-	-	-	86,307	-	86,307	30,207
50%	_	173,178	59,636	-	17,788	7,026	257,628	128,814
75%	-	-	-	28,285	-	-	28,285	21,213
100%		=	2,829,478	260,178	482	44,921	3,135,059	3,135,059
Total Exposures Risk-Weighted Assets by	1,164,646	550,341	3,428,531	290,405	104,625	63,253	5,601,801	3,481,139
Exposures	-	162,022	2,949,007	281,391	39,584	49,135	3,481,139	
Average Risk Weight	0.0%	29.4%	86.0%	96.9%	37.8%	77.7%	62.1%	
Deduction from Capital Base	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

The above are disclosures as required by the guidelines in the RWCAF on Standardised Approach.

*Note:* 

MDBs - Multilateral Development Banks OTC - Over the counter

	Exposures after Netting and Credit Risk Mitigation					Total Exposures		
31 Dec 2023 Risk Weights	Sovereign/ Central Banks RM'000	Banks, MDBs, and DFIs RM'000	Corporates RM'000	Regulatory Retail RM'000	Residential Mortgages RM'000	Other Assets RM'000	after Netting & Credit Risk Mitigation RM'000	Total Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000
0%	783,631	_	89,160	2,188	105	6,322	881,406	_
20%		765,818	574,153	-	-	3,295	1,343,266	268,653
35%	-	_	-	-	88,792	-	88,792	31,077
50%	_	98,733	54,758	-	17,000	8,621	179,112	89,556
75%	-	-	-	26,371	-	-	26,371	19,778
100%		-	2,785,172	266,711	484	38,682	3,091,049	3,091,049
Total Exposures	783,631	864,551	3,503,243	295,270	106,381	56,920	5,609,996	3,500,113
Risk-Weighted Assets by								
Exposures		202,530	2,927,382	286,489	40,061	43,651	3,500,114	
Average Risk Weight	0.0%	23.4%	83.6%	97.0%	37.7%	76.7%	62.4%	
Deduction from Capital Base		-	-		-	-	-	

The above are disclosures as required by the guidelines in the RWCAF on Standardised Approach.

Note:

MDBs - Multilateral Development Banks

OTC - Over the counter

#### 28. Performance Review

The Bank recorded a profit before tax of RM25.34 million for the three months ended 31 March 2024, higher by RM3.52 million or 16.1% when compared with the corresponding period in 2023. The Bank's total operating income was made up of net interest income of RM34.39 million and net non-interest income of RM7.09 million (31 March 2023: RM30.88 million and RM10.71 million respectively).

Net Interest income which contributed 82.9% to the Bank's total operating income increased by RM3.50 million or 11.3% when compared with the three months ended 31 March 2023 as a result of higher average yield on interest-bearing assets as compared with the corresponding period in 2023. Net non-interest income which contributed 17.1% to the Bank's total operating income, decreased by RM3.63 million or 33.8% due to lower net trading income during the financial period.

The Bank's other operating expenses decreased by RM3.22 million or 15.8% to RM17.16 million, attributable to lower personnel costs incurred. During the financial period, a write-back of impairment of RM0.52 million was made on loans, advances and financing due to repayments by borrowers. There was a write-back of provision for impairment on other financial assets of RM0.51 million due to the lower volume of deposits and placements with banks and other financial institutions.

As at 31 March 2024, gross loans, advances and financing increased by RM38.43 million or 1.2% to RM3,127.78 million as compared with RM3,089.35 million as at 31 December 2023. The Bank's deposits from customers improved marginally by RM18.57 million or 0.7% to RM2,528.25 million as compared with RM2,509.68 million as at 31 December 2023.