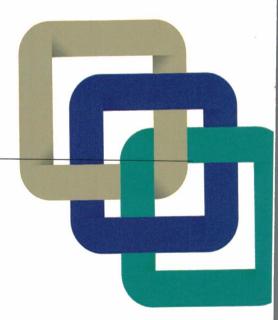
# **Afghan United Bank**

# Condensed interim financial statements and auditors' review report

For the 1st quarter ended March 31, 2020

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Independent auditors' review report on condensed interim financial statements to the shareholders of Afghan United Bank

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#### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying condensed interim statement of financial position of **Afghan United Bank** ("the Bank") as at March 31, 2020 and the related condensed interim statement of comprehensive income, condensed interim statement of changes in equity and condensed interim statement of cash flows, and the notes to the condensed interim financial statements for the three months then ended (here-in-after referred to as the "interim financial statements"). Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these interim financial statements in accordance with the International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34, Interim Financial Reporting, issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and the requirements of the Law of Banking in Afghanistan. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim financial statements based on our review.

# **Scope of Review**

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity." A review of interim financial statements consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.



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#### Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim financial statements do not give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Bank as at March 31, 2020, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the three months period then ended in accordance International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34, Interim Financial Reporting, issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), the requirements of the Law of Banking in Afghanistan and directives issued by the Central Bank of Afghanistan.

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**Chartered Accountants** 

Location: Kabul, Afghanistan 19th JUN, 2020 (6) GTA

Date:

Condensed Interim Statement of Financial Position As at 31 March 2020

		Unaudited	Audited
		31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19
	Note	AFN '	000'
ASSETS			
Cash and balances with central bank	4	6,378,377	7,430,578
Balances with other banks	5	1,591,465	2,213,871
Investments	6	1,912,749	2,747,707
Loans and advances to customers	7	6,405,563	6,617,895
Property and equipment	8	917,492	945,023
Intangible assets	9	6,365	7,286
Other assets		2,827,811	2,804,801
Total assets		20,039,821	22,767,160
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
EQUITY			
Share capital		1,757,020	1,757,020
Revaluation reserve on property and equipment		422,905	431,018
Retained earnings		285,774	135,393
Total equity		2,465,698	2,323,431
LIABILITIES			
Deposits from customers	10	16,707,958	19,617,872
Deferred tax liability		123,923	123,924
Provision for tax		19,748	6,155
Other liabilities		722,494	695,779
Total liabilities		17,574,123	20,443,729
Total equity and liabilities		20,039,821	22,767,160
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The annexed notes 1 to 14 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Condensed Interim Statement of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

		Three months ended	
		31-Mar-20	31-Mar-19
	Note	AFN '	000'
Mork up/noture/interest			
Mark-up/ return/ interest earned		199,217	214,528
Mark-up/ return/ interest expense		(17,632)	(27,379)
Net mark-up/ return/ interest income		181,585	187,149
Fee and commission income		102,701	79,079
Fee and commission expense		(2,117)	(1,509)
Net fee and commission income		100,584	77,570
Other expense/ income		4 207	(7.504)
Net operating income		4,387	(7,584)
the operating income		286,556	257,135
Provision against non-performing loans			
and advances	7.5	66,496	(255,390)
Net provision against off balance sheet items and other assets			
Loss on disposal and de-recognition of fixed assets - net		(764)	79,212
Depreciation	0	(20.505)	-
Amortization	8 9	(30,525)	(16,388)
Employee compensation	9	(921)	(1,252)
Operating lease expenses		(62,039)	(58,465)
Other expenses		(2,929)	(12,096)
Profit/ (loss) before tax	,	(78,040)	(65,506)
1 one (loss) before the		177,834	(72,749)
Income tax expense		(35,567)	14,550
Profit/ (loss) for the period	:	142,268	(58,199)
Other comprehensive income			
Profit/ (loss) for the period		142,268	(59 100)
		142,200	(58,199)
Other comprehensive income - not reclassified to the			
income statement		-	-
Other comprehensive income - reclassified to the			
income statement		-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period ended	-	142,268	(58,199)
	=		(50,177)

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Condensed Interim Statement of Changes in Equity (Unaudited)

For the three months ended 31 March 2020

	Share	Revaluation	Retained	Total
	capital	reserve	earnings	
		AFN	1 '000'	
Balance as at 1 January 2019	1,522,030	463,472	123,104	2,108,606
Incremental depreciation on revaluation surplus	-	(8,113)	8,113	-
Total comprehensive income for the period				
Profit for the period	-	-	(58,199)	(58,199)
Other comprehensive income		_	[ (50,155)	(50,155)
And the second of the second s			(58,199)	(58,199)
Balance as at 31 March 2019	1.522.020			
Balance as at 51 March 2019	1,522,030	455,359	73,019	2,050,407
Balance as at 1 January 2020	1,757,020	431,018	135,393	2,323,431
Incremental depreciation on revaluation surplus	-	(8,113)	8,113	-
Total comprehensive income for the period				
Profit for the period	_	_	142,268	142,268
Other comprehensive income		_	1.2,200	142,200
		الـــــا	142,268	142 269
Balance as at 31 March 2020	1,757,020	422 005		142,268
Zamies no ne or franch 2020	1,737,020	422,905	285,774	2,465,698

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Condensed Interim Statement of Cash Flows (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

	Three months ended	
	31-Mar-20	31-Mar-19
Note	AFN '	000'
	177,834	(72,749)
	(66,496)	255,390
	764	(79,212)
8	30,525	16,388
9	921	1,252
	143,548	121,069
	834,958	(359,541)
	278,064	338,414
	(23,010)	(642)
	(2,909,914)	(1,604,022)
	26,478	(145,715)
1	(1,649,876)	(1,650,437)
	(19,951)	5,464
,	(1,669,827)	(1,644,973)
8	(2.994)	(2,485)
	(=,>> .)	(2,100)
	(2,994)	(2,485)
	(1.786)	
-		
	(1,700)	_
	(1,674,607)	(1,647,458)
	9,644,448	9,118,131
4 & 5	7,969,841	7,470,673
	8	31-Mar-20   AFN '0     177,834     (66,496)   764     8

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Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

# 1 LEGAL STATUS AND OPERATIONS

Afghan United Bank commenced its operations on 4th October, 2007 under the commercial banking license issued by Da Afghanistan bank (DAB). Today the bank has a network of 26 branches including two full fledge Islamic banking outlets in different provinces of Afghanistan. The bank also holds license from Afghanistan Investment Support Agency (AISA) bearing license no: D-27284. The registered office is located at Shahr e Naw. Kabul. Afghanistan.

# 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION

These condensed interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34, Interim Financial Reporting, issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and the requirements of the Law of Banking in Afghanistan. In case requirements differ, the provisions of the Law of Banking in Afghanistan will prevail.

The disclosures in these condensed interim financial statements do not include those reported for full annual audited financial statements and should therefore be read in conjunction with the annual audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019.

Comparative statement of financial position is extracted from the annual audited financial statements as of 31 December 2019, whereas comparative statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows have been taken from unaudited condensed interim financial statements for the three months period ended 31 March 2019.

Standards, interpretations and amendments to published approved accounting standards that are effective in the current period

There are certain new and amended standards and interpretations that are mandatory for the Bank's accounting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020 but are considered not to be relevant or do not have any significant effect on the Bank's operations.

# 3 ACCOUNTING POLICIES, ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

The accounting policies, significant judgements made in the application of accounting policies, key sources of estimations, the methods of computation adopted in preparation of these interim financial statements and financial risk management policies are the same as those applied in preparation of annual audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019.



Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

			31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19
		Note	AFN	'000'
4	CASH AND BALANCES WITH CENTRAL BANK			
	In hand			
	Local currency		1,093,384	779,738
	Foreign currencies		1,569,681	1,872,495
	. oreign entrement		2,663,066	2,652,232
	With Da Afghanistan Bank in:		2,000,000	2,002,202
	Local currency current accounts		960,022	1,704,822
	Foreign currency current accounts		2,754,902	3,070,188
	Overnight deposit with Central Bank		388	3,335
			3,715,311	4,778,346
			6,378,377	7,430,578
5	BALANCES WITH OTHER BANKS			
	In Afghanistan			
	National Bank of Pakistan		577	583
	Pashtany Bank		1,957	1,972
	New Kabul Bank		5	8,002
			2,539	10,557
	Outside Afghanistan			
	CSC Bank, Lebanon		13,506	56,813
	Aktif Bank, Turkey		187,143	186,863
	Axis Bank, India		8,412	23,386
	Ziraat Bank Uzbekistan		76,680	77,460
	BMCE Bank, Spain		510,682	966,684
	Nurol Bank, Turkey		384,502	225,433
	Bahrain Middle East Bank		11,308	294,410
	Transkapital Bank, Russia		396,693	372,264
			1,588,926	2,203,314
			1,591,465	2,213,871
6	INVESTMENTS			
	Capital notes	6.1	546 212	1 444 055
	Capital notes	0.1	546,312	1,444,055
	Held to maturity			
	Aktif Bank, Turkey		498,420	503,490
	Ziraat Bank Uzbekistan		230,040	232,380
	BMCE Bank, Spain		-	154,920
	Bahrain Middle East Bank		-	-
	Nurol Bank, Turkey		421,740	426,030
	RAK Bank, UAE		230,040	-
	Company Company 1 to a second company 1	6.2	1,380,240	1,316,820
	General provision on investments	6.3	(13,802)	(13,168)
	Investments - net of provision		1,912,749	2,747,707



Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

- **6.1** This represents capital notes from Da Afghanistan bank carrying interest rate from 1.29% to 1.39% (2019: 0.80% to 1.60%) per annum and having maturity date in Jun 2020.
- 6.2 This represents foreign currency fixed term placements with foreign banks carrying interest ranging from 1.50% to 5.25% (2019: 1.50% to 5.25%) per annum and having maturity by Nov 2020.

		31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19
		AFN	'000'
6.3	General provision against investments		
	Opening balance	13,168	10,920
	Charge for the period/ year	634	2,248
	Write off during the period/ year	-	-
		634	2,248
	Closing balance	13,802	13,168

General provision against investments is calculated as per DAB's *Asset Classification and Provisioning Regulations i.e.* @ 1% of the gross amount of investments.

			31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19
		Note	AFN	'000'
7	LOANS AND ADVANCES TO CUSTOMERS			
	,			
	Conventional financing			
	Running finance	7.2	5,988,848	5,903,728
	Term finance	7.3	734,196	774,417
			6,723,044	6,678,145
	Islamic financing			
	Murabaha	7.4	1,256,443	1,655,249
	Loans and advances to customers - gross		7,979,487	8,333,394
	Provision against non-performing loans and advances	7.5	(1,573,924)	(1,715,499)
	Loans and advances to customers - net of provision		6,405,563	6,617,895
7.1	Particulars of loans and advances to austomore areas			
/.1	Particulars of loans and advances to customers - gross			
	In local currency		3,258,104	3,480,341
	In foreign currencies		4,721,383	4,853,053
			7,979,487	8,333,394

- 7.2 Running Finance carry interest ranging between 10% 6% p.a. (2019: 10% 16%). All facilities are extended for maximum period of 12 months and are expected to be recovered within 12 months of the reporting date. These are secured against personal guarantees, mortgage of immoveable properties and hypothecation over stock in trade.
- 7.3 Term Finance carry interest ranging between 13% 15% p.a. (2019: 13% 15%). These facilities are extended for periods ranging from one and a half year to five years and are secured against personal guarantees, mortgage of immoveable commercial and residential properties and assignment of receivables.

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Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

7.4 Murabaha represent sale and purchase agreements under which the Bank pay for the purchase of goods and then sold these goods to the customers on profit margin ranging from 12% - 18% p.a. (2019: 12% - 18%). These facilities are extended for the period of two months to five years and are generally secured against personal guarantees, mortgage of immovable properties and goods supplied under the sale and purchase agreement.

	31-Mar-20 31-Dec-19 AFN '000'
7.5 Provision against non-performing loans and advances	
Opening balance Charge for the period/ year Write-off during the period/ year Foreign currency fluctuation effect	1,715,499 1,229,773 (66,496) 517,143 (63,741) (10,226) (11,338) (21,190)
Closing balance	(141,575) 485,726 1,573,924 1,715,499



Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

			31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19
8	PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT		AFN '	000'
	Operating fixed assets Owned Leased	8.1	848,745	862,600
	- Right of use asset - building	8.2	68,746 917,492	82,423 945,023
8.1	Cost			
0.1	Opening balances Additions during the period/ year Disposals during the period/ year Closing balances		1,699,156 2,994 - 1,702,150	1,681,993 23,290 (6,127) 1,699,156
	A commutated demonstration			
	Accumulated depreciation Opening balances Charge during the period/ year Disposals during the period/ year Closing balances		836,556 16,848 - 853,405	777,854 64,829 (6,127) <b>836,556</b>
	Written down value		848,745	862,600
8.2	Right of use assets - building			
0.2	Balance created upon the adoption of IFRS 16 Opening Balance Depreciation expense for the period Closing Balance		82,423 (13,677) 68,746	143,596 - (61,173) 82,423
9	INTANGIBLE ASSETS			
	Cost Opening balance Additions during the period/ year Closing balance		244,624 	238,165 6,460 <b>244,624</b>
	Less: Accumulated amortization			
	Opening balance		237,339	231,980
	Charge for the period/ year		921	5,358
	Closing balance		238,260	237,339
	Written down value		6,365	7,286

9.1 Intangible assets include computer software and licenses. The amortization rate of intangible assets is 33.33% (2019: 33.33%). The gross carrying amount of fully amortized intangible assets still in use is AFN 233,571 thousand (2019: AFN 233,579 thousand).



Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

			31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19
		Note	AFN '	
			AIII	000
10	DEPOSITS FROM CUSTOMERS			
	Conventional			
	Current deposits		9,776,622	10,858,074
	Saving deposits	10.1	710,534	764,464
	Term deposits	10.2	439,777	439,783
	Margin deposits		1,419,816	2,569,951
			12,346,749	14,632,272
	Islamic			
	Current deposits		2,271,852	2,673,124
	Saving deposits	10.3	684,234	796,519
	Term deposits	10.4	1,019,296	1,011,546
	Margin deposits		385,827	504,411
			4,361,209	4,985,600
			16,707,958	19,617,872

- 10.1 Saving deposits carry interest ranging from 1% to 3% p.a. (2019: 1% to 3%).
- 10.2 Term deposits carry interest ranging from 1.5% to 4% p.a. (2019: 1.5% to 4%), based on the term, with maturity ranging from three to twelve months (2019: three to twelve months).
- 10.3 The profit disbursed during the year on the Islamic saving deposits ranged from 0.18% to 0.25% p.a. (2019: 0.18% to 0.46%).
- 10.4 Profit distribution rates on Islamic term deposits during the year ranged from 0.9% to 1.80% p.a. (2019: 2.40% to 3.04%)

#### 11 CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

	31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19	
	AFN '000'		
LCs and BGs issued on behalf of the customers	9,335,822	10,175,057	

This include outstanding BGs amounting to AFN 1,774 million (2019: 1,944 million) issued in Islamic mode of finance.

		31-Dec-19	
	AFN '000'		
Commitment for operating lease			
- not later than one year	11,716	6,710	
- later than one year and not later than five year	46,864	26,840	
	58,580	33,550	

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Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

#### 12 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

#### Parent and ultimate controlling party

The Bank is owned by individual shareholders who owns Bank's shares in different proportions.

#### Key management personnel

Key management personnel includes Board of Supervisors, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Credit Officer and Chief Risk Officer.

#### Transactions with related parties

Transactions and balances with related parties, including remuneration and benefits paid to key management personnel under the terms of their employment are as follows:

	Balances		Transactions	
	31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19	31-Mar-20	31-Mar-19
	AFN '000'			
Shareholders				
Deposits	675	686		
Transactions with key managem	nent			
Short-term employee benefits				
Salary and other benefits	-	-	13,437	14,594
Advance salary	268	1,084	Sec. 10 (1) (1) (1)	

# 13 CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

#### Regulatory capital

The Banks' regulator Da Afghanistan Bank sets and monitors capital requirements for the Bank. The capital adequacy of the Bank is assessed in two tiers as per regulations of the Da Afghanistan Bank.

- Tier 1 or core capital, consisting of the highest quality capital elements that fully meet all the essential characteristics of capital; to be 6% of risk weighted assets.
- Tier 2 or supplementary capital, which includes other instruments which, to a varying degree, fall short of the quality of Tier 1 capital, but nonetheless contribute to the overall strength of a bank as a going concern.
- Regulatory capital is the sum of Tier 1 and Tier 2 capital. Besides, Tier 2 capital cannot exceed from total amount of Tier 1 capital. The Bank complies with these regulations.

The Bank's regulatory capital position at 31 March 2020 was as follows:

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Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

	31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19
	AFN	'000'
Tier 1 capital		
Total Equity	2,465,698	2,323,431
Less:		
Intangible assets	6,365	7,286
Profit for the year	142,268	-
Revaluation reserve on property and equipment	422,905	431,018
Total tier 1 (core) capital	571,537 1,894,161	438,304 1,885,127
Tier 2 capital	1,0>1,101	1,005,127
General loss reserves on credits		
Profit for the year	14226	-
·	142,268	-
Revaluation reserve on property and equipment  Total tier 2 (supplementary) capital	422,905	431,018
Total tiel 2 (supplementary) capital	565,173	431,018
Total regulatory capital	2,459,334	2,316,145
Risk-Weight Categories		
0% risk weight:		
Cash in Afghani and fully-convertible foreign currencies	2,663,066	2,652,232
Direct claims on DAB	5,948,989	7,802,162
Direct claims on Central Banks and	-	7,002,102
Central Governments of Category A countries		-
Precious metals and precious stones	-	_
Direct claims on DAB	_	
Loans collateralized by blocked deposits	-	_
Other	-	
Total =	8,612,054	10,454,395
0% Risk-Weight Total (Above Total x 0%)	_	-
20% risk weight		
Loans Collateralized by Claims on Central Banks		
and Central Governments of Category A Countries	_	
Direct Claims on banks licensed in Category A countries	510,682	1,121,604
Short-term Claims on Banks Licensed In Non-Category A Countries	210,002	1,121,004
Guaranteed by Multilateral Lending Institutions	2,461,022	2,409,087
Cash Items in Process of Collection	2,401,022	2,409,007
Other	_	_
<u> </u>	2,971,705	3,530,691
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20% Risk-Weight Total (Above Total x 20%)	594,341	706,138



Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

	31-Mar-20	31-Dec-19	
500/	AFN	AFN '000'	
50% risk weight			
Qualifying Residential Mortgage Loans	-	-	
Qualifying Real Estate Construction Loans Other	-	-	
Total	-	-	
		-	
50% Risk-Weight Total (Above Total x 50%)		_	
100% risk weight			
All Other Assets	10,057,540	10,524,634	
Minus: Intangible Assets			
Net Deferred Tax Assets	6,365	7,286	
Deducted Equity Investments	-	-	
Equals: Total	10,051,175	10.515.240	
	10,031,175	10,517,348	
100% Risk-Weight Total (Above Total x 100%)	10,051,175	10,517,348	
Off-balance-sheet items with 0% Credit Conversion Factor			
Unused Portions of Commitments with Original Maturity			
of 1 Year or Less	****		
Unused Portions of Commitments that are	516,281	379,726	
Unconditionally Cancellable			
Total		250 50 6	
	516,281	379,726	
0% Credit Conversion Factor Total (Above Total x 0%)		-	
Off-balance-sheet items with 20% Credit Conversion Factor			
Commercial Letter of Credits			
0 % Risk Weight	9,242	22.596	
20% Risk Weight	9,242	22,586	
50% Risk Weight		-	
100% Risk Weight	83,174	143,871	
<u>Total</u>	92,415	166,457	
	72,115	100,437	
Risk-Weighted Total	83,174	143,871	
20% Credit Conversion Factor Total			
(Risk-Weighted Total x 20%)	16.625		
( 2070)	16,635	28,774	
Off-balance sheet items with 100% Credit Conversion Factor			
Guarantees and Standby Letter of Credits			
0 % Risk Weight	5,721,151	6,482,008	
20% Risk Weight		-	
50% Risk Weight	-	-	
100% Risk Weight	3,005,974	3,146,865	
<u>Total</u>	8,727,125	9,628,873	
		-,020,070	



Notes to the Condensed Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the three months ended 31 March 2020

	31-Mar-20 AFN	31-Dec-19 '000'	
100% Credit Conversion Factor Total (Risk-Weighted Totals x 100%)	3,005,974	3,146,865	
Total Risk-Weighted Assets	13,668,125	14,399,125	
	31-Mar-20 PERC	31-Mar-20 31-Dec-19 PERCENT	
Tier 1 Capital Ratio	13.86%	13.09%	
Regulatory Capital Ratio	17.99%	16.09%	

#### 14 GENERAL

- 14.1 Figures have been rounded-off to the nearest Afghani (AFN), unless otherwise stated.

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