



**Bayfront Infrastructure Capital III Pte. Ltd.**  
**Registration Number: 202223756M**

Annual Report  
Period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to  
31 December 2022

## **Directors' statement**

We are pleased to submit this annual report to the member of the Company together with the audited financial statements for the financial period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022.

In our opinion:

- (a) the financial statements set out on pages FS1 to FS34 are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2022 and the financial performance, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company for the period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022 in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1967 and the Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International) (“SFRS(I)s”) and International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRSs”); and
- (b) at the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

The Board of Directors has, on the date of this statement, authorised these financial statements for issue.

## **Directors**

The directors in office at the date of this statement are as follows:

Clive Rowland Kerner	(Appointed on 08 July 2022)
Premod Paul Thomas	(Appointed on 08 July 2022)
Sophia Lim Siew Fay	(Appointed on 08 July 2022)

## **Directors' interests**

According to the register kept by the Company for the purposes of Section 164 of the Companies Act 1967 (“the Act”), no director who held office at the end of the financial period had interests in shares, debentures, warrants or share options of the Company, or of related corporations either at the beginning of the financial period, or date of appointment if later, or at the end of the financial period.

Neither at the end of, nor at any time during the financial period, was the Company a party to any arrangement whose objects are, or one of whose objects is, to enable the directors of the Company to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in or debentures of the Company or any other body corporate.

## Share options

During the financial period, there were:

- (i) no options granted by the Company to any person to take up unissued shares in the Company; and
- (ii) no shares issued by virtue of any exercise of option to take up unissued shares of the Company.

As at the end of the financial period, there were no unissued shares of the Company under options.

## Auditors

By a Directors' Resolution in writing dated 8 July 2022, KPMG LLP were appointed as auditors of the Company until the conclusion of the first Annual General Meeting of the Company.

On behalf of the Board of Directors



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**Clive Rowland Kerner**  
*Director*



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**Premod Paul Thomas**  
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22 March 2023



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## **Independent auditors' report**

Member of the Company  
Bayfront Infrastructure Capital III Pte. Ltd.

### **Report on the audit of the financial statements**

#### *Opinion*

We have audited the financial statements of Bayfront Infrastructure Capital III Pte. Ltd. (“the Company”), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022, and the statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022 and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, as set out on pages FS1 to FS34.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements are properly drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1967 (“the Act”), Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International) (“SFRS(I)s”) and International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRSs”) so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2022 and of the financial performance, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company for the period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022.

#### *Basis for opinion*

We conducted our audit in accordance with Singapore Standards on Auditing (“SSAs”). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the ‘*Auditors’ responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements*’ section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority *Code of Professional Conduct and Ethics for Public Accountants and Accounting Entities* (“ACRA Code”) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Singapore, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ACRA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### *Key audit matters*

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

<b>Loans and advances</b>	
<i>The key audit matter</i>	<i>How the matter was addressed in our audit</i>
<p><u>Impairment of Loans and Advances</u></p> <p>At 31 December 2022, the Company's loans and advances comprised 93% of total assets.</p> <p>SFRS(I) 9 and IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" requires the Company to determine the probability weighted estimate of the expected credit loss ("ECL") on loans and advances. The Company has developed models to calculate the ECL allowances for non-credit impaired exposures.</p> <p>Judgements and assumptions are required in the development of the model parameters, including the probability of default, loss given default and exposure at default, some of which may be significant.</p> <p>As a result of the significance of loans and advances and the related estimation uncertainty over the ECL allowance, the impairment of loans and advances is considered a key audit matter.</p>	<p><u>Impairment of Loans and Advances</u></p> <p><i>Non-credit impaired exposures</i></p> <p>We tested the design and implementation of the key controls in place over the ECL process for non-credit impaired exposures.</p> <p>We performed sample checks of credit reviews on loans and advances to critically assess the appropriateness of the credit grading and any objective evidence of impairment.</p> <p>In respect of non-credit-impaired exposures, we engaged our internal financial risk management specialists to assess the appropriateness of the model methodology and parameters for compliance with SFRS(I) 9 and IFRS 9 requirements. We tested the accuracy and integrity of the inputs used to compute the ECL allowances</p> <p>For a sample of non-credit-impaired exposures, we re-calculated the ECL allowance using the modelled attributes to test the mathematical accuracy of the calculations produced by the ECL model.</p>
<p><i>Our findings</i></p> <p>We found that the methodology and management's assumptions used in the computation of ECL allowances for non-credit impaired loans and advances were appropriate and consistent with SFRS(I) 9 and IFRS 9 requirements.</p>	

### *Other information*

Management is responsible for the other information contained in the annual report. Other information is defined as all information in the annual report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon.

We have obtained all other information prior to the date of this auditors' report.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

### *Responsibilities of management and directors for the financial statements*

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the provisions of the Act, SFRS(I)s and IFRSs, and for devising and maintaining a system of internal accounting controls sufficient to provide a reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded against loss from unauthorised use or disposition; and transactions are properly authorised and that they are recorded as necessary to permit the preparation of true and fair financial statements and to maintain accountability of assets.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The directors' responsibilities include overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

### *Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements*

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SSAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with SSAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls.
- Obtain an understanding of internal controls relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal controls that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the directors with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence and communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditors' report unless the law or regulations preclude public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.



**Report on other legal and regulatory requirements**

In our opinion, the accounting and other records required by the Act to be kept by the Company have been properly kept in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditors' report is Lim Jek.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lim Jek', written over the KPMG logo.

**KPMG LLP**

*Public Accountants and  
Chartered Accountants*

**Singapore**  
22 March 2023



**Statement of financial position**  
**As at 31 December 2022**

	<b>Note</b>	<b>2022</b> <b>US\$'000</b>
<b>Assets</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	4	26,486
Loans and advances	5	381,656
Other assets	6	<u>3,534</u>
<b>Total assets</b>		<u><u>411,676</u></u>
<b>Liabilities</b>		
Notes issued	7	372,475
Other liabilities	8	<u>9,851</u>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<u><u>382,326</u></u>
<b>Equity</b>		
Share capital	9	30,208
Accumulated loss		<u>(858)</u>
<b>Total equity</b>		<u><u>29,350</u></u>
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>		<u><u>411,676</u></u>

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

**Statement of comprehensive income**  
**Period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022**

	<b>Note</b>	<b>Period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022 US\$'000</b>
Interest income	10	7,292
Interest expense	10	(6,165)
<b>Net interest income</b>		<u>1,127</u>
Other operating expenses		(395)
<b>Total operating expenses</b>		<u>(395)</u>
Impairment loss on financial assets	5,14	(1,590)
<b>Loss before income tax</b>		(858)
Income tax expense	11	—
<b>Loss for the period/representing total comprehensive income for the period</b>		<u><u>(858)</u></u>

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

**Statement of changes in equity**

**Period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022**

	Note	Share capital US\$'000	Accumulated loss US\$'000	Total US\$'000
At 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation)		*	–	*
<b>Loss for the period/ Total comprehensive income for the period</b>		–	(858)	(858)
<b>Transactions with owners, recognised directly in equity</b>				
Share issue during the period	9	30,208	–	30,208
<b>Total transactions with owners</b>		30,208	–	30,208
At 31 December 2022		30,208	(858)	29,350

\* *Consist of 1 Ordinary share of US\$1.00 each*

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**Statement of cash flows**  
**Period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022**

	<b>Note</b>	<b>Period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022 US\$'000</b>
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>		
Loss for the period		(858)
Adjustments for:		
Interest income	10	(7,292)
Interest expense	10	6,165
Impairment loss on financial assets	15	1,590
		(395)
Changes in:		
- Loans and advances		(379,939)
- Other assets		183
- Other liabilities		360
<b>Net cash used in operating activities</b>		<b>(379,791)</b>
<b>Cash flows from investing activity</b>		
Bank deposits	4	(13,731)
Interest received		3,575
<b>Net cash used in investing activity</b>		<b>(10,156)</b>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>		
Proceeds from issue of share capital	9	*
Proceeds from issue of preference shares	9	30,208
Proceeds from issue of notes	7	372,494
<b>Net cash from financing activities</b>		<b>402,702</b>
<b>Net increase in cash and cash equivalents</b>		12,755
Cash and cash equivalents at date of incorporation		—
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period</b>	4	<b>12,755</b>

\* *Less than US\$1,000*

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## **Notes to the financial statements**

These notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 22 March 2023.

### **1 Domicile and activities**

Bayfront Infrastructure Capital III Pte. Ltd. (“the Company”) is incorporated in the Republic of Singapore with its registered office at 1 Raffles Quay, #23-01 North Tower, Singapore 048583.

The Company is primarily involved in the securitisation of a portfolio of securitised loan assets (“the Portfolio”), financed through the issuance of infrastructure backed asset securities (“the Notes”) to institutional investors (“the Noteholders”).

The immediate and ultimate holding company are Bayfront Infrastructure Management Pte. Ltd. (“the immediate holding company” or “Bayfront”) and Clifford Capital Holdings Pte. Ltd. (“the ultimate holding company”) respectively.

### **2 Basis of preparation**

#### **2.1 Statement of compliance**

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (International) (“SFRS(I)s”) and International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRSs”). SFRS(I)s are issued by the Accounting Standards Council, which comprise standards interpretations that are equivalent to IFRSs issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

All references to SFRS(I)s and IFRSs are subsequently referred to as SFRS(I)s in these financial statements, unless otherwise specified.

#### **2.2 Basis of measurement**

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except as otherwise described in the notes below.

#### **2.3 Functional and presentation currency**

These financial statements are presented in United States dollars (“US\$”), which is the Company’s functional currency. All financial information presented in US dollars have been rounded to the nearest thousand, unless otherwise stated.

#### **2.4 Use of estimates and judgements**

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with SFRS(I) requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

Information about assumptions and estimation uncertainties that have a significant risk of resulting in a material adjustment within the next financial year are included in Note 15 – Measurement of expected credit loss (“ECL”) allowance for loans and advances at amortised cost.

## **2.5 New standards and amendments**

A number of new standards, interpretations and amendments to standards are effective for annual periods beginning after 8 July 2022 and earlier application is permitted; however, the Company has not early adopted the new or amended standards in preparing these financial statements.

The following amendments to SFRS(I) are not expected to have a significant impact on the Company’s statement of financial position.

- Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-12: *Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction*
- Amendments to SFRS(I)1-1: *Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-Current*
- SFRS(I) 17 Insurance Contracts and Amendments to SFRS(I) 17 Insurance Contracts
- Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-1 and SFRS(I) Practice Statement 2: *Disclosure of Accounting Policies*
- Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-8: *Definition of Accounting Estimates*

## **3 Significant accounting policies**

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these financial statements.

### **3.1 Foreign currency transactions**

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated to the functional currency of the Company at exchange rates at the dates of the transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the reporting date are translated to the functional currency at the exchange rate at that date. The foreign currency gain or loss on monetary items is the difference between amortised cost in the functional currency at the beginning of the period, adjusted for effective interest and payments during the period, and the amortised cost in foreign currency translated at the exchange rate at the end of the period.

Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured at fair value are translated to the functional currency at the exchange rate at the date the fair value was determined. Non-monetary items in a foreign currency that are measured in terms of historical cost are translated using the exchange rate at the date of transaction. Foreign currency differences arising on translation are recognised in profit or loss.

## 3.2 Financial instruments

### (i) Recognition and initial measurement

#### *Non-derivative financial assets and financial liabilities*

Debt investments are initially recognised when they are originated. All other financial assets and financial liabilities are initially recognised when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. A financial asset or financial liability is initially measured at fair value plus or minus, for an item not at fair value through profit or loss (“FVTPL”), transaction costs that are directly attributable to its acquisition or issue.

### (ii) Classification and subsequent measurement

#### *Non-derivative financial assets*

On initial recognition, the Company’s financial assets are classified as measured at: amortised cost or FVTPL.

Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their initial recognition unless the Company changes its business model for managing financial assets, in which case all affected financial assets are reclassified on the first day of the first reporting period following the change in the business model.

#### *Financial assets at amortised cost*

A financial asset is measured at amortised cost if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL:

- it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

#### *Financial assets at FVTPL*

All financial assets not classified as measured at amortised cost as described above are measured at FVTPL. On initial recognition, the Company may irrevocably designate a financial asset that otherwise meets the requirements to be measured at amortised cost as at FVTPL if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch that would otherwise arise.

#### *Financial assets: Business model assessment*

The Company makes an assessment of the objective of the business model in which a financial asset is held at a portfolio level because this best reflects the way the business is managed and information is provided to management. The information considered includes:

- the stated policies and objectives for the portfolio and the operation of those policies in practice. These include whether management's strategy focuses on earning contractual interest income, maintaining a particular interest rate profile, matching the duration of the financial assets to the duration of any related liabilities or expected cash outflows or realising cash flows through the sale of the assets;
- how the performance of the portfolio is evaluated and reported to the Company's management;
- the risks that affect the performance of the business model (and the financial assets held within that business model) and how those risks are managed;
- how managers of the business are compensated – e.g. whether compensation is based on the fair value of the assets managed or the contractual cash flows collected; and
- the frequency, volume and timing of sales of financial assets in prior periods, the reasons for such sales and expectations about future sales activity.

Transfers of financial assets to third parties in transactions that do not qualify for derecognition are not considered sales for this purpose, consistent with the Company's continuing recognition of the assets.

Financial assets that are held-for-trading or are managed and whose performance is evaluated on a fair value basis are measured at FVTPL.

***Non-derivatives financial assets: Assessment whether contractual cash flows are solely payments of principal and interest***

For the purposes of this assessment, 'principal' is defined as the fair value of the financial asset on initial recognition. 'Interest' is defined as consideration for the time value of money and for the credit risk associated with the principal amount outstanding during a particular period of time and for other basic lending risks and costs (e.g. liquidity risk and administrative costs), as well as a profit margin.

In assessing whether the contractual cash flows are solely payments of principal and interest, the Company considers the contractual terms of the instrument. This includes assessing whether the financial asset contains a contractual term that could change the timing or amount of contractual cash flows such that it would not meet this condition. In making this assessment, the Company considers:

- contingent events that would change the amount or timing of cash flows;
- terms that may adjust the contractual coupon rate, including variable rate features;
- prepayment and extension features; and
- terms that limit the Company's claim to cash flows from specified assets (e.g. non-recourse features).

A prepayment feature is consistent with the solely payments of principal and interest criterion if the prepayment amount substantially represents unpaid amounts of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, which may include reasonable compensation for early termination of the contract. Additionally, for a financial asset acquired at a significant discount or premium to its contractual par amount, a feature that permits or requires prepayment at an amount that substantially represents the contractual par amount plus accrued (but unpaid) contractual interest (which may also include reasonable compensation for early termination) is treated as consistent with this criterion if the fair value of the prepayment feature is insignificant at initial recognition.



***Non-derivatives financial assets: Subsequent measurement and gains and losses***

***Financial assets at amortised cost***

These assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The amortised cost is reduced by impairment losses. Interest income, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairment are recognised in profit or loss. Any gain or loss on derecognition is recognised in profit or loss.

The EIR is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset or a financial liability and of allocating and recognising the interest income or interest expense in the Statement of Comprehensive Income over the relevant period. The EIR is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts through the expected life of the financial asset or financial liability to the gross carrying amount of the financial asset or to the amortised cost of the financial liability. When calculating the EIR, the Company estimates cash flows considering all contractual terms of the financial instruments, but does not consider expected credit losses. The calculation includes all fees paid or received between parties to the contract that are an integral part of the EIR, transaction costs and all other premiums or discounts.

***Financial assets at FVTPL***

These assets are subsequently measured at fair value. Net gains and losses, including any interest or dividend income, are recognised in profit or loss.

***Non-derivative financial liabilities: Classification, subsequent measurement and gains and losses***

Financial liabilities are classified as measured at amortised cost or FVTPL. A financial liability is classified as at FVTPL if it is classified as held-for-trading or it is designated as such on initial recognition. Financial liabilities at FVTPL are measured at fair value and net gains and losses, including any interest expense, are recognised in profit or loss. Directly attributable transaction costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred.

Other financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value less directly attributable transaction costs. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Interest expense and foreign exchange gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss.

***(iii) Derecognition***

***Financial assets***

The Company derecognises a financial asset when:

- the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire; or
- it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows in a transaction in which either:
  - substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred; or
  - the Company neither transfers nor retains substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership and it does not retain control of the financial asset.

Transferred assets are not derecognised when the Company enters into transactions whereby it transfers assets recognised in its statement of financial position, but retains either all or substantially all of the risks and rewards of the transferred assets.

### ***Financial liabilities***

The Company derecognises a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged or cancelled, or expire. The Company also derecognises a financial liability when its terms are modified and the cash flows of the modified liability are substantially different, in which case a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognised at fair value.

On derecognition of a financial liability, the difference between the carrying amount extinguished and the consideration paid (including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed) is recognised in profit or loss.

### ***Interest rate benchmark reform***

When the basis for determining the contractual cash flows of a financial asset or financial liability measured at amortised cost changes as a result of interest rate benchmark reform, the Company updates the effective interest rate of the financial asset or financial liability to reflect the change that is required by the reform. No immediate gain or loss is recognised. A change in the basis for determining the contractual cash flows is required by interest rate benchmark reform if the following conditions are met:

- the change is necessary as a direct consequence of the reform; and
- the new basis for determining the contractual cash flows is economically equivalent to the previous basis – i.e. the basis immediately before the change.

When changes were made to a financial asset or financial liability in addition to changes to the basis for determining the contractual cash flows required by interest rate benchmark reform, the Company first updates the effective interest rate of the financial asset or financial liability to reflect the change that is required by interest rate benchmark reform. After that, the Company applies the policies on accounting for modifications to the additional changes.

### ***(iv) Offsetting***

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount presented in the statement of financial position when, and only when, the Company currently has a legally enforceable right to set off the amounts and it intends either to settle them on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

### ***(v) Derivative financial instruments and hedge accounting***

The Company holds derivative financial instruments to hedge its interest rate risk exposures. Embedded derivatives are separated from the host contract and accounted for separately if the host contract is not a financial asset and certain criteria are met.

Derivatives are initially measured at fair value. Subsequent to initial recognition, derivatives are measured at fair value, and changes therein are generally recognised in profit or loss.

At inception of designated hedging relationships, the Company documents the risk management objective and strategy for undertaking the hedge. The Company also documents the economic relationship between the hedged item and the hedging instrument, including whether the changes in cash flows of the hedged item and hedging instrument are expected to offset each other.

#### ***Fair value hedges of interest rate risk***

The Company enters into interest rate swaps that are fair value hedges for interest rate risk arising from its fixed rate asset (“hedged item”). Receive-floating/pay-fixed interest rate swaps are matched to specific issuances of fixed-rate asset with terms that closely align with the critical terms of the hedged item. The fair value changes on the hedged item resulting from interest rate risk are recognised in profit or loss. If the hedged item would otherwise be measured at cost or amortised cost, then its carrying amount is adjusted accordingly. The fair value changes on the interest rate swaps designated as fair value hedges are recognised in profit or loss within the same line item as the fair value changes from the hedged item. The fair value changes on the ineffective portion of the interest rate swaps are recognised separately in profit or loss.

By using derivative financial instruments to hedge exposures to changes in interest rates, the Company also exposes itself to credit risk of the derivative counterparty, which is not offset by the hedged item. The Company minimises counterparty credit risk in derivative instruments by entering into transactions with high-quality counterparties and/or diversifying the hedging relationship with 2 or more counterparties.

Before fair value hedge accounting is applied by the Company, the Company determines whether an economic relationship between the hedged item and the hedging instrument exists based on an evaluation of the qualitative characteristics of these items and the hedged risk that is supported by quantitative analysis. The Company considers whether the critical terms of the hedged item and hedging instrument closely align when assessing the presence of an economic relationship. The Company evaluates whether the fair value of the hedged item and the hedging instrument respond similarly to similar risks. The Company further supports this qualitative assessment by using regression analysis to assess whether the hedging instrument is expected to be and has been highly effective in offsetting changes in the fair value of the hedged item.

If the hedging derivative expires or is sold, terminated or exercised, or the hedge no longer meets the criteria for fair value hedge accounting, or the hedge designation is revoked, then hedge accounting is discontinued prospectively.

Any adjustment up to the point of discontinuation to a hedged item for which the effective interest rate method is used is amortised to profit or loss as part of the recalculated interest rate of the item over its remaining life.

On hedge discontinuation, any hedging adjustment made previously to a hedged financial instrument for which the effective interest method is amortised to profit or loss by adjusting the effective interest rate of the hedged item from the date on which amortisation begins. If the hedged item is derecognised, then the adjustment is recognised immediately in profit or loss when the item is discontinued.

## **Specific policies for hedges affected by IBOR reform**

### **The Phase 1 amendments: Prior to interest rate benchmark reform – when there is uncertainty arising from Interest rate benchmark reform**

If a hedging relationship is directly affected by IBOR reform, then the Company applies certain exceptions (referred to as ‘the Phase 1 amendments’) to the general hedge accounting policy. The Company considers that a hedging relationship is directly affected by IBOR reform if it is subject to the following uncertainty arising from the reform:

- an interest rate benchmark subject to the reform is designated as the hedged risk, regardless of whether the rate is contractually specified; and/or
- the timing or amounts of interest rate benchmark-based cash flows of the hedged item or of the hedging instrument are uncertain.

The Phase 1 amendments to the Company’s policies are as follows:

- a. For the purpose of evaluating whether the hedging relationship is expected to be highly effective (i.e. prospective effectiveness assessment), the Company assumes that the benchmark interest rate is not altered as a result of IBOR reform.
- b. If the Company concludes that the actual result of a hedging relationship is outside the range of 80–125% (i.e. retrospective assessment), then the Company determines whether the hedging relationship continues to qualify for hedge accounting or whether it needs to be discontinued. This includes, for example, determining that the hedge is expected to be highly effective prospectively and that the effectiveness of the hedging relationship can be reliably measured.
- c. For a hedge of a non-contractually specified benchmark portion of interest rate risk, the Company applies the requirement that the designated portion needs to be a separately identifiable component only at the inception of the hedging relationship.
- d. For a cash flow hedge of a forecast transaction, the Company assumes that the benchmark interest rate will not be altered as a result of IBOR reform for the purpose of asserting that the forecast transaction is highly probable and presents an exposure to variations in cash flows that could ultimately affect profit or loss.
- e. In determining whether a previously designated forecast transaction is no longer expected to occur, the Company assumes that the hedged interest rate benchmark cash flows will not be altered as a result of IBOR reform.

When the uncertainty arising from IBOR reform is no longer present with respect to the timing and the amount of the interest rate benchmark-based cash flows of the hedged item or hedging instrument, or – except for item (e) – when the hedging relationship is discontinued, the Company will cease to apply the respective Phase 1 amendments.

**The Phase 2 amendments: Replacement of benchmark interest rates – when there is no longer uncertainty arising from interest rate benchmark reform**

When the basis for determining the contractual cash flows of the hedged item or hedging instrument changes as a result of IBOR reform and therefore there is no longer uncertainty arising about the cash flows of the hedged item or the hedging instrument, the Company amends the hedge documentation of that hedging relationship to reflect the change(s) required by IBOR reform. For this purpose, the hedge designation is amended only to make one or more of the following changes:

- designating an alternative benchmark rate as the hedged risk;
- updating the description of the hedged item, including the description of the designated portion of the cash flows or fair value being hedged;
- updating the description of the hedging instrument; or
- updating the description of how the entity will assess hedge effectiveness.

The Company amends the description of the hedging instrument only if the following conditions are met:

- it makes a change required by IBOR reform by using an approach other than changing the basis for determining the contractual cash flows of the hedging instrument;
- the chosen approach is economically equivalent to changing the basis for determining the contractual cash flows of the original hedging instrument; and
- the original hedging instrument is not derecognised.

The Company amends the formal hedge documentation by the end of the reporting period during which a change required by IBOR reform is made to the hedged risk, hedged item or hedging instrument. These amendments in the formal hedge documentation do not constitute the discontinuation of the hedging relationship or the designation of a new hedging relationship. If changes are made in addition to those economically equivalent changes required by IBOR reform described above, then the Company considers whether those additional changes result in the discontinuation of the hedge accounting relationship. If the additional changes do not result in the discontinuation of the hedge accounting relationship, then the Company amends the formal hedge documentation for changes required by IBOR reform as mentioned above.

***(vi) Cash and cash equivalents***

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash balances and short-term deposits that are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in their fair value, and are used by the Company in the management of its short-term commitments.

***(vii) Share capital***

***Ordinary shares***

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of ordinary shares are recognised as a deduction from equity, net of any tax effects.

### ***Preference share capital***

Non-redeemable preference shares are classified as equity, because they bear discretionary dividends, do not contain any obligations to deliver cash or other financial assets and do not require settlement in a variable number of the Company's equity instruments. Discretionary dividends thereon are recognised as equity distributions on approval by the Company's shareholders.

### ***(viii) Day 1 fair value reserve***

The Day 1 fair value reserve comprises of unrealised gains on loans and advances, which are measured at amortised cost, arising from differences between the transaction price and fair values on initial recognition. Such gains are accumulated until the assets are derecognised. Upon derecognition, the Day 1 gains are reclassified to the income statement.

## **3.3 Impairment**

### ***Non-derivative financial assets***

The Company recognises loss allowances for expected credit losses ("ECLs") on financial assets measured at amortised cost. ECLs are based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Company expects to receive, discounted at an approximation of the original effective interest rate.

Loss allowances of the Company are measured on either of the following bases:

- 12-month ECLs: these are ECLs that result from default events that are possible within the 12 months after the reporting date (or a shorter period if the expected life of the instrument is less than 12 months); or
- Lifetime ECLs: these are ECLs that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument.

### ***Simplified approach***

The Company applies the simplified approach to provide for ECLs for all other receivables. The simplified approach requires the loss allowance to be measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs.

### ***General approach***

The Company applies the general approach to provide for ECLs on all other financial instruments. Under the general approach, the loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to 12-month ECLs at initial recognition.

At each reporting date, the Company assesses whether the credit risk of a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition. When credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition, loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs.

When determining whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition and when estimating ECLs, the Company considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort. This includes both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis, based on the Company's historical experience and informed credit assessment and includes forward-looking information.

If credit risk has not increased significantly since initial recognition or if the credit quality of the financial instruments improves such that there is no longer a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to 12-month ECLs.

The Company assesses whether a significant increase in credit risk has occurred for an exposure by comparing the remaining lifetime probability of default ("PD") as at the reporting date, with the remaining lifetime PD for this point in time that was estimated at the time of initial recognition of the exposure.

#### *Credit risk grade*

Each exposure is allocated to a credit risk grade on initial recognition based on available information about the borrower. Exposures are subject to ongoing monitoring, which may result in an exposure being moved to a different credit risk grade. Credit risk grades are defined using qualitative and quantitative factors that are indicative of risk of default. These factors vary depending on the nature of the exposure and the type of borrower.

#### *Incorporation of forward-looking information*

The Company incorporates forward-looking information into both the assessment of whether the credit risk of an instrument has increased significantly since its initial recognition and the measurement of ECL.

The Company formulates three economic scenarios: a base case, which is the median scenario assigned a probability of occurring, and two less likely scenarios, one upside and one downside, each assigned a probability of occurring. External macro variables considered includes economic data and forecasts published by relevant authorities.

Periodically, the Company carries out stress testing of more extreme shocks to calibrate its determination of the upside and downside representative scenarios.

The Company considers a financial asset to be in default when:

- the borrower is unlikely to pay its credit obligations to the Company in full, without recourse by the Company to actions such as realizing security (if any is held); or
- the financial asset is more than 90 days past due.

The maximum period considered when estimating ECLs is the maximum contractual period over which the Company is exposed to credit risk.

### ***Measurement of ECLs***

ECLs are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses and are measured as follows:

- financial assets that are not credit impaired at the reporting date: the present value of all cash shortfalls (i.e. the difference between the cash flows due to the entity in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the Company expects to receive);
- financial assets that are credit impaired at the reporting date: the difference between the gross carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows; and
- undrawn loan commitments: the present value of the difference between the contractual cash flows that are due to the Company if the commitment is drawn down and the cash flows that the Company expects to receive.

### ***Inputs into measurement of ECL***

The key inputs into the measurement of ECL are the term structures of the following variables:

- probability of default (“PD”);
- loss given default (“LGD”); and
- exposure at default (“EAD”).

In general, the Company derives these parameters from internally developed statistical models and other historical data. They are adjusted to reflect forward-looking information.

As described above, and subject to using a maximum of a 12-month PD for financial assets for which credit risk has not significantly increased, the Company measures ECL considering the risk of default over the maximum contractual period over which it is exposed to credit risk. The maximum contractual period extends to the date at which the Company has the right to require repayment of an advance or terminate a loan commitment.

ECLs are discounted at the effective interest rate of the financial asset.

### ***Credit-impaired financial assets***

At each reporting date, the Company assesses whether financial assets carried at amortised cost are credit-impaired. A financial asset is “credit impaired” when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred.

Evidence that a financial asset is credit-impaired includes the following observable data:

- significant financial difficulty of the borrower or issuer;
- a breach of contract such as a default;
- the restructuring of a loan or advance by the Company on terms that the Company would not consider otherwise;
- it is probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation; or
- the disappearance of an active market for a security because of financial difficulties.

### ***Presentation of allowance of ECL in the statement of financial position***

Loss allowances for financial assets measured at amortised cost are deducted from the gross carrying amount of these assets.



### ***Write-off***

The gross carrying amount of a financial asset is written off (either partially or in full) to the extent that there is no realistic prospect of recovery. This is generally the case when the Company determines that the debtor does not have assets or sources of income that could generate sufficient cash flows to repay the amounts subject to the write-off. However, financial assets that are written off could still be subject to enforcement activities in order to comply with the Company's procedures for recovery of amounts due.

## **3.4 Interest income and expense**

Interest income or expense is recognised as it accrues in profit or loss using the effective interest rate method.

The 'effective interest rate' is the rate that exactly discounts the estimated future cash payments or receipts through the expected life of the financial instrument to:

- the gross carrying amount of the financial asset; or
- the amortised cost of the financial liability

In calculating interest income and expense, the effective interest rate is applied to the gross carrying amount of the asset (when the asset is not credit-impaired) or to the amortised cost of the liability. However, for financial assets that have become credit-impaired subsequent to initial recognition, interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the amortised cost of the financial asset. If the asset is no longer credit-impaired, then the calculation of interest income reverts to the gross basis.

## **3.5 Fee and commission income**

Fee and commission income are recognised when the Company has satisfied its performance obligation in providing the promised products and services to the customer, and are recognised based on contractual rates agreed with customers.

A contract with a customer that results in a recognised financial instrument in the Company's financial statements may be partially in the scope of SFRS(I) 9 and partially in the scope of SFRS(I) 15. If this is the case, then the Company first applies SFRS(I) 9 to separate and measure the part of the contract that is in the scope of SFRS(I) 9 and then applies SFRS(I) 15 to the residual.

## **3.6 Tax**

Tax expense comprises current and deferred tax. Current tax and deferred tax are recognised in profit or loss except to the extent that it relates to a business combination, or items recognised directly in equity or in other comprehensive income.

Current tax is the expected tax payable or receivable on the taxable income or loss for the period, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years. The amount of current tax payable or receivable is the best estimate of the tax amount expected to be paid or received that reflects uncertainty related to income taxes, if any.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes.

Deferred tax is not recognised for temporary differences on the initial recognition of assets or liabilities in a transaction that is not a business combination and that affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss.

The measurement of deferred taxes reflects the tax consequences that would follow the manner in which the Company expects, at the reporting date, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities. Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to temporary differences when they reverse, based on the tax rates and tax laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date, and reflects uncertainty related to income taxes, if any.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets, and they relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority on the same taxable entity, or on different tax entities, but they intend to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis or their tax assets and liabilities will be realised simultaneously.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for unused tax losses, unused tax credits and deductible temporary differences, to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be used. Future taxable profits are determined based on the reversal of relevant taxable temporary differences. If the amount of taxable temporary differences is insufficient to recognise a deferred tax asset in full, then future taxable profits, adjusted for reversals of existing temporary differences, are considered, based on business plans the Company. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised; such reductions are reversed when the probability of future profits improves.

Unrecognised deferred tax assets are reassessed at each reporting date and recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be used.

### **3.7 New standards and interpretations not yet adopted**

A number of new standards, interpretations and amendments to standards are effective for annual period beginning after 8 July 2022 and earlier application is permitted; however, the Company has not early adopted the new and amended standards and interpretations in preparing these financial statements.

The following new SFRS(I)s, interpretations and amendments to SFRS(I)s are not expected to have a significant impact on the Company's financial statements.

- *SFRS(I) 17 Insurance Contracts*
- *Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current (Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-1)*
- *Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions (Amendment to SFRS(I) 16)*
- *Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture (Amendments to SFRS(I) 10 and SFRS(I) 1-28)*
- *Reference to the Conceptual Framework (Amendments to SFRS(I) 3)*

- *Property, Plant and Equipment – Proceeds before Intended Use (Amendments to SFRS(I) 16)*
- *Onerous Contracts – Costs of Fulfilling a Contract (Amendments to SFRS(I) 1-37)*
- *Annual Improvements to SFRS(I)s 2018 – 2020*

#### 4 Cash and cash equivalents

	<b>2022</b>
	<b>US\$'000</b>
Cash at bank	2,755
Bank deposits	23,731
Cash and cash equivalents in the statement of financial position	<u>26,486</u>
Less: Bank deposits with original maturity of more than three months	<u>(13,731)</u>
Cash and cash equivalents in the statement of cash flows	<u><u>12,755</u></u>

#### 5 Loans and advances

	<b>Note</b>	<b>2022</b>
		<b>US\$'000</b>
Loans and advances at amortised cost		383,246
Less: Allowance for impairment	15	<u>(1,590)</u>
		<u><u>381,656</u></u>

Loans and advances classified at amortised cost include loans at variable interest rates with stated interest rates ranging from O/N SOFR+3.4%, SOFR+2.6%, LIBOR+1.15% to LIBOR+4.25% and maturity dates between 2024 and 2042.

Allowance for impairment of US\$1,590,000 has been recognised in profit and loss in relation to loans and advances at amortised cost.

The Company's exposure to credit risk, fair value information and impairment losses on loans and advances are disclosed in notes 14 and 15.

#### 6 Other assets

	<b>2022</b>
	<b>US\$'000</b>
Interest receivable	3,495
Commitment fees receivable	34
GST receivable	5
Other Receivables	*
	<u><u>3,534</u></u>

\* *Less than US\$1,000*

## 7 Notes issued

	<b>2022</b>
	<b>US\$'000</b>
Notes issued	372,475

### Reconciliation of movements of liabilities to cash flows arising from financing activities

	<b>Interest payable</b>	<b>Notes issued</b>
	<b>US\$'000</b>	<b>US\$'000</b>
At 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation)	–	–
<b>Changes in financing cash flows</b>		
Notes issued	–	374,300
Discount on issuance	–	(1,806)
<b>Proceeds from issuance of notes</b>	–	372,494
<b>Other changes</b>		
Interest expense	(6,183)	–
Senior notes EIR amortisation	–	(19)
<b>Total other changes</b>	(6,183)	(19)
At 31 December 2022	(6,183)	372,475

### Terms and repayment schedule

On 22 September 2022 (the “Issue Date”), the Company issued secured floating rate Notes and subordinated Notes. The details of Notes issued are below:

Class	Interest rate	Maturity date	Face value	Carrying amount
			US\$'000	US\$'000
Class A1 Notes	Term SOFR + 1.55%	11 April 2044	187,900	187,879
Class A1-SU Notes	Term SOFR + 1.50%	11 April 2044	110,000	109,988
Class B Notes	Term SOFR + 2.3%	11 April 2044	33,400	31,613
Class C Notes	Term SOFR + 4.6%	11 April 2044	43,000	42,995
			374,300	372,475

The Notes are secured with the underlying loan portfolio determined by the Trustee.

\* Interest in respect of each Class of Notes will be payable semi-annually in arrears on each Payment Date (with the first Payment Date on 11 April 2023) in accordance with the Interest Priority of Payments as defined in the Information Memorandum for the Notes dated 22 September 2022.

## 8 Other liabilities

	<b>2022</b> <b>US\$'000</b>
Trade payables	23
Interest payable	6,183
Accrued expenses	338
Day 1 reserve	3,307
	9,851

The Company's exposure to interest rate risk and liquidity risk is disclosed in note 14.

## 9 Share capital

	<b>Ordinary shares 2022 Number of shares</b>	<b>Preference shares 2022 Number of shares</b>
At 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation)	1	–
Issued during the period	–	30,207,824
At 31 December	1	30,207,824

### Ordinary shares

The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the Company. All ordinary shares rank equally with regards to the Company's residual assets.

All issued shares are fully paid, with no par value.

### Preference shares

The preference shares have the following rights, benefits and privileges and be subject to the following restrictions:

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(a) Dividend

Preference shareholders shall be entitled, in preference of the ordinary shareholders, to be paid out of the distributable profits a preference dividend, (i) as may be determined by the Board of Directors from time to time, or (ii) as may be declared by an Ordinary Resolution of the company from time to time, for an amount not exceeding the Account Balance. The preference dividend shall be declared based on the Company's profits available.

(b) Liquidation Preference

On liquidation, dissolution or winding up (whether voluntary or involuntary) of the Company, the assets of the Company available for distribution among the members shall be applied as follows:

- i) firstly, the preference shareholders shall be entitled to receive, prior and in preference to any distribution of assets and funds of the Company to the ordinary shareholders, the amount issued and fully paid up of preference share equal to the original issue price of such preference share held by each holder, plus preference dividend declared but remains unpaid;
- ii) secondly, if assets and funds of the Company to be distributed among the preference shareholders is insufficient to permit the payment to such holders the full preferential amounts payable thereon, the entire assets and funds of the Company shall be distributed rateably amongst the preference shareholders in proportion to the number of shares held; and
- iii) thirdly, upon payment in full of the preferential amounts to the preference shareholders, all remaining assets and funds of the Company shall be made available for distribution and upon completion of distribution, shall be further distributed rateably among the holders of preference shares and ordinary shares in proportion to the number of shares owned by each holder.

(c) Redemption

Subject to satisfaction of the Redemption Conditions and applicable law, the Preference Shares may be redeemed, at the option of the Company and on such basis and for such reason as the company may determine to be appropriate, in whole or in part, on any Optional Redemption Date at the Redemption Price upon delivery of a Redemption Notice (delivered in accordance with the constitution of the Company).

(d) Voting

The preference shares shall confer on the holder thereof the right to receive notice of, or to attend and vote at, all meetings of the Company and same voting rights as the holders of ordinary shares held.

- (i) Where the preference shareholders are entitled to vote on any resolution, then, at the relevant general meetings, shall have one (1) vote for every preference share held. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the holders of preference shares and the holders of ordinary shares shall vote together as a single class at the same meeting. A separate class of meeting is not required unless required by applicable law.
- (ii) without prior approval of at least 75 per cent of the preference shareholders, the Company shall not take the following actions:
  - dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the Company
  - any amendment of the constitution of the Company which would prejudice the rights of the preference shareholders
  - any variation to the rights of the preference shares

(iii) at least 66 2/3 per cent of preference shareholders may:

- exercise option of preference shareholders to direct the Company to redeem in whole, but not in part, all classes of Notes following the expiry of the Non-Call Period pursuant to the Conditions or give consent to the Collateral Manager to direct such redemption pursuant to the Conditions
- direct the Company to redeem in whole, but not in part, all classes of Notes following the occurrence of a Note Tax Event pursuant to the Conditions
- direct the Company on the application of the Account Balance in accordance with the Transaction Documents and the constitution of the Company
- remove the Collateral Manager for cause, and upon any removal or resignation of the Collateral Manager, propose or object to a successor, in each case in accordance with the terms of the Collateral Management and Administration Agreement
- terminate the appointment of the Transaction Administrator without cause or for cause, and approve a successor, in each case in accordance with the terms of the Collateral Management and Administration Agreement
- provide written consent to any proposed assignment or transfer of its material rights or delegation of its material responsibilities under the terms of the Collateral Management and Administration Agreement by Collateral Manager
- generally exercise any right to take any action which requires the approval or consent of or direction from at least 66 2/3 per cent of preference shareholders pursuant to the Conditions or the Transaction Documents

## 10 Net interest income

	<b>2022</b>
	<b>US\$'000</b>
<b>Interest income</b>	
Loans and advances	7,124
Cash and cash equivalents	168
	<u>7,292</u>
<b>Interest expense</b>	
Notes issued – measured at amortised cost	<u>(6,165)</u>
Net interest income	<u>1,127</u>

## 11 Tax expense

The immediate holding company has been awarded the MAS Enhanced-Tier Fund Tax Incentive under Section 13U (formerly Section 13X) of the Income Tax Act (“incentive scheme”), with effect from 3 April 2020 and further submission has been made for admission of the Company under the same scheme on 11 August 2022. Under the terms of the tax incentive granted, qualifying income derived from qualifying activities is exempted from corporate income tax in Singapore, subject to the Company satisfying all qualifying terms and conditions. The admission to the incentive scheme is currently pending approval by MAS as at the date of financial statements.

## 12 Significant related party transactions

Other than as disclosed elsewhere in the financial statements, the following significant transactions, fees and interest income took place between the Company and related parties during the period:

	<b>Period from 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation) to 31 December 2022 US\$'000</b>
<b>Related party</b>	
Collateral management fees	(226)
<b>Immediate holding company</b>	
Loans acquired from immediate holding company	397,042

## 13 Commitments

### *Loan commitments*

Undrawn loan commitments comprise contractual obligations to provide credit facilities to customers for a fixed period. At 31 December 2022, the Company had undrawn loan commitments amounting to US\$9,935,509.

## 14 Financial risk management

### *Overview*

The Company has exposure to the following risks arising from financial instruments:

- credit risk
- liquidity risk
- market risk

This note presents information about the Company's exposure to each of the above risks, the Company's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk, and the Company's management of capital.



### ***Risk management framework***

The Company has appointed BIM Asset Management Pte. Ltd. ('BIM AM') as the Collateral Manager to perform certain administrative and advisory functions pursuant to a Collateral Management and Administration Agreement dated 22 September 2022. Responsibility of the day to day management of the Company's investments lies with the Collateral Manager who acts as key contact point for investor relations and investments.

The Collateral Manager has formulated its risk management framework on the principles of transparency, management accountability and independent oversight from Bayfront's Executive Committee, subject to overall supervision of Bayfront's Board of Directors and the ultimate holding company's Group Risk Committee. The Collateral Manager's comprehensive risk policies and procedures are implemented through a combination of resources from Bayfront and the ultimate holding company and are subject to periodic review to ensure that changes in market conditions and the Collateral Manager's activities are appropriately accounted for. Bayfront's Board of Directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Collateral Manager's risk management framework and is responsible for specific approvals relating to exceptions for concentration limits and sector-specific environmental and social matters, as well as any changes to the risk management framework.

Bayfront's Executive Committee comprises persons who were selected and appointed by Bayfront's Board of Directors. A majority of the Executive Committee members comprise persons who also hold appointments at the immediate holding company. Bayfront's Executive Committee is responsible for approving actions and transactions based on the delegated authority in accordance with Bayfront's Risk Framework, Policies and Processes, as well as pre-screening and approving all new loan commitments and acquisitions (including the acquisition of any assets for the Company) within certain specified limits, divestments of any loans at or above carrying value. Bayfront's Executive Committee reports to Bayfront's Board of Directors.

The Company also appointed Sanne (Singapore) Pte. Ltd. as the Transaction Administrator to perform portfolio administration and reporting functions pursuant to the Collateral Management and Administration Agreement and Deutsche Bank AG Singapore Branch to provide Trustee and Paying Agent services.

### ***Credit risk***

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from the Company's receivables from customers and investments.

The Collateral Manager has robust credit review processes in place to monitor the credit risk of the portfolio and actively monitors exposure to credit risk on an on-going basis, which include periodic credit reviews, covenant monitoring, processing of waivers and other notices, maintenance of credit estimates and valuation support. Cash is placed with regulated financial institutions with a high credit rating.

The Company's maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by the carrying amounts of financial assets in the statement of financial position.

*Loans and advances*

The Company's primary objective is the provision of a diversified portfolio of project and infrastructure loans across multiple geographies and sectors to investors through a securitisation transaction.

Each of the investments had undergone a review and credit approval process by the Collateral Manager. The review and credit approval process included detailed financial industry, technical, insurance, environment and social, and legal due diligence to understand the technical, legal, commercial and financial considerations for each of the investments.

*Exposure to credit risk*

The Company reviews the credit concentration of loans and advances based on industry sectors.

The exposure to credit risk for loans and advances at reporting date by industry sectors was at follows:

	<b>2022</b>	
	<b>Carrying amount</b>	
	<b>US\$'000</b>	<b>%</b>
Conventional power & utilities	154,623	41
Renewable energy	94,925	25
LNG & gas	58,635	15
Other Oil & Gas	29,119	8
Digital infrastructure	24,624	6
Floating production, storage and regasification	19,730	5
	381,656	100

*Loss allowance*

Loans and advances at amortised cost are categorised as follows:

- **Pass/Special Mention:** Pass refers to assets with timely repayment and do not exhibit any potential weakness in repayment capability, business, cash flow or financial position of the borrower. Special Mention includes assets with potential weakness, if not corrected on a timely basis, may adversely affect repayment by the borrower at a future date and warrant close attention.
- **Substandard/Doubtful:** Includes assets with definable weakness that may jeopardise repayment on existing terms. Specifically, it includes "Watchlist – Stressed" and Stage 3 assets.
- **Loss:** Refers to outstanding credit facility that is not collectable, and little or nothing can be done to recover the outstanding amount from any collateral or from the assets of the borrower generally.

The following tables show the balance of the loans and advances and sets out information about their credit quality.

	Stage 1 US\$'000	Stage 2 US\$'000	Stage 3 US\$'000	Total US\$'000
<b>2022</b>				
<b>Loans and advances at amortised cost</b>				
Pass/Special Mention	383,246	–	–	383,246
Substandard/Doubtful	–	–	–	–
Total	383,246	–	–	383,246
Loss allowance	(1,590)	–	–	(1,590)
<b>Carrying amount</b>	<b>381,656</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>381,656</b>

The following tables show reconciliation from the opening to the closing balance of the ECL of the loans and advances.

	12-month ECL US\$'000	Lifetime ECL not credit- impaired US\$'000	Lifetime ECL credit impaired US\$'000	Total US\$'000
<b>2022</b>				
<b>Loans and advances at amortised cost</b>				
Balance as at 8 July 2022 (date of incorporation)	–	–	–	–
New financial assets purchased	(1,590)	–	–	(1,590)
<b>Balance at 31 December</b>	<b>(1,590)</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>(1,590)</b>

#### *Cash and cash equivalents*

Cash and cash equivalents are placed with regulated financial institutions with high credit ratings.

Impairment on cash and cash equivalents has been measured on the 12 months expected loss basis and reflects the short maturities of the exposures. The Company considers its cash and cash equivalents have low credit risk based on the external credit ratings of the counterparties. The amount of the allowance on cash and cash equivalents is negligible.

#### *Liquidity risk*

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting the obligations associated with its financial liabilities, trade, and other payables by delivering cash or another financial asset.

The ability of the Company in servicing its financial obligations towards the Notes holders is dependent on the receipt of interest and principal from its portfolio of project and infrastructure loans. Excess cash is invested in short-term deposits until Payment Date as defined in the Information Memorandum. The risk of non-payment on trade and other payables is borne by the noteholders and may affect the value of the notes on redemption.

The following are the contractual maturities of financial liabilities and excluding the impact of netting agreements:

	Carrying amount	Total contractual cash flows	6 months or less	Within 6-12 months	Within 1-5 years	More than 5 years
	US\$'000	US\$'000	US\$'000	US\$'000	US\$'000	US\$'000
<b>2022</b>						
<b>Non-derivative financial liabilities</b>						
Other liabilities	6,544	(6,544)	(6,544)	–	–	–
Notes issued	372,475	(485,904)	(31,739)	(26,856)	(253,608)	(173,701)
	<u>379,019</u>	<u>(492,448)</u>	<u>(38,283)</u>	<u>(26,856)</u>	<u>(253,608)</u>	<u>(173,701)</u>

Such undiscounted cash flows differ from the amounts included in the statement of financial position because the amount in that statement is based on discounted cash flows.

The undiscounted interest payments arising from the Notes issued are determined by reference to the variable interest rate existing at the reporting period.

### **Market risk**

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates, interest rates and debt security prices will affect the Company's income or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimising the return.

The Company transacts in derivatives, and also incurs financial liabilities, in order to manage market risks. All such transactions are carried out within the guidelines set by the CCH Group Risk Committee and Board of Directors of the immediate holding company.

### **Foreign currency risk**

#### *Exposure to foreign currency risk*

The Company is exposed to foreign currency risk on transactions that are denominated in currencies other than United States dollars. Such foreign currency risks may arise from assets or liabilities, income or expenses denominated in other currencies. In assessing its exposure to foreign currency risk, the Company adopts a holistic approach, taking into account timing and size of the underlying exposure, including any natural economic hedge if the cash inflow in a foreign currency matches some of the cash flows used by the underlying operations of the Company. Exposure to currency risk is monitored on an ongoing basis and the Company's policy is to keep the net exposure to an acceptable level.

The Company’s exposure to foreign currency risk is as follows:

	<b>2022</b> <b>US\$’000</b>
<b>Singapore dollars</b>	
Other assets	5
Other liabilities	(51)
	(46)

*Sensitivity analysis*

A 10% strengthening of the United States dollar against the following currency at the reporting date would increase profit or loss by the amounts shown below. This analysis assumes that all other variables, in particular interest rates, remain constant.

	<b>2022</b> <b>US\$’000</b>
Singapore dollars	5

A 10% weakening of the United States dollar against the above currency would have had the equal but opposite effect on the above currencies to the amounts shown above, on the basis that all other variables remain constant.

***Interest rate risk***

Interest rate risk is the impact to earnings and economic value of the Company due to fluctuations in interest rates. Interest rate exposure may arise from mismatches in the maturity profile or the benchmark rates of the Company’s interest-bearing assets and liabilities. The Company adopts a portfolio approach in evaluating and managing its interest rate risk under its Strategic Asset Liability Management Framework which has been approved by the Board. This framework sets out the measurement methods and the risk tolerance limits. In managing its interest rate exposure, the Company may use various methods and instruments, including derivatives such as interest rate swaps and treasury locks, to mitigate its interest rate risk. Exposure to interest rate risks are monitored on an ongoing basis and regularly reported to the Risk Committee and the Board to ensure consistency with the Company’s risk appetite.

**Interest Rate Benchmark Reform**

A fundamental reform of major interest rate benchmarks is being undertaken globally, replacing some interbank offered rates (“IBORs”) with alternative nearly risk-free rates (referred to as “IBOR reform”). The Company has exposure to USD LIBOR primarily on its loans and advances that are being reformed as part of these market-wide initiatives.

The main risks to which the Company has been exposed as a result of IBOR reform are operational, including the renegotiation of contracts through bilateral negotiation with customers and counterparty banks, updating of contractual terms, updating of systems that use IBOR curves and revision of operational controls related to the reform. Financial risk is predominantly limited to interest rate risk.

A cross-functional IBOR working group has been established at Clifford Capital Holdings Pte Ltd, to manage the transition to alternative rates for its subsidiaries and associates, including the Company. The objectives of the IBOR working group include evaluating the extent to which loans advanced, loan commitments, liabilities and derivatives reference IBOR cash flows, whether such contracts need to be amended as a result of IBOR reform and how to manage communication about IBOR reform with counterparties. The IBOR working group reports to the Clifford Capital Holdings Exco and Risk Committee and collaborates with other business functions as and when needed, providing reports to support the management of interest rate risk and to identify operational risks arising from IBOR reform.

For contracts indexed to an IBOR that mature after the expected cessation of the IBOR rate, the IBOR working group has established policies to amend the contractual terms, including the addition of fallback clauses or replacement of the IBOR rate with an alternative benchmark rate. The panel bank submissions for USD LIBOR will cease in mid-2023. The alternative reference rate for USD LIBOR is the Secured Overnight Financing Rate (SOFR).

The Company is on-track to transition all of its loans and advances, and loans and borrowings which are indexed from USD LIBOR to SOFR before 30 June 2023. Consequently, the hedging instruments of the relevant loans and advances will also be transitioned at the same time. The Company has concluded that there is no uncertainty as at 31 December 2022 in relation IBOR reform in respect of its hedging relationships, and there is no net significant hedging risk during the transition period.

The Company monitors the progress of transition from IBORs to new benchmark rates by reviewing the total amounts of contracts that include an appropriate fallback clause. The Company considers that a contract is not yet transitioned to an alternative benchmark rate (and referred to as an “unreformed contract”) when interest under the contract is indexed to a benchmark rate that is still subject to IBOR reform, even if it includes a fallback clause that deals with the cessation of the existing IBOR.

As at 31 December 2022, the Company has exposure to USD LIBOR, which is in the progress of being transitioned to SOFR. The following table shows the total amounts of unreformed floating rate financial assets and liabilities, and derivatives.

	<b>2022</b>
	<b>US\$'000</b>
<b>Variable rate instruments</b>	
Non-derivative financial assets	337,200
Non-derivative financial liabilities	—
	<u>337,200</u>

*Exposure to interest rate risk*

At the reporting date, the Company's interest-bearing financial instruments, were as follows:

	<b>Notional amount 2022 US\$'000</b>
<b>Variable rate instruments</b>	
Financial assets	381,571
Financial liabilities	(374,300)
	7,271

*Cash flow sensitivity analysis for variable rate instruments*

A change of 100 basis points in interest rates at the reporting date would have increased/(decreased) profit or loss by the amounts shown below. This analysis assumes that all other variables, in particular foreign currency rates, remain constant.

	<b>Profit or loss</b>	
	<b>100 bp increase US\$'000</b>	<b>100 bp decrease US\$'000</b>
<b>2022</b>		
Variable rate instruments	(73)	73
	(73)	73

***Capital management***

The Company's capital management objectives are to maintain an optimal capital structure that supports the Company's business growth and delivers sustainable returns to shareholders. Capital consists of share capital and accumulated losses. The Board maintains an oversight of the capital management process by periodically reviewing the Company's capital allocation, gearing, liquidity and funding sources to enhance shareholder's returns while ensuring that the Company's liquidity requirements are met at all times. The Company is not subject to regulatory capital requirements.

## **15 Accounting classifications and fair values**

***Fair value hierarchy***

The tables below analyse fair value measurements for financial assets and financial liabilities, by the levels in the fair value hierarchy based on the inputs to valuation techniques. The different levels are defined as follows:

- Level 1 : quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Company can access at the measurement date.
- Level 2 : inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices).
- Level 3 : unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

*Accounting classification and fair values*

The carrying amounts and fair values of financial assets and liabilities, including their levels in the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

	----- Carrying value -----			----- Fair value -----			
	Mandatorily at FVTPL US\$'000	Amortised cost US\$'000	Other financial liabilities US\$'000	Total carrying amount US\$'000	Level 1 US\$'000	Level 2 US\$'000	Level 3 US\$'000
<b>31 December 2022</b>							
Cash and cash equivalents	–	26,486	–	26,486	–	–	–
Loans and advances	–	381,656	–	381,656	–	–	391,029
Other assets*	–	3,534	–	3,534	–	–	–
	–	411,676	–	411,676			
Other liabilities	–	6,544	–	6,544	–	–	–
Notes issued	–	372,475	–	372,475	–	–	374,300
	–	379,019	–	379,019			

\* Non-financial assets and liabilities have been excluded from these balances.



***Sensitivity of fair value measurements to changes in significant unobservable inputs***

For level 3 instruments with a significant unobservable input of cost to income ratio an increase in the significant unobservable input would decrease the fair value.

***Quantitative disclosures of valuation techniques***

The following table provide the representative range of minimum and maximum values of each significant unobservable input for level 3 assets by the related valuation technique most significant to the related financial instrument.

Classification	Fair value US\$'000	Valuation technique	Unobservabl e input	Change in input	Min value US\$'000	Max value US\$'000
<b>31 December 2022</b>						
Loans and advances	391,029	Discounted cash flow approach	Cost to income ratio	+/- 2%	390,348	391,710

***Cost to income ratio***

For financial instruments where cost to income ratio is the significant unobservable input, the ratio is determined by taking into account the best information available in the circumstances, which might include the entity's own data, taking into account all information about market participant assumptions that is reasonably available.

The fair valuation is determined via discounting at risk free rate of future risk adjusted cashflow or economic profit. It considers credit spread and interest rate risk of the assets. At each subsequent valuation date, adjustments will be made to reflect any variation in market data and any improvement or deterioration of the assets.

**16 Non-current assets and liabilities**

Assets and liabilities other than those disclosed below are current:

	<b>2022</b>
	<b>US\$'000</b>
<b>Assets</b>	
Loans and advances	<u>381,656</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Notes issued	<u>372,475</u>

## **17 Segment reporting**

An operating segment is a component of the Company that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses. The Company operates in only one segment. Its activities relate to financing business. All activities are carried out in the Republic of Singapore. Revenue in respect of these activities is disclosed in the financial statements accordingly.

## **18 Comparative information**

No comparative figures are provided as this is the first set of financial statements prepared for the Company since the date of its incorporation.