

WARBA BANK K.S.C.P.

**INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED
FINANCIAL INFORMATION
(UNAUDITED)**

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REPORT ON REVIEW OF INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF WARBA BANK K.S.C.P.

Introduction

We have reviewed the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position of Warba Bank K.S.C.P. (the “Bank”) and its subsidiaries (collectively the “Group”) as at 30 June 2025, and the related interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and interim condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the three-month and six-month periods then ended and the related interim condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity and interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows for the six-month period then ended. The management of the Bank is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim condensed consolidated financial information in accordance with the basis of preparation set out in Note 2. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim condensed consolidated financial information 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 information 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.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the interim condensed consolidated financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the basis of preparation set out in Note 2.

Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

Furthermore, based on our review, the interim condensed consolidated financial information is in agreement with the books of account of the Bank. We further report that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, we have not become aware of any violations of the Companies Law No. 1 of 2016, as amended, its executive regulations, as amended, or of the Bank’s Articles of Association and Memorandum of Incorporation, as amended, during the six-month period ended 30 June 2025 that might have had a material effect on the business of the Bank or on its financial position.

We further report that, during the course of our review, to the best of our knowledge and belief, we have not become aware of any violations of the provisions of Law No. 32 of 1968, as amended, concerning currency, the Central Bank of Kuwait and the organisation of banking business, and its related regulations, during the six-month period ended 30 June 2025 that might have had a material effect on the business of the Bank or on its financial position.

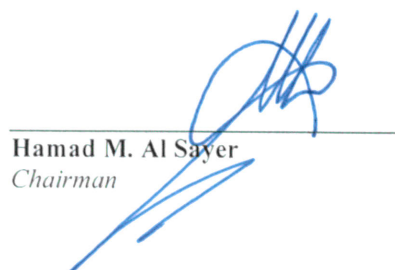
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INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL
POSITION (UNAUDITED)

As at 30 June 2025

		30 June 2025 KD'000	(Audited) 31 December 2024 KD'000	30 June 2024 KD'000
	Notes			
ASSETS				
Cash and bank balances	3	365,146	456,581	339,048
Placements with banks and the CBK		380,956	385,084	355,038
Financing receivables	4	3,926,148	3,642,603	3,615,494
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	16	203,341	198,914	181,604
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	16	458,320	381,560	369,595
Investment in associate	5	503,565	-	-
Investment in joint ventures		127,998	118,791	125,111
Investment properties		39,529	39,544	1,675
Other assets		51,285	52,215	54,923
Property and equipment		16,224	18,480	17,639
TOTAL ASSETS		6,072,512	5,293,772	5,060,127
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
LIABILITIES				
Due to banks and other financial institutions		1,419,222	1,332,641	1,407,594
Depositors' accounts		3,438,197	3,149,067	2,868,190
Sukuk issued	6	156,522	308,304	304,774
Other liabilities		106,554	92,010	82,064
TOTAL LIABILITIES		5,120,495	4,882,022	4,662,622
EQUITY				
Share capital	7	449,822	218,360	218,360
Share premium		298,735	80,375	80,375
Statutory reserve		11,225	11,225	8,871
Fair value reserve		2,825	(2,694)	(5,275)
Foreign currency translation reserve		2,987	579	408
Retained earnings		33,828	14,995	18,958
Proposed dividends	7	-	322,840 13,102	-
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO SHAREHOLDERS OF THE BANK		799,422	335,942	321,697
Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk	8	152,595	75,808	75,808
TOTAL EQUITY		952,017	411,750	397,505
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		6,072,512	5,293,772	5,060,127


Hamad M. Al Sayer
Chairman


Shaheen H. Al Ghanem
Chief Executive Officer

The accompanying notes 1 to 18 form an integral part of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

Warba Bank K.S.C.P.

**INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS
(UNAUDITED)**

For the period ended 30 June 2025

	<i>Notes</i>	<i>Three months ended 30 June</i>		<i>Six months ended 30 June</i>	
		2025 <i>KD'000</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>KD'000</i>	2025 <i>KD'000</i>	<i>2024</i> <i>KD'000</i>
Placements and finance income		66,160	61,466	125,549	122,032
Finance costs and distribution to depositors		(51,005)	(48,664)	(98,034)	(95,983)
Net finance income		15,155	12,802	27,515	26,049
Net investment income (loss)	9	10,564	(499)	14,579	1,676
Net fees and commission income		3,694	2,192	6,200	3,756
Other income		1,099	198	1,424	327
Net foreign exchange gain (loss)		200	1,582	(786)	2,835
Net operating income		30,712	16,275	48,932	34,643
Staff costs		(7,487)	(5,568)	(14,347)	(12,008)
General and administrative expenses		(2,409)	(1,744)	(4,375)	(3,400)
Depreciation expense		(1,550)	(1,898)	(3,132)	(3,597)
Net operating expenses		(11,446)	(9,210)	(21,854)	(19,005)
Net operating profit before provision for impairment and credit losses		19,266	7,065	27,078	15,638
Provision for impairment and credit losses	10	(3,270)	(2,205)	(5,306)	(5,819)
Profit before tax		15,996	4,860	21,772	9,819
Taxation	11	(788)	(228)	(1,051)	(452)
NET PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		15,208	4,632	20,721	9,367
BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (EPS)	12	4.27 fils	1.27 fils	6.00 fils	3.22 fils

The accompanying notes 1 to 18 form an integral part of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

Warba Bank K.S.C.P.

**INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UNAUDITED)**

For the period ended 30 June 2025

	<i>Three months ended</i>		<i>Six months ended</i>	
	<i>30 June</i>		<i>30 June</i>	
	<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>	<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>
	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>
NET PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	15,208	4,632	20,721	9,367
Other comprehensive income (loss)				
<i>Other comprehensive income (loss) that will be reclassified to profit or loss:</i>				
<i>Debt instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income:</i>				
Net change in fair value during the period	2,382	254	4,778	637
Changes in allowance for expected credit losses	(25)	(4)	(107)	(12)
Reclassification to profit or loss	(67)	(137)	(52)	(1,383)
Net gains (losses) on debt instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income	2,290	113	4,619	(758)
<i>Foreign currency translation:</i>				
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	1,122	(315)	2,331	(725)
Net exchange differences recycled to profit or loss on derecognition of investment in a joint venture	77	-	77	(42)
Net foreign currency translation	1,199	(315)	2,408	(767)
<i>Other comprehensive income that will not be reclassified to profit or loss subsequently</i>				
Net change in fair value of equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	306	-
Share of other comprehensive income of investment in associate	594	-	594	-
Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	594	-	900	-
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) FOR THE PERIOD	4,083	(202)	7,927	(1,525)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	19,291	4,430	28,648	7,842

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INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (UNAUDITED)

For the period ended 30 June 2025

	<i>Share capital</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Share premium</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Statutory reserve</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Fair value reserve</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Foreign currency translation reserve</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Retained earnings</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Sub-total</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Proposed dividends</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Equity attributable to shareholders of the Bank</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Total equity</i> <i>KD'000</i>
As at 1 January 2025	218,360	80,375	11,225	(2,694)	579	14,995	322,840	13,102	335,942	75,808	411,750
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	20,721	20,721	-	20,721	-	20,721
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	5,519	2,408	-	7,927	-	7,927	-	7,927
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	5,519	2,408	20,721	28,648	-	28,648	-	28,648
Increase in share capital (Note 7)	218,360	218,360	-	-	-	-	436,720	-	436,720	-	436,720
Issue of bonus shares (Note 7)	13,102	-	-	-	-	-	13,102	(13,102)	-	-	-
Costs directly related to increase in share capital	-	-	-	-	-	(350)	(350)	-	(350)	-	(350)
Issuance of perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk (Note 8)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76,787	76,787
Profit paid on Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk (Note 8)	-	-	-	-	-	(1,538)	(1,538)	-	(1,538)	-	(1,538)
At 30 June 2025	449,822	298,735	11,225	2,825	2,987	33,828	799,422	-	799,422	152,595	952,017
As at 1 January 2024	206,000	80,375	8,871	(4,517)	1,175	11,124	303,028	12,360	315,388	75,808	391,196
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	9,367	9,367	-	9,367	-	9,367
Other comprehensive loss	-	-	-	(758)	(767)	-	(1,525)	-	(1,525)	-	(1,525)
Total comprehensive (loss) income for the period	-	-	-	(758)	(767)	9,367	7,842	-	7,842	-	7,842
Issue of bonus shares (Note 7)	12,360	-	-	-	-	-	12,360	(12,360)	-	-	-
Profit paid on Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk (Note 8)	-	-	-	-	-	(1,533)	(1,533)	-	(1,533)	-	(1,533)
At 30 June 2024	218,360	80,375	8,871	(5,275)	408	18,958	321,697	-	321,697	75,808	397,505

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Warba Bank K.S.C.P.

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

For the period ended 30 June 2025

	Notes	Six months ended 30 June	
		2025 KD'000	2024 KD'000
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit before tax		21,772	9,819
<i>Adjustments for:</i>			
Net investment income	9	(14,579)	(1,676)
Provision for employees' end of service benefits		809	733
Depreciation expense		3,132	3,597
Provision for impairment and credit losses	10	5,306	5,819
		16,440	18,292
<i>Changes in operating assets and liabilities:</i>			
Placements with banks and the CBK		(60,526)	(41,396)
Financing receivables		(288,495)	(167,687)
Other assets		1,424	21,792
Due to banks and other financial institutions		(179,419)	244,745
Depositors' accounts		289,130	(38,955)
Other liabilities		15,089	15,516
Cash flows (used in) from operations		(206,357)	52,307
Employees' end of service benefits paid		(240)	(136)
Taxes paid		(1,061)	(1,124)
Net cash flows (used in) from operating activities		(207,658)	51,047
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of financial assets at FVTPL		(19,024)	(26,430)
Proceeds from sale / redemption of financial assets at FVTPL		15,261	5,845
Purchase of financial assets at FVOCI		(193,623)	(121,035)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets at FVOCI		118,166	120,302
Additions to investment in joint ventures		(5,154)	(11,453)
Proceeds from sale of a joint venture		480	3,068
Purchase of property and equipment		(29)	(2,649)
Consideration paid for asset acquisition of subsidiary	5	(230,825)	-
Dividends received from financial assets		5,316	2,488
Other investment income received		77	192
Distributions received from joint ventures		936	546
Rental income received		619	95
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(307,800)	(29,031)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Payment of lease liabilities		(1,830)	(1,843)
Net movement on Sukuk issued		(381)	443
Redemption of Sukuk issued		(150,000)	-
Profit paid to holders on Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk		(1,538)	(1,533)
Proceeds from issuance of Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk		76,787	-
Proceeds from increase in share capital		436,720	-
Costs directly related to increase in share capital		(350)	-
Net cash flows from (used in) financing activities		359,408	(2,933)
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(156,050)	19,083
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		702,801	468,862
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 30 JUNE	3	546,751	487,945
Additional information on operational cash flows			
Finance costs paid		(93,025)	(96,297)
Finance income received		128,533	125,462

The accompanying notes 1 to 18 form an integral part of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL
INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

As at and for the period ended 30 June 2025

1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

Warba Bank K.S.C.P. (the “Bank”) is a Kuwaiti public shareholding company, incorporated on 17 February 2010 in the State of Kuwait by virtue of Amiri Decree No. 289/2009. The Bank is registered as an Islamic banking institution in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Central Bank of Kuwait (the “CBK”) on 7 April 2010 and its shares are publicly traded on the Boursa Kuwait. The Bank’s head office is located at Al-Raya Tower, Mezzanine floor 1, Omar Ibn Al-Khattab Street and its registered postal address is P.O. Box 1220, Safat 13013, State of Kuwait.

The Bank is primarily involved in corporate, retail and investment banking activities in accordance with the principles of Islamic Sharī‘a, as approved by the Bank’s Sharī‘a Supervisory Board.

The annual general assembly meeting (“AGM”) of the shareholders of the Bank held on 27 March 2025 approved the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2024. Distributions proposed by the Board of Directors and approved by the shareholders of the Bank for the year then ended are provided in Note 7.

This interim condensed consolidated financial information as at and for the six months ended 30 June 2025 includes the financial information of the Bank and its wholly owned special purpose vehicles and subsidiary (collectively, the “Group”).

The interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2025 has been approved for issuance in accordance with the Board of Directors resolution on 9 July 2025.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO THE GROUP’S ACCOUNTING POLICIES

2.1 Basis of preparation

The interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group for the six months ended 30 June 2025 has been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 “*Interim Financial Reporting*” except as noted below.

The interim condensed consolidated financial information has been prepared in accordance with the regulations for financial services institutions as issued by the Central Bank of Kuwait (the “CBK”) in the State of Kuwait. These regulations, require banks and other financial institutions regulated by CBK to adopt the International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) with the amendment for measuring expected credit loss (“ECL”) at the higher of ECL provision on financing facilities computed under IFRS 9 – *Financial Instruments* (“IFRS 9”) in accordance with the CBK guidelines or the provisions as required by CBK instructions along with its consequential impact on related disclosures.

The above framework is hereinafter referred to as ‘IFRS Accounting Standards as adopted by CBK for use by the State of Kuwait’.

The interim condensed consolidated financial information does not include all the information and disclosures required for full annual consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as adopted by CBK for use by the State of Kuwait and should be read in conjunction with the Group’s annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2024.

2.2 New standards, interpretations and amendments adopted by the Group

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group’s annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2024, except for the adoption of new standards effective as of 1 January 2025. The Group has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective. The below amendment apply for the first time in 2025, but does not have an impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group.

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**2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO THE GROUP'S ACCOUNTING POLICIES
(continued)**

2.2 New standards, interpretations and amendments adopted by the Group (continued)

Lack of exchangeability - Amendments to IAS 21

The amendments to IAS 21 The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates specify how an entity should assess whether a currency is exchangeable and how it should determine a spot exchange rate when exchangeability is lacking. The amendments also require disclosure of information that enables users of its financial statements to understand how the currency not being exchangeable into the other currency affects, or is expected to affect, the entity's financial performance, financial position and cash flows.

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025. When applying the amendments, an entity cannot restate comparative information. The amendments did not have a material impact on the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

2.3 Summary of accounting policies for new transactions and events

The Group adopted the below accounting policies following the acquisition of Warba Strategy Company S.P.C. (previously known as Al Ghanem Trading Company W.L.L.). (Note 5).

Investment in associates

An associate is an entity over which the Group has significant influence but not control. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decision of the investee but is not control or joint control over those policies.

The considerations made in determining significant influence are similar to those necessary to determine control over subsidiaries.

Investment in an associate is initially recognised at cost and subsequently accounted for by the equity method of accounting. The Group's share of its associates' post-acquisition profits or losses is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss, and its share of post-acquisition movements in other comprehensive income is recognised in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income. The cumulative post-acquisition movements are adjusted against the carrying amount of the investment.

On acquisition of the investment in an associate, any excess of the cost of the investment over the group's share of the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities of the investee is recognised as goodwill, which is included within the carrying amount of the investment. Any excess of the group's share of the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities over the cost of the investment, after reassessment, is recognised immediately in profit or loss in the period in which the investment is acquired.

Goodwill relating to the associate is included in the carrying amount of the investment and is not tested for impairment separately.

The financial statements of associates are prepared using consistent accounting policies and are adjusted, where necessary, to bring the accounting policies in line with those of the Group.

The Group determines at each reporting date whether there is any objective evidence that the investment in associate is impaired. If this is the case, the Group calculates the amount of impairment as the difference between the recoverable amount of the associate and its carrying value and recognises the amount in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Upon loss of significant influence over the associate, the Group measures and recognises any retained investment at its fair value. Gain or loss on such transaction is computed by comparing the carrying amount of the associate at the time of loss of significant influence with the aggregate of fair value of the retained investment and proceeds from disposal. Such gain or loss is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

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**2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO THE GROUP'S ACCOUNTING POLICIES
(continued)**

2.3 Summary of accounting policies for new transactions and events (continued)

Business combinations and goodwill

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method. The cost of an acquisition is measured as the aggregate of the consideration transferred, which is measured at acquisition date fair value, and the amount of any non-controlling interests in the acquiree. For each business combination, the Group elects whether to measure the non-controlling interests in the acquiree at fair value or at the proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. Acquisition-related costs are expensed as incurred and included in general and administrative expenses.

The Group determines that it has acquired a business when the acquired set of activities and assets include an input and a substantive process that together significantly contribute to the ability to create outputs. The acquired process is considered substantive if it is critical to the ability to continue producing outputs, and the inputs acquired include an organised workforce with the necessary skills, knowledge, or experience to perform that process or it significantly contributes to the ability to continue producing outputs and is considered unique or scarce or cannot be replaced without significant cost, effort, or delay in the ability to continue producing outputs.

When the Group acquires a business, it assesses the financial assets and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic circumstances and pertinent conditions as at the acquisition date. This includes the separation of embedded derivatives in host contracts by the acquiree.

Contingent consideration, resulting from business combinations, is valued at fair value at the acquisition date. Contingent consideration classified as equity is not remeasured and its subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity.

Contingent consideration classified as an asset or liability that is a financial instrument and within the scope of IFRS 9 Financial Instruments, is measured at fair value with the changes in fair value recognized in the profit or loss in accordance with IFRS 9. Other contingent consideration that is not within the scope of IFRS 9 is measured at fair value at each reporting date with changes in fair value recognized in profit or loss.

Goodwill is initially measured at cost (being the excess of the aggregate of the consideration transferred and the amount recognized for non-controlling interests and any previous interest held over the net identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed). If the fair value of the net assets acquired is in excess of the aggregate consideration transferred, the Group re-assesses whether it has correctly identified all of the assets acquired and all of the liabilities assumed and reviews the procedures used to measure the amounts to be recognized at the acquisition date. If the reassessment still results in an excess of the fair value of net assets acquired over the aggregate consideration transferred, then the gain is recognized in profit or loss.

Where goodwill has been allocated to a cash-generating unit (CGU) and part of the operation within that unit is disposed of, the goodwill associated with the disposed operation is included in the carrying amount of the operation when determining the gain or loss on disposal. Goodwill disposed in these circumstances is measured based on the relative values of the disposed operation and the portion of the cash-generating unit retained.

A contingent liability recognized in a business combination is initially measured at its fair value. Subsequently, it is measured at the higher of the amount that would be recognized in accordance with the requirements for provisions in IAS 37 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets or the amount initially recognized less (when appropriate) cumulative amortization recognized in accordance with the requirements for revenue recognition.

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

As at and for the period ended 30 June 2025

3 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and cash equivalents referred to in the interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows comprises of cash on hand, non-restricted current accounts with central banks and amounts due from banks on demand or with an original maturity of three months or less.

	<i>30 June</i> <i>2025</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>(Audited)</i> <i>31 December</i> <i>2024</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>30 June</i> <i>2024</i> <i>KD'000</i>
Cash on hand	13,306	5,953	11,328
Current account with the CBK	292,965	407,192	302,976
Current account with commercial banks	58,875	43,436	24,744
Total cash and bank balances	365,146	456,581	339,048
Placements with the CBK with original maturity of three months or less	125,336	107,192	109,799
Placements with banks with original maturity of three months or less	56,269	139,028	39,098
Total cash and cash equivalents	546,751	702,801	487,945

4 FINANCING RECEIVABLES

	<i>30 June</i> <i>2025</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>(Audited)</i> <i>31 December</i> <i>2024</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>30 June</i> <i>2024</i> <i>KD'000</i>
Murabaha receivables	3,586,287	3,316,359	3,265,908
Ijara receivables	635,752	609,399	592,862
Wakala receivables	9,336	9,395	32,800
Others	16,128	21,497	27,352
Less: deferred profit	(224,398)	(219,899)	(211,531)
Financing receivables before provision for impairment	4,023,105	3,736,751	3,707,391
Less: Provision for impairment as per the CBK guidelines	(96,957)	(94,148)	(91,897)
	3,926,148	3,642,603	3,615,494

During the period, the Group has recovered KD 1,385 thousand from written off deals in the prior years (31 December 2024: KD 2,281 thousand and 30 June 2024: KD 266 thousand).

The available provision balance on non-cash facilities of KD 7,187 thousand (31 December 2024: KD 6,771 thousand and 30 June 2024: KD 6,015 thousand) is included under other liabilities in the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position.

The total provision for cash and non-cash credit facilities in accordance with CBK guidelines amounted to KD 104,144 thousand as at 30 June 2025 (31 December 2024: KD 100,919 thousand and 30 June 2024: KD 97,912 thousand).

The Expected Credit Losses (“ECL”) on credit facilities determined under IFRS 9 in accordance with the CBK guidelines amounted to KD 77,384 thousand as at 30 June 2025 (31 December 2024: KD 77,550 thousand and 30 June 2024: KD 97,814 thousand). The CBK guidelines prescribe certain parameters to determine the ECL on credit facilities such as floors for estimating Probability of Default (PD), eligible collateral with haircuts for determining Loss Given Default (LGD), deemed minimum maturity for Stage 2 exposures, 100% credit conversion factors for utilised cash and non-cash facilities, Stage 3 ECLs at 100% of the defaulted exposure net of eligible collateral after applying applicable haircuts etc.

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4 FINANCING RECEIVABLES (continued)

The following tables illustrates the reconciliation from the opening to the closing balance of the loss allowance (cash and non-cash facilities) as per the CBK instructions:

	<i>30 June 2025</i>		
	<i>Specific KD'000</i>	<i>General KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
As at 1 January 2025	12,185	88,734	100,919
Charge for the period	2,175	3,180	5,355
Amounts written off	(2,090)	-	(2,090)
Foreign exchange adjustments	-	(40)	(40)
At 30 June 2025	<u>12,270</u>	<u>91,874</u>	<u>104,144</u>

	<i>31 December 2024 (Audited)</i>		
	<i>Specific KD'000</i>	<i>General KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
As at 1 January 2024	13,793	86,422	100,215
Charge for the year	7,050	2,306	9,356
Amounts written off	(8,658)	-	(8,658)
Foreign exchange adjustments	-	6	6
At 31 December 2024	<u>12,185</u>	<u>88,734</u>	<u>100,919</u>

	<i>30 June 2024</i>		
	<i>Specific KD'000</i>	<i>General KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
As at 1 January 2024	13,793	86,422	100,215
Charge for the period	4,792	960	5,752
Amounts written off	(8,047)	-	(8,047)
Foreign exchange adjustments	-	(8)	(8)
At 30 June 2024	<u>10,538</u>	<u>87,374</u>	<u>97,912</u>

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4 FINANCING RECEIVABLES (continued)

An analysis of the carrying amounts of financing receivables (cash facilities), and the corresponding ECL based on the staging criteria under IFRS 9 in accordance with CBK regulations is as follows:

	<i>As at 30 June 2025</i>			
	<i>Stage 1</i>	<i>Stage 2</i>	<i>Stage 3</i>	<i>Total</i>
	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>
<i>Financing receivables</i>				
High	1,330,335	163,932	-	1,494,267
Standard	2,252,132	124,210	-	2,376,342
Past due or impaired	55,712	42,869	53,915	152,496
	<u>3,638,179</u>	<u>331,011</u>	<u>53,915</u>	<u>4,023,105</u>
	<i>As at 31 December 2024 (Audited)</i>			
	<i>Stage 1</i>	<i>Stage 2</i>	<i>Stage 3</i>	<i>Total</i>
	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>
<i>Financing receivables</i>				
High	1,752,086	29,674	-	1,781,760
Standard	1,522,850	150,462	-	1,673,312
Past due or impaired	103,875	133,419	44,385	281,679
	<u>3,378,811</u>	<u>313,555</u>	<u>44,385</u>	<u>3,736,751</u>
	<i>As at 30 June 2024</i>			
	<i>Stage 1</i>	<i>Stage 2</i>	<i>Stage 3</i>	<i>Total</i>
	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>
<i>Financing receivables</i>				
High	2,004,510	110,517	-	2,115,027
Standard	1,135,231	142,218	21,127	1,298,576
Past due or impaired	153,832	61,599	78,357	293,788
	<u>3,293,573</u>	<u>314,334</u>	<u>99,484</u>	<u>3,707,391</u>

An analysis of the changes in the ECL in relation to financing receivables (cash facilities) computed under IFRS 9 in accordance with the CBK guidelines is, as follows:

	<i>30 June 2025</i>			
	<i>Stage 1</i>	<i>Stage 2</i>	<i>Stage 3</i>	<i>Total</i>
	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>
ECL allowance as at 1 January 2025	12,949	9,481	31,881	54,311
Transfer from Stage 1	(218)	198	20	-
Transfer from Stage 2	750	(1,290)	540	-
Transfer from Stage 3	205	69	(274)	-
(Reversal) additional ECL for the period	(19)	820	420	1,221
Amounts written off	-	-	(2,090)	(2,090)
	<u>13,667</u>	<u>9,278</u>	<u>30,497</u>	<u>53,442</u>

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4 FINANCING RECEIVABLES (continued)

	<i>31 December 2024 (Audited)</i>			
	<i>Stage 1 KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 2 KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 3 KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
ECL allowance as at 1 January 2024	14,257	9,950	16,048	40,255
Transfer from Stage 1	(396)	174	222	-
Transfer from Stage 2	1,066	(4,902)	3,836	-
Transfer from Stage 3	263	2,104	(2,367)	-
(Reversal) additional ECL for the year	(2,241)	2,155	22,800	22,714
Amounts written off	-	-	(8,658)	(8,658)
At 31 December 2024	<u>12,949</u>	<u>9,481</u>	<u>31,881</u>	<u>54,311</u>

	<i>30 June 2024</i>			
	<i>Stage 1 KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 2 KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 3 KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
ECL allowance as at 1 January 2024	14,257	9,950	16,048	40,255
Transfer from Stage 1	(396)	174	222	-
Transfer from Stage 2	1,066	(4,902)	3,836	-
Transfer from Stage 3	263	2,104	(2,367)	-
(Reversal) additional ECL for the period	(1,191)	1,259	44,859	44,927
Amounts written off	-	-	(8,047)	(8,047)
At 30 June 2024	<u>13,999</u>	<u>8,585</u>	<u>54,551</u>	<u>77,135</u>

An analysis of the carrying amounts of contingent liabilities and commitments (non-cash facilities), and the corresponding ECL based on the staging criteria under IFRS 9 in accordance with CBK regulations is as follows:

	<i>As at 30 June 2025</i>			
	<i>Stage 1 KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 2 KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 3 KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
<i>Non-cash facilities</i>				
High	108,109	54,985	-	163,094
Standard	345,744	1,979	-	347,723
Past due or impaired	-	-	16,748	16,748
	<u>453,853</u>	<u>56,964</u>	<u>16,748</u>	<u>527,565</u>

	<i>As at 31 December 2024 (Audited)</i>			
	<i>Stage 1 KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 2 KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 3 KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
<i>Non-cash facilities</i>				
High	200,912	1,188	-	202,100
Standard	181,949	64,697	-	246,646
Past due or impaired	-	-	15,926	15,926
	<u>382,861</u>	<u>65,885</u>	<u>15,926</u>	<u>464,672</u>

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4 FINANCING RECEIVABLES (continued)

	<i>As at 30 June 2024</i>			
	<i>Stage 1</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 2</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 3</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Total</i> <i>KD'000</i>
<i>Non-cash facilities</i>				
High	232,123	15,508	-	247,631
Standard	92,473	32,368	11,449	136,290
Past due or impaired	-	-	3,752	3,752
	<u>324,596</u>	<u>47,876</u>	<u>15,201</u>	<u>387,673</u>

An analysis of the changes in the ECL in relation to financing receivables (non-cash facilities) computed under IFRS 9 in accordance with the CBK guidelines is as follows:

	<i>30 June 2025</i>			
	<i>Stage 1</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 2</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 3</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Total</i> <i>KD'000</i>
ECL allowance as at 1 January 2025	2,224	4,110	16,905	23,239
Transfer from Stage 1	(2)	2	-	-
(Reversal) additional ECL for the period	(14)	(326)	1,043	703
At 30 June 2025	<u>2,208</u>	<u>3,786</u>	<u>17,948</u>	<u>23,942</u>

	<i>31 December 2024 (Audited)</i>			
	<i>Stage 1</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 2</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 3</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Total</i> <i>KD'000</i>
ECL allowance as at 1 January 2024	2,249	2,959	3,768	8,976
Transfer from Stage 1	(47)	47	-	-
Transfer from Stage 2	88	(1,366)	1,278	-
Transfer from Stage 3	2	-	(2)	-
(Reversal) additional ECL for the year	(68)	2,470	11,861	14,263
At 31 December 2024	<u>2,224</u>	<u>4,110</u>	<u>16,905</u>	<u>23,239</u>

	<i>30 June 2024</i>			
	<i>Stage 1</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 2</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Stage 3</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Total</i> <i>KD'000</i>
ECL allowance as at 1 January 2024	2,249	2,959	3,768	8,976
Transfer from Stage 1	(47)	47	-	-
Transfer from Stage 2	88	(1,366)	1,278	-
Transfer from Stage 3	2	-	(2)	-
Additional ECL for the period	335	467	10,901	11,703
At 30 June 2024	<u>2,627</u>	<u>2,107</u>	<u>15,945</u>	<u>20,679</u>

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5 INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATE

On 8 April 2025, the Bank acquired a Kuwaiti Limited Liability Company “Warba Strategy Company S.P.C.” (previously known as Al Ghanem Trading Company W.L.L.) (the “Acquiree”) for consideration of KD 498,161 thousand (a cash consideration of KD 230,825 thousand while assuming the bank borrowings and other liabilities of the Acquiree amounting to KD 267,336 thousand). The Acquiree owns 32.75% of equity interest in Gulf Bank K.S.C.P., a bank listed on Boursa Kuwait. Accordingly, the Bank indirectly owns 32.75% of the share capital of Gulf Bank. The management determined that the Bank has significant influence over Gulf Bank (“associate”) by virtue of its shareholding. The associate is accounted for using the equity method.

The management concluded the Acquiree is not a business, and hence the Bank has accounted for the acquisition of the Acquiree as an asset acquisition.

The acquisition of the associate is accounted for in accordance with IAS 28 *Investment in associates and joint ventures* applying the underlying concept of acquisition method as outlined in IFRS 3: *Business combination*. In accordance with requirements of IFRS 3, the Group will carry out a purchase price allocation (“PPA”) exercise which will be completed within one year from the acquisition date. Accordingly, as of 30 June 2025, the investment in associate is recorded at the provisional amounts of assets acquired and liabilities assumed.

Further, during the current period, the Bank announced to conduct an initial feasibility study for a potential merger with Gulf Bank and received a response from the CBK acknowledging the notice. The Bank is currently coordinating with Gulf Bank to execute the necessary procedures in preparation for the feasibility study.

Based on the decision of the Sharia Supervisory Board, the Bank is permitted to recognize, for accounting purposes, the share of results arising from its subsidiary, Warba Strategy Company S.P.C. (previously known as Al Ghanem Trading Company W.L.L.) which owns 32.75% of the shares of Gulf Bank (an associate company) in the interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss as part of investment income which will be dealt with according to a subsequent Sharia plan under the supervision of the Sharia Supervisory Board.

Movement of investment in associate:

	30 June 2025 KD'000
At 1 January 2025	-
Investment during the period	
Share of net assets acquired	264,670
Goodwill included in investment	233,491
Share of profit during the period	4,810
Share of other comprehensive income of investment in associate	594
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As at 30 June 2025	503,565
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5 INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATE (continued)

The following table illustrates summarised financial information of the Group's investment in associate:

	<i>30 June 2025 KD'000</i>
<i>Summarised consolidated statement of financial position of the associate:</i>	
Current assets	3,345,501
Non-current assets	3,954,811
Current liabilities	(5,743,031)
Non-current liabilities	(732,629)
Net assets	824,652
Contingent liabilities and commitments	3,072,186
	<i>From date of acquisition to 30 June 2025 KD'000</i>
<i>Summarised consolidated statement of profit or loss of the associate:</i>	
Operating income	47,779
Profit for the period	14,686
Profit for the period	14,686
Other comprehensive income	1,815
Total comprehensive income	16,501

Reconciliation of the above summarised financial information to the carrying amount of the investment in Associate recognised in the interim condensed consolidated financial information is as follows:

	<i>30 June 2025 KD'000</i>
Net assets	824,652
Group equity interest	32.75%
Group share of net assets	270,074
Goodwill	233,491
Carrying amount	503,565

6 SUKUK ISSUED

On 10 July 2024, the Bank completed the issuance of an unsecured Sukuk (senior debt) amounting to US\$ 500 million (KD 156.5 million) with a tenor of up to 5 years maturing on 10 July 2029. Such Sukuk has a fixed coupon rate of 5.351% per annum, payable semi-annually in arrears. The Sukuk is listed on the London Stock Exchange International Securities Market and NASDAQ Dubai.

The unsecured Sukuk (senior debt) amounting to KD 150 million that was issued on 17 June 2020 has matured on 17 June 2025.

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7 SHARE CAPITAL

7.1 Share capital

The adjourned extraordinary general assembly meeting (EGM) of the shareholders of the Bank held on 2 March 2025 approved an increase in the authorised share capital by 100% by offering 2,183,600 thousand right shares for subscription to the Bank's shareholders and authorized the board of directors to determine the share price. The board of directors have determined the price to be 200 fils per share (each share has a par value of 100 fils and a premium of 100 fils). The increase in share capital has been registered in the commercial register on 2 March 2025 with registration number 334402.

Accordingly, the authorised, issued and fully paid-up share capital at 30 June 2025 amount to KD 449,822 thousand (31 December 2024: KD 218,360 thousand and 30 June 2024: KD 218,360 thousand) and comprises of 4,498,216 thousand shares (31 December 2024: 2,183,600 thousand shares and 30 June 2024: 2,183,600 thousand shares) of a par value of 100 fils each.

7.2 Dividends made and proposed

- ▶ The ordinary annual general assembly meeting ("AGM") of the Bank's shareholders held on 27 March 2025 approved dividends of 6% bonus shares amounting to KD 13,102 thousand to the Bank's shareholders for the year ended 31 December 2024 (2024: 6% bonus shares of KD 12,360 thousand for the year ended 31 December 2023).
- ▶ The shareholders of the Bank at the adjourned extra-ordinary general assembly ("EGM") held on 6 April 2025 approved the increase of Bank's authorised, issued, and fully paid share capital by issuing 131,016 thousand bonus shares at 6% of the authorised and paid-up share capital as of 31 December 2024 (i.e. 6 shares for each 100 shares) amounting to KD 13,102 thousand to the shareholders registered in the Bank's records as at the end of the record date on 20 April 2025. The legal proceedings relating to the issuance of bonus shares have been completed during the period.

8 PERPETUAL TIER 1 SUKUK

Tier 1 Sukuk is a perpetual security in respect of which there is no fixed redemption date and constitutes direct, unsecured, subordinated obligations (senior only to share capital) of the Bank subject to the terms and conditions of the Mudaraba Agreement. The net proceeds of Tier 1 Sukuk are invested by way of Mudaraba with the Bank (as Mudareb), on an unrestricted co-mingling basis, by the Bank in its general business activities carried out through the general Mudaraba pool. At the Bank's sole discretion, it may not elect to make any Mudaraba distributions expected and in such event, the Mudaraba profit will not be accumulated, and the event is not considered an event of default.

On 29 November 2021, the Bank, through a Shari'a compliant Sukuk arrangement, issued Tier 1 Sukuk amounting to USD 250 million (KD 75.8 million). The Tier 1 Sukuk is listed on the Irish Stock Exchange and NASDAQ Dubai and callable by the Bank after five-year period ending 26 November 2026 (the "First Call Date") or at any profit payment date thereafter subject to certain redemption conditions. Such Sukuk bears a profit rate of 4% per annum to be paid semi-annually in arrears until the First Call Date. After that, the expected profit rate will be reset based on the prevailing 5 years U.S Mid Swap Rate plus initial margin of 2.748% per annum. The Bank made profit payment during the period on 30 May 2025.

On 20 May 2025, the Bank, through a Shari'a compliant Sukuk arrangement, issued Tier 1 Sukuk amounting to USD 250 million (KD 76.8 million). The Tier 1 Sukuk is listed on the London Stock Exchange and NASDAQ Dubai and callable by the Bank after five-year period ending 20 May 2030 (the "First Call Date") or at any profit payment date thereafter subject to certain redemption conditions. Such Sukuk bears a profit rate of 6.25% per annum to be paid semi-annually in arrears until the First Call Date. If the Call Option did not occur after the First Call Date, the expected profit rate to be set on the First Reset Date will be based on the prevailing Interpolated 5.5 years U.S Treasury plus reset margin of 2.102% per annum.

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9 NET INVESTMENT INCOME (LOSS)

	<i>Three months ended</i>		<i>Six months ended</i>	
	<i>30 June</i>		<i>30 June</i>	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000
Realised gain on sale of debt instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income	67	137	52	1,383
Share of results of investment in joint ventures	2,721	(557)	3,061	(822)
Share of results of investment in associate	4,810	-	4,810	-
Dividend income	2,476	1,022	5,316	2,488
Net rental income from investment properties	298	24	601	72
Unrealized loss on investment properties	(16)	(4)	(15)	-
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments at fair value through profit and loss	172	(1,216)	677	(1,234)
Loss on sale of joint ventures	-	-	-	(410)
Other investment income	36	95	77	199
	10,564	(499)	14,579	1,676

10 PROVISION FOR IMPAIRMENT AND CREDIT LOSSES

	<i>Three months ended</i>		<i>Six months ended</i>	
	<i>30 June</i>		<i>30 June</i>	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000
Provision charge for credit facilities – specific	1,027	2,402	2,175	4,792
Provision charge for credit facilities – general	2,227	(255)	3,180	960
Expected credit losses (reversal)	5	(30)	(68)	(21)
Impairment charge on other assets	11	88	19	88
	3,270	2,205	5,306	5,819

11 TAXATION

	<i>Three months ended</i>		<i>Six months ended</i>	
	<i>30 June</i>		<i>30 June</i>	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000
Domestic Minimum Top-up Tax (DMTT)	687	-	898	-
Contribution to Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences (KFAS)	101	43	153	88
National Labour Support Tax (NLST)	-	132	-	260
Zakat	-	53	-	104
	788	228	1,051	452

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11 TAXATION (continued)

The State of Kuwait issued Law Number 157 of 2024 on 31 December 2024 (the Law) introducing domestic minimum top-up tax (DMTT) effective from 1 January 2025 on entities which are part of MNE Group with annual revenues of EUR 750 million or more. The Law provides that a top-up tax shall be payable on the excess profit at a rate equal to the difference between 15% and the effective tax rate of all constituent entities of the MNE Group operating within Kuwait. The excess profit and top-up tax rate shall be computed in accordance with the Executive regulations. As of the reporting date, Kuwait issued its Executive Regulations in relation to Pillar Two and the Group has estimated the DMTT charge based on existing guidance and the intention that the DMTT be a qualified DMTT and interpreted in accordance with the GloBE Model Rules and its accompanying commentary. The Law effectively replaces the existing Corporate Tax Law, National Labour Support Tax (NLST) and Zakat tax regimes in Kuwait for MNEs within the scope of this Law.

The Group applies the mandatory and temporary exception from recognising and disclosing information on the associated deferred tax assets and liabilities as required by the amendments to IAS 12 'International Tax Reform – Pillar Two Model Rules'.

12 BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (EPS)

Basic EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit for the period attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Bank adjusted for profit paid on Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period. Diluted EPS is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Bank adjusted for profit paid on Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period plus the weighted average number of ordinary shares that would be issued on conversion of all the dilutive potential ordinary shares into ordinary shares. As there are no dilutive instruments outstanding, basic and diluted earnings per share are identical.

	<i>Three months ended</i>		<i>Six months ended</i>	
	<i>30 June</i>		<i>30 June</i>	
	2025	2024 <i>(Restated)*</i>	2025	2024 <i>(Restated)*</i>
Net profit for the period (KD'000)	15,208	4,632	20,721	9,367
Less: profit payment on Perpetual Tier 1 Sukuk (KD'000)	(1,538)	(1,533)	(1,538)	(1,533)
	13,670	3,099	19,183	7,834
Weighted average number of shares outstanding (shares'000)	3,199,747	2,436,611	3,199,747	2,436,611
Basic and diluted EPS (fils)	4.27	1.27	6.00	3.22

* The comparative basic and diluted EPS has been restated to reflect the impact of the shares issued to the shareholders of the Bank (Note 7).

There have been no other transactions involving ordinary shares or potential ordinary shares between the reporting date and the date of authorisation of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

13 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Related parties comprise the major shareholders, board of directors, entities controlled by them or under their joint control, associates, key management personnel and their close family members. Balances with related parties arise from commercial transactions in the normal course of business. Lending to Board Members and their related parties is secured by tangible collateral in accordance with regulation of the Central Bank of Kuwait.

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13 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

13.1 Remuneration of the Bank's key management personnel

Key management personnel are those individuals who have the authority and responsibility for planning and exercising power to directly or indirectly control the activities of the Bank and its employees. The Bank considers

the members of the Board of Directors (and its sub-committees) and Executive Committee to be key management personnel for the purposes of IAS 24 *Related Party Disclosures*.

	<i>Three months ended</i>		<i>Six months ended</i>	
	<i>30 June</i>		<i>30 June</i>	
	<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>	<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>
	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>	<i>KD'000</i>
Salaries and short-term benefits	619	532	1,197	1,049
End of service benefits	48	47	95	93
	667	579	1,292	1,142

The AGM of the shareholders of the Bank held on 27 March 2025 approved directors' remuneration for the year ended 31 December 2024 amounting to KD 66 thousand (2023: KD 66 thousand).

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13 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

13.2 Balances and transactions with Bank's board of directors' members, key management personnel, major shareholders and joint ventures

Details of the balances of board of directors' members, executive officers, major shareholders and joint ventures are as follows:

	<i>Number of BOD members, executive officers, major shareholders or joint ventures</i>			<i>Number of related parties</i>			<i>Outstanding balance</i>		
	<i>(Audited)</i>			<i>(Audited)</i>			<i>(Audited)</i>		
	<i>30 June 2025</i>	<i>31 December 2024</i>	<i>30 June 2024</i>	<i>30 June 2025</i>	<i>31 December 2024</i>	<i>30 June 2024</i>	<i>30 June 2025 KD'000</i>	<i>31 December 2024 KD'000</i>	<i>30 June 2024 KD'000</i>
Board Members									
Financing facilities (secured)	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Credit cards	1	1	1	-	1	1	2	4	1
Depositors' accounts	7	8	7	31	32	29	9,060	9,457	6,958
Contingent liabilities (letter of guarantees)	-	-	-	4	4	6	1,742	1,283	749
Executive Officers									
Financing facilities (secured)	7	9	7	-	-	-	1,131	1,159	1,137
Credit cards	3	3	2	-	-	-	4	5	6
Depositors' accounts	16	16	14	16	16	16	2,186	2,047	5,892
Major Shareholders									
Financing Facilities (secured)	-	-	-	4	3	2	8,185	5,497	2,496
Depositors' accounts	3	3	3	4	4	4	589,512	630,045	576,530
Contingent liabilities (letter of guarantees)	-	-	-	2	1	1	1,981	169	147
Joint Ventures									
Depositors' accounts	37	39	39	-	-	-	235	227	470
Associate									
Bank balances	1	-	-	-	-	-	547	-	-
Depositors' accounts	1	-	-	-	-	-	65,004	-	-

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13 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

13.2 Balances and transactions with Bank’s board of directors’ members, key management personnel, major shareholders and joint ventures (continued)

Outstanding balances at period end are in the ordinary course of business. The profit rates charged to, and by, related parties are at normal commercial rates.

Details of the transactions of board of directors’ members, executive officers and major shareholders are as follows:

	<i>Six months ended</i>	
	<i>30 June</i>	
	<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>
	<i>KD’000</i>	<i>KD’000</i>
Board Members		
Net fees and commission income	16	5
Finance costs and distribution to depositors	94	108
Executive Officers		
Placement and finance income	92	91
Finance costs and distribution to depositors	40	107
Major Shareholders		
Placement and finance income	172	68
Net fees and commission income	4	5
Finance costs and distribution to depositors	11,144	14,538
Associate		
Placement and finance income	7	-
Finance costs and distribution to depositors	687	-

14 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

	<i>(Audited)</i>		
	<i>30 June</i>	<i>31 December</i>	<i>30 June</i>
	<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>	<i>2024</i>
	<i>KD’000</i>	<i>KD’000</i>	<i>KD’000</i>
Acceptances and letters of credit	126,813	102,519	89,075
Letters of guarantee	400,752	362,153	298,598
Contingent liabilities	527,565	464,672	387,673
Capital and other commitments	147,561	246,731	239,728

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15 SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group's operating segments are determined based on the reports reviewed by the decision makers that are used for strategic decisions. These segments are strategic business units that offer different products and services. They are managed separately since the nature of the products and services, class of customers and marketing strategies of these segments are different.

These operating segments meet the criteria for reportable segments and are as follows:

- ▶ **Corporate** - comprising of range of banking services and investment products to corporate customers, in addition to providing commodity and real estate murabaha finance and Ijarah facilities.
- ▶ **Retail** - comprising of a diversified range of products and services to individual customers. The range includes consumer finance, credit cards, deposits and other branch related services.
- ▶ **Treasury** – comprising of the Bank's funding operations management, local and international Murabaha and other Islamic financing primarily with banks and financial institutions.
- ▶ **Investment** - comprising of investment in direct equity, real estate investment, other investments, asset management, structured financing and part of the Bank's funding operations management.
- ▶ **Other** – comprising of cost center assets and expenses.

Management monitors the operating segments separately for the purpose of making decisions about resource allocation and performance assessment.

The following table presents net operating income (loss), net profit (loss) for the period, total assets and total liabilities information in respect of the Group's reportable segments:

	<i>30 June 2025</i>					
	<i>Corporate KD'000</i>	<i>Retail KD'000</i>	<i>Treasury KD'000</i>	<i>Investment KD'000</i>	<i>Other KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
Net operating income (loss)	35,889	7,877	(526)	5,692	-	48,932
Net profit (loss)	31,158	300	(998)	4,243	(13,982)	20,721
Total assets	2,717,863	726,471	820,129	1,748,834	59,215	6,072,512
Total liabilities	1,356,464	1,382,770	2,015,840	266,000	99,421	5,120,495
	<i>30 June 2024</i>					
	<i>Corporate KD'000</i>	<i>Retail KD'000</i>	<i>Treasury KD'000</i>	<i>Investment KD'000</i>	<i>Other KD'000</i>	<i>Total KD'000</i>
Net operating income (loss)	29,904	4,433	3,011	(2,705)	-	34,643
Net profit (loss)	24,083	(2,872)	2,674	(3,543)	(10,975)	9,367
Total assets	2,445,275	669,054	733,339	1,147,159	65,300	5,060,127
Total liabilities	1,192,377	1,277,388	2,116,752	-	76,105	4,662,622

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16 FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Financial instruments comprise financial assets and financial liabilities.

Fair value hierarchy

The Group uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair values of financial instruments by valuation technique:

- ▶ **Level 1** - quoted (unadjusted) prices in an active market for identical assets and liabilities;
- ▶ **Level 2** - other techniques for which all inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are observable, either directly or indirectly; and
- ▶ **Level 3** - other techniques which use inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are not based on observable market data.

The following table shows an analysis of financial instruments recorded at fair value by level of the fair value hierarchy:

<i>30 June 2025</i>	<i>Fair value measurement</i>			
	<i>Total KD'000</i>	<i>Quoted prices in active markets (Level 1) KD'000</i>	<i>Significant observable inputs (Level 2) KD'000</i>	<i>Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) KD'000</i>
<i>Financial instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis</i>				
<i>Financial assets at FVTPL</i>				
Quoted equity instruments	3,764	3,764	-	-
Funds (unquoted)	199,378	-	-	199,378
Other securities (unquoted)	199	-	-	199
	<u>203,341</u>	<u>3,764</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>199,577</u>
<i>Financial assets at FVOCI</i>				
Quoted Sukuk				
- Sovereign Sukuk	181,599	181,599	-	-
- Corporate Sukuk	266,918	266,918	-	-
	<u>448,517</u>	<u>448,517</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Unquoted equity instruments	9,803	-	-	9,803
	<u>458,320</u>	<u>448,517</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,803</u>

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31 December 2024 (Audited)	<i>Fair value measurement</i>			
	<i>Total</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Quoted prices</i> <i>in active</i> <i>markets</i> <i>(Level 1)</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Significant</i> <i>observable</i> <i>inputs</i> <i>(Level 2)</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Significant</i> <i>unobservable</i> <i>inputs</i> <i>(Level 3)</i> <i>KD'000</i>
<i>Financial instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis</i>				
<i>Financial assets at FVTPL</i>				
Quoted equity instruments	3,657	3,657	-	-
Funds (unquoted)	193,470	-	-	193,470
Other securities (unquoted)	1,787	-	-	1,787
	<u>198,914</u>	<u>3,657</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>195,257</u>
<i>Financial assets at FVOCI</i>				
<i>Quoted Sukuk</i>				
- Sovereign Sukuk	173,854	173,854	-	-
- Corporate Sukuk	198,209	198,209	-	-
	<u>372,063</u>	<u>372,063</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Unquoted equity instruments	9,497	-	-	9,497
	<u>381,560</u>	<u>372,063</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,497</u>
<i>30 June 2024</i>				
	<i>Total</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Quoted prices</i> <i>in active</i> <i>markets</i> <i>(Level 1)</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Significant</i> <i>observable</i> <i>inputs</i> <i>(Level 2)</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Significant</i> <i>unobservable</i> <i>inputs</i> <i>(Level 3)</i> <i>KD'000</i>
<i>Financial instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis</i>				
<i>Financial assets at FVTPL</i>				
Quoted equity instruments	16,100	16,100	-	-
Funds (unquoted)	161,053	-	-	161,053
Other securities (unquoted)	4,451	-	-	4,451
	<u>181,604</u>	<u>16,100</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>165,504</u>
<i>Financial assets at FVOCI</i>				
<i>Quoted Sukuk</i>				
- Sovereign Sukuk	182,372	182,372	-	-
- Corporate Sukuk	177,592	177,592	-	-
	<u>359,964</u>	<u>359,964</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Unquoted equity instruments	9,631	-	-	9,631
	<u>369,595</u>	<u>359,964</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,631</u>

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Movements in Level 3 financial instruments measured at fair value

The following tables show the reconciliation of the opening and closing amounts of Level 3 financial assets measured at fair value:

	30 June 2025					
	<i>At</i> <i>1 January</i> <i>2025</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Additions</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Sales /</i> <i>redemptions</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Change in</i> <i>fair value</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Exchange rate</i> <i>movements</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>At</i> <i>30 June</i> <i>2025</i> <i>KD'000</i>
<i>Financial assets at FVTPL</i>						
Funds (unquoted)	193,470	19,024	(13,687)	14	557	199,378
Other securities (unquoted)	1,787	-	(1,573)	(15)	-	199
	<u>195,257</u>	<u>19,024</u>	<u>(15,260)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	<u>557</u>	<u>199,577</u>
<i>Financial assets at FVOCI</i>						
Unquoted equity instruments	9,497	-	-	306	-	9,803
	<u>9,497</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>306</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,803</u>
	31 December 2024 (Audited)					
	<i>At</i> <i>1 January</i> <i>2024</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Additions</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Sales/</i> <i>redemptions</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Change in fair</i> <i>value</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>Exchange</i> <i>rate</i> <i>movements</i> <i>KD'000</i>	<i>At</i> <i>31 December</i> <i>2024</i> <i>KD'000</i>
<i>Financial assets at FVTPL</i>						
Funds (unquoted)	141,925	47,489	(5,200)	9,663	(407)	193,470
Other securities (unquoted)	4,771	-	(967)	(2,030)	13	1,787
	<u>146,696</u>	<u>47,489</u>	<u>(6,167)</u>	<u>7,633</u>	<u>(394)</u>	<u>195,257</u>
<i>Financial assets at FVOCI</i>						
Unquoted equity instruments	9,631	-	-	(134)	-	9,497
	<u>9,631</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(134)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,497</u>

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16 FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

	30 June 2024					At 30 June 2024 KD'000
	At 1 January 2024 KD'000	Additions KD'000	Sales / redemptions KD'000	Change in fair value KD'000	Exchange rate movements KD'000	
<i>Financial assets at FVTPL</i>						
Funds (unquoted)	141,925	23,419	(2,556)	(999)	(736)	161,053
Other securities (unquoted)	4,771	-	-	(319)	(1)	4,451
	<u>146,696</u>	<u>23,419</u>	<u>(2,556)</u>	<u>(1,318)</u>	<u>(737)</u>	<u>165,504</u>
<i>Financial assets at FVOCI</i>						
Unquoted equity instruments	9,631	-	-	-	-	9,631
	<u>9,631</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,631</u>

There were no transfers between any levels of the fair value hierarchy during 2025 or 2024.

The valuation techniques and inputs used in this interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2024.

The fair value of financial instruments classified as level 3 are, in certain circumstances, measured using valuation techniques that incorporate assumptions that are not evidenced by the prices from observable current market transactions in the same instrument and are not based on observable market data. The Group employs valuation techniques, depending on the instrument type and available market data. For example, in the absence of active market, an investment's fair value is estimated on the basis of an analysis of the investee's financial position and results, risk profile and other factors. Favourable and unfavourable changes in the value of financial instruments are determined on the basis of changes in the value of the instruments as a result of varying the levels of the unobservable parameters, quantification of which is judgmental. The management assessed that the impact on profit or loss or other comprehensive income would be immaterial if the relevant risk variables used to fair value the financial instruments classified as Level 3 were altered by 5 percent (31 December 2024 and 30 June 2024: 5 percent).

For other financial assets and financial liabilities carried at amortised cost, the carrying value is not significantly different from their fair value as most of these assets and liabilities are of short-term maturity or are re-priced immediately based on market movement in profit rates.

