



PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK
Metrobank Group

August 14, 2024

The Philippine Stock Exchange, Inc.
6/F PSE Tower
5th Avenue corner 28th Street
Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City

Attention: **Atty. Stefanie Ann B. Go**
Officer-in-charge, Disclosure Department

Subject: **Submission of SEC 17-Q – Second Quarter Report 30 June 2024**

Dear Atty. Go:

Pursuant to the reportorial requirements of Section 17 of the Securities Regulation Code and Sections 25 and 177 of the Revised Corporation Code of the Philippines, we hereby submit a copy of SEC Form 17-Q of Philippine Savings Bank as of June 30, 2024.

We hope that you will find everything in order.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

Leah M. Zamora
Controller
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(Company's Full Name)

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Amended Articles Number/Section

1,432

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As of June 30, 2024**

As of June 30, 2024

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SEC FORM 17-Q

**QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 17 OF THE SECURITIES
REGULATION CODE AND SRC RULE 17(2)(b) THEREUNDER**

1. For the quarterly period ended : **June 30, 2024**
2. Commission identification number : **15552**
3. BIR tax identification number : **000-663-983-000**
4. Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter : **PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK**
5. Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization : **City of Manila, Philippines**
6. Industry classification code : (SEC Use Only)
7. Address of registrant's principal office : **PSBank Center, 777 Paseo de Roxas
cor. Sedeño St., Makati City 1226**
8. Registrant's telephone number, including area code : **(632) 8885-8208**
9. Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report : **Not applicable**
10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA:
 - Title of each class : **Common Shares**
 - Number of shares of common stock outstanding : **426,859,416**
 - Amount of debt outstanding (Unpaid Subscription) : **None**
11. Are any or all of the securities listed on the Philippine Stock Exchange? : **Yes**
12. Indicate by check mark whether the registrant:
 - (a) Has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 17 of the Securities Regulation Code and Sections 25 and 177 of the Revised Corporation Code of the Philippines, during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period the registrant was required to file such reports).

Yes [☒] No [☐]
 - (b) Has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes [☒] No [☐]

PART I – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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Attached are the following:

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PART II – OTHER INFORMATION

1. Control of Registrant

The following stockholders own more than 5% of the total outstanding number of shares issued as of June 30, 2024:

Name of Stockholder	Outstanding Number of Shares	Percent to Total No. of Shares
Metropolitan Bank and Trust Co. ¹	377,279,068	88.38%
De Leon, Maria Soledad S.	26,982,249	6.32%

¹ Includes 206,331,982 shares lodged with PCD Nominee Corp.

As of June 30, 2024, there is no person who holds more than 5% of the Bank's securities lodged with PCD Nominee Corporation.

Minimum Public Ownership

As of June 30, 2024, public ownership of the Bank was at 11.61%. Of the total shares issued, 2.81 million shares or 0.66% represents foreign ownership.

2. Legal Proceedings

The Bank in the course of its operations and in running its business has several legal cases that are filed in its behalf and against it. However, these cases will not give any material effect to its financial status nor would have any material impact in continuing its operations. These cases are part of its daily business activities and consequence of its collection efforts and business dealings with the public.

3. Board Resolutions

All material disclosures of the Bank had been made under SEC 17-C.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to requirements of the Securities Regulation Code, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK

By:

LEAH M. ZAMORA
Senior Vice President/ Controller

JOSE VICENTE L. ALDE
President

Date: August 13, 2024


REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
CITY OF MAKATI) S.S.

AUG 13 2024

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this _____ affiant exhibiting to me his identification as follows:

Name	Passport/SSS No.	Date of Issuance	Place of Issuance
Jose Vicente L. Alde		-	-
Leah M. Zamora			

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IBP LIFETIME NO. 018683. 01/03/2018 MAKATI CITY
PTR NO. 10073915. 01/02/2024 MAKATI CITY
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Philippine Savings Bank

Interim Financial Statements

As of June 30, 2024 (Unaudited) and December 31, 2023 (Audited)
and for the quarters ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 (Unaudited)

Annex 1**PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK**
ITEM I. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**UNAUDITED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CONDITION**
(With Comparative Audited Figures as at December 31, 2023)

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
ASSETS		
Cash and Other Cash Items	P1,825,855,352	P1,653,554,961
Due from Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas	7,382,629,685	9,745,633,911
Due from Other Banks	1,549,419,241	1,764,229,676
Interbank Loans Receivable and Securities Purchased		
Under Resale Agreements	8,500,000,000	6,989,635,680
Fair Value Through Profit or Loss (FVTPL) Investments	997,359,266	414,298,313
Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive		
Income (FVOCI)	30,325,876,298	54,359,693,631
Investment Securities at Amortized Cost	29,178,745,331	29,893,168,043
Loans and Receivables	129,576,633,825	122,764,412,226
Investment in a Joint Venture	898,794,790	870,178,530
Property and Equipment	3,143,275,520	3,141,957,377
Investment Properties	3,826,965,127	3,934,950,184
Deferred Tax Assets	1,447,965,802	1,257,607,610
Goodwill and Intangible Assets	255,833,144	298,197,196
Other Assets	1,358,807,148	1,345,778,616
	P220,268,160,529	P238,433,295,954
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Liabilities		
Deposit Liabilities		
Demand	P25,726,527,180	P25,325,912,039
Savings	47,503,877,832	46,463,448,245
Time	97,038,161,988	112,749,125,906
Long-term Negotiable Certificates of Deposits	—	5,084,217,598
	170,268,567,000	189,622,703,788
Bills Payable	—	271,896,461
Treasurer's, Cashier's and Manager's Checks	1,459,256,663	1,514,065,655
Accrued Taxes, Interest and Other Expenses	2,260,935,637	2,663,537,503
Income Tax Payable	6,998,013	—
Other Liabilities	4,295,824,728	4,206,934,631
	178,291,582,041	198,279,138,038
Equity		
Common Stock	4,268,594,160	4,268,594,160
Capital Paid in Excess of Par Value	11,418,563,257	11,418,563,257
Surplus Reserves	1,046,398,969	1,046,398,969
Surplus	26,378,683,105	24,455,554,572
Fair Value Reserves on Financial Assets at FVOCI	(17,237,292)	70,794,457
Remeasurement Losses on Retirement Plan	(1,129,174,728)	(1,129,174,728)
Equity in Remeasurement Gains on Retirement Plan		
of a Joint Venture	2,421,056	6,178,352
Equity in Hedge Reserves of a Joint Venture	—	9,707,213
Cumulative Translation Adjustment	8,329,961	7,541,664
	41,976,578,488	40,154,157,916
	P220,268,160,529	P238,433,295,954

Annex 2**PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK****UNAUDITED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF INCOME**

	For the Quarters ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
INTEREST INCOME				
Loans and receivables	₱3,122,137,269	₱2,807,626,241	₱6,177,557,824	₱5,532,984,964
Financial assets at FVOCI and investment securities at amortized cost	845,979,391	1,041,817,471	1,865,864,741	2,143,203,145
Interbank loans receivable and securities purchased under resale agreements	90,625,126	122,003,278	213,412,530	215,286,535
Due from Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas	76,862,636	377,144,148	220,378,471	856,204,438
FVTPL investments	17,049,799	538	33,201,596	10,798
Due from other banks	2,839,021	6,618,145	5,676,659	12,118,477
	4,155,493,242	4,355,209,821	8,516,091,821	8,759,808,357
INTEREST EXPENSE				
Deposit liabilities	1,091,294,666	1,419,749,236	2,381,461,692	2,829,328,345
Lease liabilities	19,183,770	19,464,991	39,140,850	39,144,867
Bills payable	1,040,032	8,681,824	11,699,494	17,706,362
Bonds Payable	—	—	—	20,731,311
	1,111,518,468	1,447,896,051	2,432,302,036	2,906,910,885
NET INTEREST INCOME	3,043,974,774	2,907,313,770	6,083,789,785	5,852,897,472
Service fees and commission income	479,204,169	457,412,685	944,932,507	938,412,789
Service fees and commission expense	18,632,023	14,086,599	37,163,377	30,490,941
NET SERVICE FEES AND COMMISSION INCOME	460,572,146	443,326,086	907,769,130	907,921,848
OTHER OPERATING INCOME (CHARGES)				
Gain on foreclosure and sale of investment properties - net	106,538,733	66,649,880	247,391,553	137,564,454
Gain (loss) on foreclosure and sale of chattel mortgage properties - net	95,099,243	153,868,440	237,739,253	282,176,476
Gain on sale of property and equipment	1,619,432	1,339,575	2,658,273	2,652,379
Foreign exchange gain (loss) - net	(3,185,703)	2,688,833	(1,850,578)	8,913,043
Trading and securities gains (loss) - net	(20,046,581)	448	587,497	229,581
Miscellaneous	140,850,659	147,788,685	266,663,338	289,025,196
	320,875,783	372,335,861	753,189,336	720,561,129
TOTAL OPERATING INCOME	₱3,825,422,703	₱3,722,975,717	₱7,744,748,251	₱7,481,380,449

	For the Quarters ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
OTHER EXPENSES				
Compensation and fringe benefits	₱1,030,205,515	₱959,670,771	₱2,039,136,089	₱1,897,252,444
Taxes and licenses	367,276,574	400,292,303	794,239,661	832,266,436
Depreciation	227,699,959	204,855,330	459,708,570	396,613,952
Provision for credit and impairment losses	202,591,411	262,024,787	346,053,015	762,533,216
Security, messengerial and janitorial services	134,698,667	101,583,257	256,088,654	202,027,816
Occupancy and equipment-related costs	92,570,827	85,267,925	180,249,252	172,810,749
Amortization of intangible assets	26,444,634	25,014,241	50,476,273	52,684,698
Miscellaneous	432,954,784	426,292,045	835,762,900	838,070,131
	2,514,442,371	2,465,000,659	4,961,714,414	5,154,259,442
INCOME BEFORE SHARE IN NET INCOME OF A JOINT VENTURE AND INCOME TAX	1,310,980,332	1,257,975,058	2,783,033,837	2,327,121,007
SHARE IN NET INCOME OF A JOINT VENTURE	20,443,747	22,025,247	42,080,769	70,403,949
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAX	1,331,424,079	1,280,000,305	2,825,114,606	2,397,524,956
PROVISION FOR (BENEFIT FROM) INCOME TAX				
Current	220,905,441	314,381,926	452,055,141	656,523,130
Deferred	(249,196,587)	(225,786,547)	(190,358,192)	(427,287,845)
	(28,291,146)	88,595,379	261,696,949	229,235,285
NET INCOME	₱1,359,715,225	₱1,191,404,926	₱2,563,417,657	₱2,168,289,671
Basic/Diluted Earnings Per Share	₱3.19	₱2.79	₱6.01	₱5.08

PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK**UNAUDITED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**

	For the Quarters Ended June 30		For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
NET INCOME	₱1,359,715,224	₱1,191,404,926	₱2,563,417,657	₱2,168,289,671
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)				
<i>Items that recycle to profit or loss in subsequent periods:</i>				
Equity in Hedge Reserve of Associates and Joint Venture	—	—	(9,707,213)	—
Fair value reserves on debt securities at FVOCI	(55,883,062)	9,636,077	(88,031,749)	33,334,301
Cumulative translation adjustment	683,471	553,484	788,297	(63,779)
	(55,199,591)	10,189,561	(96,950,665)	33,270,522
<i>Items that do not recycle to profit or loss in subsequent periods:</i>				
Equity in remeasurement losses on retirement plan of a joint venture	—	—	(3,757,296)	—
	—	—	(3,757,296)	—
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME, NET OF TAX	₱1,304,515,633	₱1,201,594,487	₱2,462,709,696	₱2,201,560,193

PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK

UNAUDITED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

	Common Stock	Capital Paid in Excess of Par Value	Surplus Reserves	Surplus	Fair Value Reserves on Financial Assets at FVOCI	Remeasurement Losses on Retirement Plan	Equity in Remeasurement Gains on Retirement Plan of a Joint Venture	Equity in Hedge Reserves of a Joint Venture	Cumulative Translation Adjustment	Total
Balance at January 1, 2024	P4,268,594,160	P11,418,563,257	P1,046,398,969	P24,455,554,572	P70,794,457	(P1,129,174,728)	P6,178,352	P9,707,213	P7,541,664	P40,154,157,916
Total comprehensive income for the period	—	—	—	2,563,417,657	(88,031,749)	—	(3,757,296)	(9,707,213)	788,297	2,462,709,696
Cash dividends	—	—	—	(640,289,124)	—	—	—	—	—	(640,289,124)
Balance at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	P4,268,594,160	P11,418,563,257	P1,046,398,969	P26,378,683,105	(P17,237,292)	(P1,129,174,728)	P2,421,056	P—	P8,329,961	P41,976,578,488
Balance at January 1, 2023	P4,268,594,160	P11,418,563,257	P1,043,979,211	P21,207,490,714	(P48,782,635)	(P748,523,773)	P2,877,392	(P12,144,581)	P7,557,479	P37,139,611,224
Total comprehensive income for the period	—	—	—	2,168,289,671	33,334,301	—	—	—	(63,779)	2,201,560,193
Cash dividends	—	—	—	(640,289,124)	—	—	—	—	—	(640,289,124)
Balance at June 30, 2023 (Unaudited)	P4,268,594,160	P11,418,563,257	P1,043,979,211	P22,735,491,261	(P15,448,334)	(P748,523,773)	P2,877,392	(P12,144,581)	P7,493,700	P38,700,882,293

Annex 5

PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK

UNAUDITED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2024	2023
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Income before income tax	₱2,825,114,606	₱2,397,524,956
Adjustments to reconcile income before income tax to net cash provided by operations:		
Provision for credit and impairment losses	346,053,016	762,533,216
Depreciation	459,708,570	396,613,952
Amortization of premium (discount) on financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income and investment securities at amortized cost	(1,529,947,859)	(656,785,357)
Loss on foreclosure and sale of:		
Investment properties	(247,391,553)	(137,564,454)
Chattel mortgage properties	(237,739,253)	(282,176,476)
Amortization of:		
Intangible assets	50,476,273	52,684,698
Debt issuance costs	—	1,550,061
Lease Liabilities	39,140,850	39,144,867
Accretion of modified loans	(23,885,863)	(38,152,129)
Realized (loss) on sale of financial assets at (FVOCI)	(26,574,757)	—
Share in net income of a joint venture	(38,323,473)	(70,403,949)
Fair value loss on fair value through profit or loss investments	(13,852,773)	(3,730)
Loss on sale of property and equipment	(2,658,273)	(2,652,379)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Decrease (increase) in:		
Fair value through profit or loss investments	(569,208,180)	—
Loans and receivables	(8,788,322,449)	(8,990,170,015)
Other assets	84,177	(375,791,017)
Increase (decrease) in:		
Deposit liabilities	(19,353,742,690)	(26,825,061,438)
Treasurer's, cashier's and manager's checks	(54,808,992)	449,664,264
Accrued taxes, interest and other expenses	(402,600,672)	26,483,784
Other liabilities	66,213,983	308,566,270
Cash generated from operations	(27,502,265,312)	(32,943,994,876)
Income taxes paid	(445,057,128)	(635,553,574)
Net cash provided by operating activities	(27,947,322,440)	(33,579,548,450)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchases of:		
Financial assets at FVOCI	(178,345,969,756)	(263,355,540,639)
Investment securities at amortized cost	—	(890,227,702)
Property and equipment	(116,827,604)	(113,370,316)
Other intangible assets	(8,112,221)	(15,999,274)
Proceeds from sale/maturities of:		
Financial assets at FVOCI	203,302,403,928	291,130,330,000
Investment securities at amortized cost	1,260,680,500	—
Chattel mortgage properties	1,654,765,218	789,804,503
Investment properties	453,538,887	392,611,197
Property and equipment	21,214,854	32,408,279
Net cash provided (used) in investing activities	₱28,221,693,805	₱27,970,016,048

(Forward)

	For the Six Months Ended June 30	
	2024	2023
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Settlements of bills payable	(P1,612,676,622)	(P2,698,808,455)
Availments of bills payable	1,340,780,161	2,162,126,583
Settlement of Bonds Payable	–	(4,650,000,000)
Payment of lease liabilities	(257,341,843)	(266,505,206)
Dividends paid	(640,289,124)	(640,289,124)
Net cash provided by financing activities	(1,169,527,428)	(6,093,476,202)
Effect of exchange rate differences	18,807	(1,814)
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(895,137,256)	(11,703,010,418)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD		
Cash and other cash items	1,653,554,961	1,930,720,274
Due from Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas	9,745,633,911	37,553,243,574
Due from other banks	1,765,438,984	2,925,163,812
Interbank loans receivable and securities purchased under resale agreements	6,989,635,680	2,669,609,031
	20,154,263,536	45,078,736,691
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD		
Cash and other cash items	1,825,855,352	1,754,143,512
Due from Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas	7,382,629,685	26,027,292,161
Due from other banks	1,550,641,243	1,646,720,915
Interbank loans receivable and securities purchased under resale agreements	8,500,000,000	3,947,569,685
	P19,259,126,280	P33,375,726,273
OPERATIONAL CASH FLOWS FROM INTEREST		
Interest paid	P2,688,034,213	P2,992,683,396
Interest received	7,071,744,929	8,279,586,096

PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Corporate Information

Philippine Savings Bank (the Bank) was incorporated in the Philippines primarily to engage in savings and mortgage banking. The Bank's shares are listed in the Philippine Stock Exchange (PSE). The Bank offers a wide range of products and services such as deposit products, loans, treasury and trust functions that mainly serve the retail and consumer markets. On September 6, 1991, the Bank was authorized to perform trust functions.

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Bank had 250 branches. The Bank had 274 Automated Teller Machines (ATMs) on-site and 273 off-site, bringing its total number of ATMs to 547 as of June 30, 2024 and 556 as of December 31, 2023.

The Bank's original Certificate of Incorporation was issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on June 30, 1959. On March 28, 2006, the Board of Directors (BOD) of the Bank approved the amendment of Article IV of its Amended Articles of Incorporation to extend the corporate term of the Bank, which expired on June 30, 2009, for another 50 years or up to June 30, 2059. This was subsequently approved by stockholders representing at least two-thirds of the outstanding capital stock of the Bank on April 25, 2006. The Amended Articles of Incorporation was approved by the SEC on September 27, 2006.

On April 27, 2010, by majority vote of the BOD and by stockholders representing two-thirds of the outstanding capital stock, the amendment of Article VI of its Amended Articles of Incorporation reducing the number of directors from a maximum of eleven (11) to a maximum of nine (9) has been approved. This was approved by the SEC on August 26, 2010.

On March 24, 2014, the BOD approved Article III of Articles of Incorporation to specify its principal address from Makati City to PSBank Center, 777 Paseo de Roxas corner Sedeño Street, Makati City 1226. The Amended Articles of Incorporation was approved by the SEC on December 22, 2014.

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, Metropolitan Bank & Trust Company (MBTC), the Bank's ultimate parent, owned eighty-eight percent (88.38%) of the Bank.

2. Significant Accounting Policies**Basis of Preparation**

The accompanying unaudited interim condensed financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Philippine Accounting Standards (PAS) 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*. Accordingly, the interim condensed financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual audited financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the Bank's annual audited financial statements as of December 31, 2023.

The condensed financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis except for financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL) and fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) that have been measured at fair value. The unaudited interim condensed financial statements are presented in Philippine Peso (₱), and all values are rounded to the nearest Philippine Peso, except as otherwise indicated.

The accompanying interim condensed financial statements of the Bank include the accounts maintained in the Regular Banking Unit (RBU) and Foreign Currency Deposit Unit (FCDU). The functional currency of the RBU and FCDU is the Philippine Peso and United States Dollar (USD), respectively. For financial reporting purposes, FCDU accounts and foreign currency-denominated accounts in the RBU are translated into their

equivalents in Philippine peso. The financial statements of these units are combined after eliminating inter-unit accounts.

Statement of Compliance

The accompanying unaudited interim condensed financial statements as of June 30, 2024 and for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 have been prepared in compliance with Philippine Financial Reporting Standards (PFRSs).

Seasonality or Cyclicalities of Interim Operations

Seasonality or cyclicalities of interim operations is not applicable to the Bank's type of business.

Presentation of Financial Statements

The Bank presents its statements of condition in order of liquidity. An analysis regarding recovery of assets or settlement of liabilities within twelve (12) months after the statement of condition date (current) and more than 12 months after the statement of condition date (non-current) is presented in Note 14.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the statements of condition only when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realize the assets and settle the liability simultaneously. The Bank assesses that it has a currently enforceable right of offset if the right is not contingent on a future event, and is legally enforceable in the normal course of business, event of default, and event of solvency or bankruptcy of the Bank and all of the counterparties.

Income and expenses are not offset in the statements of income unless required or permitted by any accounting standard or interpretation, and as specifically disclosed in the accounting policies of the Bank.

Changes in Accounting Policies and Disclosures

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year, except for the adoption of new standards effective as at January 1, 2023. The Bank has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective. Unless otherwise indicated, adoption of these new standards did not have an impact on the financial statements of the Bank.

- Amendments to PAS 1 and PFRS Practice Statement 2, *Disclosure of Accounting Policies*

The amendments provide guidance and examples to help entities apply materiality judgements to accounting policy disclosures. The amendments aim to help entities provide accounting policy disclosures that are more useful by:

- Replacing the requirement for entities to disclose their 'significant' accounting policies with a requirement to disclose their 'material' accounting policies, and
- Adding guidance on how entities apply the concept of materiality in making decisions about accounting policy disclosures.

The amendments to the Practice Statement provide non-mandatory guidance.

- Amendments to PAS 8, *Definition of Accounting Estimates*

The amendments introduce a new definition of accounting estimates and clarify the distinction between changes in accounting estimates and changes in accounting policies and the correction of errors. Also, the amendments clarify that the effects on an accounting estimate of a change in an input or a change in a measurement technique are changes in accounting estimates if they do not result from the correction of prior period errors.

- Amendments to PAS 12, *Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction*

The amendments narrow the scope of the initial recognition exception under PAS 12, so that it no longer applies to transactions that give rise to equal taxable and deductible temporary differences.

The amendments also clarify that where payments that settle a liability are deductible for tax purposes, it is a matter of judgement (having considered the applicable tax law) whether such deductions are attributable for tax purposes to the liability recognized in the financial statements (and interest expense) or to the related asset component (and interest expense).

- Amendments to PAS 12, *International Tax Reform – Pillar Two Model Rules*

The amendments introduce a mandatory exception in PAS 12 from recognizing and disclosing deferred tax assets and liabilities related to Pillar Two income taxes.

The amendments also clarify that PAS 12 applies to income taxes arising from tax law enacted or substantively enacted to implement the Pillar Two Model Rules published by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), including tax law that implements qualified domestic minimum top-up taxes. Such tax legislation, and the income taxes arising from it, are referred to as ‘Pillar Two legislation’ and ‘Pillar Two income taxes’, respectively.

The temporary exception from recognition and disclosure of information about deferred taxes and the requirement to disclose the application of the exception, apply immediately and retrospectively upon adoption of the amendments in June 2023.

Meanwhile, the disclosure of the current tax expense related to Pillar Two income taxes and the disclosures in relation to periods before the legislation is effective are required for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023.

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Foreign Currency Translation

The financial statements are presented in PHP, which is the Bank’s functional and presentation currency.

The books of accounts of the RBU are maintained in PHP, while those of the FCDU are maintained in USD.

RBU

As at reporting date, foreign currency monetary assets and liabilities of the RBU are translated in PHP based on the Bankers Association of the Philippines (BAP) closing rate prevailing at the statement of condition date, and foreign currency-denominated income and expenses, at the exchange rates as at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange differences arising from restatements of foreign currency-denominated assets and liabilities in the RBU are credited to or charged against profit or loss in the year in which the rates change. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates as at the dates of the initial transactions. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value is determined.

FCDU

As at reporting date, the assets and liabilities of the FCDU are translated to the Bank’s presentation currency (PHP) at the BAP closing rate prevailing at the statement of condition date, and its income and expenses are translated using the exchange rates as at the dates of the transactions. Exchange differences arising on translation to the presentation currency are taken to the statements of comprehensive income under ‘Cumulative translation adjustment’. Upon disposal of the FCDU or upon actual remittance of FCDU profits to RBU, the deferred cumulative amount recognized in the statements of comprehensive income is recognized in the statements of income.

Fair Value Measurement

The Bank measures financial instruments, such as FVTPL investments, financial assets at FVOCI and derivative financial instruments, at fair value at each statement of condition date. Also, fair values of financial instruments measured at amortized cost and non-financial assets such as investment properties are disclosed in Note 3.

Fair value is the estimated 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. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- in the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- in the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The principal or most advantageous market must be accessible to the Bank.

The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

If an asset or a liability measured at fair value has a bid price and an ask price (e.g., an input from a dealer market), the price between the bid-ask spread that is most representative of fair value in the circumstances shall be used to measure fair value regardless of where the input is categorized within the fair value hierarchy.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Bank uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximizing the use of relevant observable inputs and minimizing the use of unobservable inputs.

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorized within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1 - Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- Level 2 - Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable
- Level 3 - Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable

For assets and liabilities that are recognized in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Bank determines whether transfers have occurred between Levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorization (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Bank has determined classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset and liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy as explained above.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of reporting cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include cash and other cash items, due from BSP and other banks, interbank loans receivable and securities purchased under resale agreements (SPURA) that are convertible to known amounts of cash which have original maturities of three months or less from date of placements and that are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. Due from BSP includes the statutory reserves required by the BSP which the Bank considers as cash equivalents as withdrawals can be made to meet the Bank's cash requirements as allowed by the BSP.

Financial Instruments - Initial Recognition and Subsequent Measurement

Date of recognition

Purchases or sales of financial assets, except for derivatives, that require delivery of assets within the time frame established by regulation or convention in the marketplace are recognized on the settlement date.

Derivative financial instruments are recognized on a trade date basis. Deposits, amounts due to banks and loans and receivables are recognized when cash is received by the Bank or advanced to the borrowers.

Initial recognition of financial instruments

All financial instruments are initially measured at fair value. Except for financial assets and financial liabilities at FVTPL, the initial measurement of financial instruments includes transaction costs.

‘Day 1’ difference

Where the transaction price in a non-active market is different from the fair value from other observable current market transactions in the same instrument or based on a valuation technique whose variables include only data from observable market, the Bank recognizes the difference between the transaction price and fair value (a ‘Day 1’ difference) in the statement of income. In cases where the transaction price used is made of data which is not observable, the difference between the transaction price and model value is only recognized in the statement of income when the inputs become observable or when the instrument is derecognized. For each transaction, the Bank determines the appropriate method of recognizing the ‘Day 1’ difference amount.

Financial Instruments – Classification and Subsequent Measurement

Financial assets are measured at FVTPL unless these are measured at FVOCI or at amortized cost. Financial liabilities are classified as either financial liabilities at FVTPL or financial liabilities at amortized cost. The classification of financial assets depends on the contractual terms and the business model for managing the financial assets. Subsequent to initial recognition, the Bank may reclassify its financial assets only when there is a change in its business model for managing these financial assets. Reclassification of financial liabilities is not allowed.

The Bank determines its business model at the level that best reflects how it manages groups of financial assets to achieve its business objective. The Bank’s business model is not assessed on an instrument-by-instrument basis, but at a higher level of aggregated portfolios. As a second step of its classification process, the Bank assesses the contractual terms of financial assets to identify whether they pass the contractual cash flows test (SPPI test).

Investments at FVTPL

Financial assets or financial liabilities at FVTPL

Financial assets and financial liabilities at FVTPL include financial assets and financial liabilities held for trading purposes and derivative instruments.

Financial instruments held-for-trading

Financial assets or financial liabilities held for trading (HFT) are recorded in the statements of condition at fair value. Included in this classification are debt securities which have been acquired principally for the purpose of selling in the near term. Changes in fair value relating to the HFT positions are recognized in ‘Trading and securities gains (losses) - net’. Interest earned or incurred is recorded as interest income or expense, respectively, while dividend income is recorded in other operating income under ‘Miscellaneous’ when the right to receive payment has been established.

Derivatives recorded at FVTPL

Derivative financial instruments are initially recorded at fair value on the date at which the derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently re-measured at fair value. Any gains or losses arising from changes in fair values of derivatives (except those accounted for as cash flow hedges) are taken directly to the statements of income and are included in ‘Foreign exchange gain - net’. Derivatives are carried as assets when the fair value is positive and as liabilities when the fair value is negative. As of June 30, 2024 and 2023, derivatives consist of Republic of the Philippines (ROP) paired warrants acquired to manage the Bank’s foreign currency risk, lower the risk-weighted assets and improve the capital adequacy ratio of the Bank.

Financial assets at FVOCI

Financial assets at FVOCI include debt and equity securities. After initial measurement, investment securities at FVOCI are subsequently measured at fair value. The unrealized gains and losses arising from the fair valuation of financial assets at FVOCI are excluded, net of tax as applicable, from the reported earnings and are included in the statements of comprehensive income as ‘Fair value reserves on financial assets at FVOCI’.

Debt securities at FVOCI are those that meet both of the following conditions: (i) the asset is held within a business model whose objective is to hold the financial assets in order to both collect contractual cash flows and sell financial assets; and (ii) the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are SPPI on the outstanding principal amount. The effective yield component of debt securities at FVOCI,

as well as the impact of restatements on foreign currency-denominated debt securities at FVOCI, is reported in the statements of income. Interest earned on holding debt securities at FVOCI are reported as 'Interest income' using the effective interest method. When the debt securities at FVOCI are disposed of, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognized in the statements of comprehensive income is recognized as 'Trading and securities gain (loss) - net' in the statements of income. The ECL arising from impairment of such investments are recognized in OCI with a corresponding charge to 'Provision for credit and impairment losses' in the statements of income.

Equity securities designated at FVOCI are those that the Bank made an irrevocable election to present in OCI the subsequent changes in fair value. Dividends earned on holding equity securities at FVOCI are recognized in the statements of income as 'Dividends' when the right to receive payment has been established, except when the Bank benefits from such proceeds as a recovery of part of the cost of the instrument, in which case, such gains are recorded in OCI. Gains and losses on disposal of these equity securities are never recycled to profit or loss, but the cumulative gain or loss previously recognized in the statements of comprehensive income is reclassified to 'Surplus' or any other appropriate equity account upon disposal. Equity securities at FVOCI are not subject to impairment assessment.

Financial assets at amortized cost

Financial assets at amortized cost are debt financial assets that meet both of the following conditions: (i) these are held within a business model whose objective is to hold the financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows; and (ii) the contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are SPPI on the outstanding principal amount. This accounting policy relates to the statements of condition captions 'Due from BSP', 'Due from other banks', 'Interbank loans receivable and SPURA', 'Investment securities at amortized cost' and 'Loans and receivables'.

After initial measurement, financial assets at amortized cost are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method, less impairment in value. Amortized cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees that are an integral part of the effective interest rate (EIR). The amortization is included in 'Interest income' in the statements of income. Gains and losses are recognized in statements of income when these investments are derecognized or impaired, as well as through the amortization process. The ECL are recognized in the statements of income under 'Provision for credit and impairment losses'. The effects of revaluation on foreign currency denominated investments are recognized in the statements of income.

Other financial liabilities carried at amortized cost

This category represents issued financial instruments or their components, which are not designated at FVTPL and comprises deposit liabilities, bills payable, subordinated notes, treasurer's, cashier's and manager's checks, accrued interest payable, accrued other expenses payable, accounts payable, bills purchased-contra, other credits, dividends payable, deposits for keys-safety deposit boxes (SDB), and overages, where the substance of the contractual arrangement results in the Bank having an obligation either to deliver cash or another financial asset to the holder, or to satisfy the obligation other than by the exchange of a fixed amount of cash or another financial asset for a fixed number of own equity shares.

After initial measurement, financial liabilities not qualified and not designated as FVTPL are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest amortization method. Amortized cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on the issue and fees that are an integral part of the EIR.

A compound financial instrument which contains both a liability and an equity component is separated at the issue date. A portion of the net proceeds of the instrument is allocated to the debt component on the date of issue based on its fair value (which is generally determined based on quoted market prices for similar debt instruments). The residual amount determined after deducting the fair value of the debt component is assigned to the equity component. The value of any derivative features (such as a call option) embedded in the compound financial instrument other than the equity component is included in the debt component.

Financial Guarantees and Undrawn Loan Commitments

The Bank issues financial guarantees and loan commitments. Financial guarantees are those issued by the Bank to creditors as allowed under existing rules and regulations whereby it guarantees third party obligations by signing as guarantor in the contract/agreement. Undrawn loan commitments and letters of credit are commitments under which over the duration of the commitment, the Bank is required to provide a loan with

pre-specified terms to the customer. The nominal contractual value of financial guarantees and undrawn loan commitments, where the loan agreed to be provided is on market terms, are not recorded in the statement of financial position. These contracts are in the scope of the ECL requirements where the Bank estimates the expected portion of the undrawn loan commitments that will be drawn over their expected life. The ECL related to financial guarantees and undrawn loan commitments is recognized in 'Miscellaneous liabilities' under 'Other liabilities'.

Derecognition of Financial Assets and Liabilities

Financial assets

A financial asset (or, where applicable a part of a financial asset or part of a group of financial assets) is primarily derecognized when:

- the rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired;
- the Bank retains the right to receive cash flows from the asset, but has assumed an obligation to pay them in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement;
- the Bank has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset and either:
 - a. the Bank has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset or
 - b. the Bank has neither transferred nor retained the risks and rewards of the asset but has transferred control over the asset.

Where the Bank has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a 'pass-through' arrangement, and has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset nor is transferred control over the asset, the asset recognized to the extent of the Bank's continuing involvement in the asset. In this case, the Bank also recognizes an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Bank has retained.

Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Bank could be required to repay.

Financial assets are written off either partially or in their entirety only when the Bank has stopped pursuing the recovery. If a write-off is later recovered, any amounts formerly charged are credited to 'Recovery on charged-off assets' under 'Miscellaneous income' in the statements of income.

Modification of financial assets

The Bank derecognizes a financial asset when the terms and conditions have been renegotiated to the extent that, substantially, it becomes a new asset, with the difference between its carrying amount and the fair value of the new asset recognized as a derecognition gain or loss in profit or loss, to the extent that an impairment loss has not already been recorded.

The Bank considers both qualitative and quantitative factors in assessing whether a modification of financial asset is substantial or not. When assessing whether a modification is substantial, the Bank considers the following factors, among others:

- Change in currency
- Introduction of an equity feature
- Change in counterparty
- If the modification results in the asset no longer considered "solely payment for principal and interest"

The Bank also performs a quantitative assessment similar to that being performed for modification of financial liabilities. In performing the quantitative assessment, the Bank considers the new terms of a financial asset to be substantially different if the present value of the cash flows under the new terms, including any fees paid net of any fees received and discounted using the original effective interest rate, is at least 10% different from the present value of the remaining cash flows of the original financial asset.

When the contractual cash flows of a financial asset are renegotiated or otherwise modified and the renegotiation or modification does not result in the derecognition of that financial asset, the Bank recalculates the gross carrying amount of the financial asset as the present value of the renegotiated or modified contractual cash flows discounted at the original EIR (or credit-adjusted EIR for purchased or originated credit-impaired financial assets) and recognizes a modification gain or loss in the statement of income.

When the modification of a financial asset results in the derecognition of the existing financial asset and the subsequent recognition of a new financial asset, the modified asset is considered a 'new' financial asset. Accordingly, the date of the modification shall be treated as the date of initial recognition of that financial asset when applying the impairment requirements to the modified financial asset. The newly recognized financial asset is classified as Stage 1 for ECL measurement purposes, unless the new financial asset is deemed to be originated as credit impaired (POCI).

Financial liabilities

A financial liability (or a part of a financial liability) is derecognized when the obligation under the liability is discharged, cancelled or has expired. Where an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability or a part of it are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as a derecognition of the original financial liability and the recognition of a new financial liability, and the difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognized in the statement of income.

Repurchase and Reverse Repurchase Agreements

Securities sold under agreements to repurchase (SSURA) at a specified future date ('repos') are not derecognized from the statements of condition as the Bank retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership. The corresponding cash received, including accrued interest, is recognized in the statements of condition as a loan to the Bank under 'Bills payable', reflecting the economic substance of such transaction.

Conversely, SPURA at a specified future date ('reverse repos') are not recognized in the statements of condition. The consideration paid, including accrued interest, is recognized in the statements of condition as SPURA, and is considered a loan to the counterparty. The difference between the purchase price and resale price is treated as interest income and is accrued over the life of the agreement using the effective interest amortization method.

Reclassification of Financial Assets

The Bank reclassifies its financial assets when there is a change in its business model for managing financial assets. A change in business model occurs when the Bank either begins or ceases to perform an activity that is significant to its operations. The Bank applies the reclassification prospectively from the reclassification date and does not restate any previously recognized gains, losses or interest.

Impairment of Financial Assets

PFRS 9 requires the Bank to record ECL for all loans and other debt financial assets not classified as at FVTPL, together with loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts.

Expected credit loss methodology

ECL represent credit losses that reflect an unbiased and probability-weighted amount which is determined by evaluating a range of possible outcomes, the time value of money and reasonable and supportable information about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions. The objective is to record lifetime losses on all financial instruments which have experienced a significant increase in credit risk (SICR) since their initial recognition. As a result, ECL allowances are now measured at amounts equal to either (i) 12-month ECL or (ii) lifetime ECL for those financial instruments which have experienced a SICR since initial recognition (General Approach). The 12-month ECL is the portion of lifetime ECL that results from default events on a financial instrument that are possible within the 12 months after the reporting date. Lifetime ECL are credit losses that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument. In comparison, the previous incurred loss model recognizes lifetime credit losses only when there is objective evidence of impairment.

In select circumstances, accounts are individually assessed to ensure that provisions are appropriate and adequate. Manual loan classification reviews additional qualitative factors and prescribes much higher provisions that is based on portfolio historical experience.

Staging assessment

For non-credit-impaired financial instruments:

- Stage 1 is comprised of all non-impaired financial instruments which have not experienced a SICR since initial recognition. The Bank recognizes a 12-month ECL for Stage 1 financial instruments.

- Stage 2 is comprised of all non-impaired financial instruments which have experienced a SICR since initial recognition. The Bank recognizes a lifetime ECL for Stage 2 financial instruments.

For credit-impaired financial instruments:

- Financial instruments are classified as Stage 3 when there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more loss events that have occurred after initial recognition with a negative impact on the estimated future cash flows of a loan or a portfolio of loans. The ECL model requires that lifetime ECL be recognized for impaired financial instruments.

Definition of “default” and “cure”

As a part of a qualitative assessment of whether a customer is in default, the Bank considers a variety of instances that may indicate unlikelihood to pay. The Bank’s definition of default is aligned with the non-performing loan criteria as prescribed in BSP Circular No. 941. Defaults refer to loans, investments, receivables, or any financial asset, even without any missed contractual payments, that satisfy any of the following conditions (1) impaired under existing accounting standards, (2) classified as doubtful or loss, (3) in litigation, (4) and/or there is evidence that full repayment of principal and interest is unlikely without foreclosure of collateral, if any. All other loans, even if not considered impaired, shall be considered non-performing if any principal and/or interest are unpaid for more than ninety (90) days from contractual due date, or accrued interests for more than ninety (90) days have been capitalized, refinanced, or delayed by agreement. Restructured loans shall be considered non-performing. However, if prior to restructuring, the loans were categorized as performing, such classification shall be retained. Defaults are characterized by financial assets that have objective evidence of impairment at the reporting date and as such classified under Stage 3 ECL treatment.

An instrument is considered to be no longer in default, i.e., to have cured, when it no longer meets any of the default criteria above and there is sufficient evidence to support full collection thru payments received for at least 6 months. Cured accounts are classified under Stage 1 ECL treatment.

Significant increase in credit risk (SICR)

The criteria for determining whether credit risk has increased significantly vary by portfolio and include quantitative changes in probabilities of default and qualitative factors, including a backstop based on delinquency. The credit risk of a particular exposure is deemed to have increased significantly since initial recognition if, based on the Bank’s quantitative models, the borrower or counterparty’s credit rating has deteriorated by at least 2 notches. On the other hand, if based on the Bank’s internal credit assessment, the borrower or counterparty is determined to require close monitoring or with well-defined credit weaknesses, then credit risk may have significantly increased as well. Moreover, if contractual payments are more than 30 days past due threshold, the credit risk is deemed to have increased significantly since initial recognition. Days past due are determined by counting the number of days since the earliest elapsed due date in respect of which amortized payment has not been received. Due dates are determined without considering any grace period that might be available to the borrower. In subsequent reporting periods, if the credit risk of the financial instrument improves such that there is no longer a SICR since initial recognition, the Bank shall revert to recognizing a 12-month ECL.

ECL parameters and methodologies

ECL is a function of the probability of default (PD), exposure at default (EAD) and loss given default (LGD) with each of the parameter independently modelled.

The PD represents the likelihood that a credit exposure will not be repaid and will go into default in either a 12-month horizon for Stage 1 or lifetime horizon for Stage 2. The PD for each individual instrument is modelled based on historical data and is estimated based on current market conditions and reasonable and supportable information about future economic conditions. The Bank segmented its credit exposures based on homogenous risk characteristics and developed a corresponding PD methodology for each portfolio. The PD methodology for each relevant portfolio is determined based on the underlying nature or characteristic of the portfolio, behavior of the accounts and materiality of the segment as compared to the total portfolio.

EAD is modelled on historical data and represents an estimate of the outstanding amount of credit exposure at the time a default may occur. For off-balance sheet and undrawn amounts, EAD includes an estimate of any further amounts to be drawn at the time of default. LGD is the amount that may not be recovered in the event of default and is modelled based on historical cash flow recovery and reasonable and supportable information

about future economic conditions, where appropriate. LGD takes into consideration the amount and quality of any collateral held.

Economic overlays and multiple economic scenarios

The Bank incorporates economic overlays into the measurement of ECL to add a forward-looking risk measure parallel to multiple future macroeconomic atmosphere expectations. A broad range of economic indicators were considered for the economic inputs, such as GDP, GIR change, CPI change, PSE indices, foreign exchange rates and other BSP statistical indicators. The inputs and models used for calculating ECL may not always capture all characteristics of the market at the date of the financial statements. To address this, quantitative adjustments or overlays are occasionally made as temporary adjustments when such differences are significantly material.

The Bank's loans and receivables consist of different portfolios, such as consumption, real estate, commercial and personal loans, as well as other receivables (e.g., sales contract receivables). In compliance with PFRS 9, the Bank developed ECL parameters and methodologies for each portfolio, using historical data as well as forward-looking inputs and assumptions.

Restructured loans

In certain circumstances, the Bank modifies the original terms and conditions of a credit exposure to form a new loan agreement or payment schedule. The modifications can be given depending on the borrower's or counterparty's current or expected financial difficulty. The modifications may include, but are not limited to, changes in maturity date, principal amount from capitalization of accrued interest, terms and conditions from conversion/consolidation or interest rates/repricing cycle that results in an extension in the loan maturity. Distressed restructuring with indications of unlikelihood to pay are categorized as impaired accounts and are initially moved to Stage 3.

The Bank implements a curing policy for restructured accounts compliant with BSP Circular No. 1011. Restructured accounts that have exhibited improvements in creditworthiness may be moved from Stage 3 after a total of one-year probation period. These accounts are transferred to Stage 2 after six months of full payments and consequently transferred to Stage 1 after making the next six months of full payments.

Management continuously reviews restructured loans to ensure that all criteria are met and that future payments are likely to occur. The loans continue to be subjected to an individual or collective impairment assessment, calculated using the loan's original EIR if the original loan has a fixed interest rate and the current repriced rate if the original loan is repriceable. The difference between the recorded value of the original loan and the present value of the restructured cash flows, discounted at the applicable interest rate, is recognized in 'Provision for credit and impairment losses' in the statements of income.

Investment in a Joint Venture

A joint venture is a type of joint arrangement whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the net assets of the joint venture. Joint control is the contractually agreed sharing of control of an arrangement, which exists only when decisions about the relevant activities require unanimous consent of the parties sharing control.

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

The Bank's investment in its joint venture is accounted for using the equity method. Under the equity method, the investment in a joint venture is initially recognized at cost. The carrying amount of the investment is adjusted to recognize changes in the Bank's share of net assets of the joint venture since the acquisition date. Goodwill relating to the joint venture is included in the carrying amount of the investment and is neither amortized nor individually tested for impairment.

The statement of income reflects the Bank's share of the results of operations of the joint venture. Any change in OCI of those investees is presented as part of the Bank's OCI. In addition, when there has been a change recognized directly in the equity of the joint venture, the Bank recognizes its share of any changes, when applicable, in the statement of changes in equity. Unrealized gains and losses resulting from transactions between the Bank and joint venture are eliminated to the extent of the interest in the joint venture.

The aggregate of the Bank's share of profit or loss of a joint venture is shown on the face of the statement of income outside operating profit and represents profit or loss after tax and non-controlling interests in the subsidiaries of the joint venture.

The financial statements of a joint venture are prepared for the same reporting period as the Bank. The length of the reporting period is the same from period to period. When necessary, adjustments are made to bring the accounting policies in line with those of the Bank.

After application of the equity method, the Bank determines whether it is necessary to recognize an impairment loss on its investment in its joint venture. At each statement of condition date, the Bank determines whether there is objective evidence that the investment in the joint venture is impaired. If there is such evidence, the Bank calculates the amount of impairment as the difference between the recoverable amount of the joint venture and its carrying value, then recognizes the loss as 'Share in net income of a joint venture' in the statements of income.

Upon loss of joint control over the joint venture, the Bank measures and recognizes any retained investment at its fair value. Any difference between the carrying amount of the joint venture upon loss of joint control and the fair value of the retained investment and proceeds from disposal is recognized in profit or loss.

Property and Equipment

Land is stated at cost less any impairment in value, while depreciable properties, including building, furniture, fixtures and equipment, and leasehold improvements, are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. The initial cost of property and equipment consists of its purchase price and any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to its working condition and location for its intended use. Expenditures incurred after the assets have been put into operation, such as repairs and maintenance, are normally charged against profit or loss in the year in which the costs are incurred. In situations where it can be clearly demonstrated that the expenditures have resulted in an increase in the future economic benefits expected to be obtained from the use of property and equipment beyond its originally assessed standard of performance, the expenditures are capitalized as additional cost of property and equipment.

Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line method to write down the cost of the property and equipment to their residual values over their estimated useful lives. Land is not depreciated. The estimated useful lives are as follows:

Buildings	25-50 years
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	3-5 years, depending on the type of assets
Leasehold improvements	5 years or the term of the related lease, whichever is shorter

The assets' residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each financial year-end to ensure that these are consistent with the expected pattern of economic benefits from the items of property and equipment.

An item of property and equipment is derecognized upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the statement of income in the year the asset is derecognized.

The carrying values of property and equipment are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable. If any such indication exists and where the carrying values exceed the estimated recoverable amount, the asset is written down to its recoverable amount.

Leases

Bank as lessee

The Bank assesses at contract inception whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. That is, if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. The Bank applies a single recognition and measurement approach for all leases, except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets. The Bank recognizes lease liabilities to make lease payments and right-of-use assets representing the right to use the underlying assets.

i. *Right-of-use assets*

The Bank recognizes right-of-use assets (included in 'Property and Equipment') at the commencement date of the lease (i.e., the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities. The cost of right-of-use assets includes the amount of lease liabilities recognized, initial direct costs incurred, and lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received. Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight line basis over the shorter of the lease term and estimated useful lives of the assets as follows:

Office space and warehouses	1 to 20 years
ATM space	1 to 3 years

ii. *Lease liabilities*

At the commencement date of the lease, the Bank recognizes lease liabilities measured at the present value of lease payments to be made over the lease term. The lease payments include fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, and amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees. The lease payments also include the exercise price of a purchase option reasonably certain to be exercised by the Bank and payments of penalties for terminating a lease, if the lease term reflects the Bank exercising the option to terminate. Variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are recognized as expense (unless they are incurred to produce inventories) in the period on which the event or condition that triggers the payment occurs.

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Bank uses its incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date because the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable. After the commencement date, the amount of lease liabilities is increased to reflect the accretion of interest and reduced for the lease payments made. In addition, the carrying amount of lease liabilities is remeasured if there is a modification, a change in the lease term, a change in the lease payments (e.g., changes to future payments resulting from a change in an index or rate used to determine such lease payments) or a change in the assessment of an option to purchase the underlying asset.

The Bank recognizes right-of-use assets and lease liabilities, except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets. The right-of-use assets were recognized based on the amount equal to the lease liabilities, adjusted for any related prepaid and accrued lease payments previously recognized. Lease liabilities are recognized based on the present value of the remaining lease payments, discounted using the incremental borrowing rate at the date of initial application.

Determining the lease term of contracts with renewal options

The Bank determines the lease term as the non-cancellable term of the lease, together with any periods covered by an option to extend the lease if it is reasonably certain to be exercised, or any periods covered by an option to terminate the lease, if it is reasonably certain not to be exercised.

After the commencement date, the Bank reassesses the lease term if there is a significant event or change in circumstances that are within its control and affects its ability to exercise (or not to exercise) the option to renew (e.g., a change in business strategy).

The Bank's lease liabilities are included in 'Other Liabilities'.

iii. *Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets*

The Bank applies the short-term lease recognition exemption to its short-term leases of office equipment (i.e., those leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less from the commencement date and do not contain a purchase option). It also applies the lease of low-value assets recognition exemption to leases of ATMs and office equipment that are considered of low value (i.e., ₱250,000 and below). Lease payments on short-term leases and leases of low-value assets are recognized as expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Investment Properties

Investment properties are measured initially at cost, including transaction costs. An investment property acquired through an exchange transaction is measured at the fair value of the asset acquired unless the fair value of such asset cannot be measured, in which case the investment property acquired is measured at the carrying amount of the asset given up. The difference between the fair value of the asset received and the carrying amount of the asset given up is recorded as 'Gain on foreclosure of real assets and other properties acquired' under 'Gain on foreclosure and sale of investment properties'. Foreclosed properties are classified under investment properties from foreclosure date. Expenditures incurred after the investment properties are recognized, such as repairs and maintenance costs, are normally charged to income in the period in which the costs are incurred.

Subsequent to initial recognition, investment properties are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment in value, except for land which is stated at cost less impairment in value. Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line method over the remaining useful lives from the time of acquisition of the investment properties. The estimated useful life of building and condominium units ranges from 10 to 40 years.

Investment properties are derecognized when they have either been disposed of or when the investment property is permanently withdrawn from use and no future benefit is expected from its disposal. Any gains or losses on the retirement or disposal of an investment property are recognized in the statement of income in 'Gain on foreclosure and sale of investment properties - net' in the year of retirement or disposal.

Transfers are made to investment properties when, and only when, there is a change in use evidenced by ending of owner occupation, commencement of an operating lease to another party or ending of construction or development. Transfers are made from investment properties when, and only when, there is a change in use evidenced by commencement of owner occupation or commencement of development with a view to sale.

Chattel Mortgage Properties

Chattel mortgage properties comprise of repossessed vehicles. Chattel mortgage properties are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment in value. Chattel mortgage properties acquired are initially recognized at fair value. Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line method over the remaining useful lives from the time of acquisition of the vehicles. The useful lives of chattel mortgage properties are estimated to be five years.

Chattel mortgage properties are derecognized when they have either been disposed of or when the chattel mortgage property is permanently withdrawn from use and no future benefit is expected from its disposal.

Any gains or losses on disposal of chattel mortgage properties are recognized in the statements of income under 'Gain (loss) on foreclosure and sale of chattel mortgage properties- net' in the year of disposal.

Intangible Assets

The Bank's intangible assets include branch licenses and computer software. An intangible asset is recognized only when the cost can be measured reliably, and it is probable that the expected future economic benefits that are attributable to it will flow to the Bank.

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost. The cost of intangible assets acquired in a business combination is its fair value as at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortization and any accumulated impairment losses. Internally generated intangible assets, excluding capitalized development costs, are not capitalized and expenditure is reflected in the statements of income in the year in which the expenditure is incurred.

The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed to be either finite or indefinite. Intangible assets with finite lives are amortized over the useful economic life and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible assets may be impaired. The amortization period and the amortization method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at least at each financial year-end. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset is accounted for by changing the amortization period or method, as appropriate, and they are treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortization expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognized in the statements of income under 'Amortization of intangible assets'.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are tested for impairment annually either individually or at the cash-generating unit (CGU) level. Such intangibles are not amortized. The useful life of an intangible asset with an indefinite life is reviewed annually to determine whether indefinite life assessment continues to be supportable. If not, the change in the useful life assessment from indefinite to finite is made on a prospective basis.

Gains or losses arising from the derecognition of an intangible asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognized in the statements of income when the asset is derecognized.

Branch licenses

Branch licenses arise from the acquisition of branches from local banks and licenses to operate new branches from the BSP. Branch licenses have indefinite useful lives and are tested for impairment on an annual basis.

Software costs

Software costs are carried at cost less accumulated amortization and any impairment in value. Given the history of rapid changes in technology, computer software are susceptible to technological obsolescence. Therefore, it is likely that their useful life is short. Software costs are amortized on a straight-line basis over five years but maybe shorter depending on the period over which the Bank expects to use the asset.

Impairment of Non-financial Assets

Property and equipment, investment properties and chattel mortgage properties

At each statement of condition date, the Bank assesses whether there is any indication that its non-financial assets may be impaired. When an indicator of impairment exists or when an annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Bank makes a formal estimate of the recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or CGU's fair value less costs to sell and its value in use and is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets, in which case the recoverable amount is assessed as part of the CGU to which it belongs. Where the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less cost to sell, an appropriate valuation model is used. These calculations are corroborated by valuation multiples and other available fair value indicators.

An impairment loss is charged to operations in the year in which it arises.

An assessment is made at each statement of condition date as to whether there is any indication that previously recognized impairment losses may no longer exist or may have decreased. If such indication exists, the Bank estimates the asset's or CGU's recoverable amount. A previously recognized impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognized. The reversal is limited so that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its recoverable amount, nor exceeds the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been previously recognized. Such reversal is recognized in the statement of income. After such reversal, the depreciation expense is adjusted in future years to allocate the asset's revised carrying amount, less any residual value, on a systematic basis over its remaining life.

Goodwill

Goodwill is reviewed for impairment, annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

Impairment is determined for goodwill by assessing the recoverable amount of the CGU (or group of CGU) to which the goodwill relates. Where the recoverable amount of the CGU (or group of CGU) is less than the carrying amount of the CGU (or group of CGU) to which goodwill has been allocated, an impairment loss is recognized immediately in the statements of income. Impairment losses relating to goodwill cannot be reversed for subsequent increases in its recoverable amount in future periods. The Bank performs its annual impairment test of goodwill as at December 31 of each year.

Intangible assets

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are tested for impairment annually as at December 31 of each year, either individually or at the CGU level, as appropriate.

Intangible assets with finite lives are assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired.

Investment in a joint venture

After application of the equity method, the Bank determines whether it is necessary to recognize an impairment loss on the Bank's investment in a joint venture. The Bank determines at each statement of condition date whether there is any objective evidence that the investment a joint venture is impaired. If this is the case, the Bank calculates the amount of impairment as being the difference between the fair value of the investment in the joint venture and the carrying amount and recognizes such amount in the statements of income.

Common Stock

Common stocks are recorded at par. Proceeds in excess of par value are recognized under equity as 'Capital paid in excess of par value' in the statements of condition. Incremental costs incurred which are directly attributable to the issuance of new shares are shown in equity as a deduction from proceeds, net of tax.

Revenue Recognition

Revenue from contracts with customers is recognized upon transfer of services to the customer at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Bank expects to be entitled in exchange for those services.

The Bank assesses its revenue arrangements against specific criteria in order to determine if it is acting as a principal or agent. The Bank concluded that it is acting as a principal in all of its revenue arrangements.

Service fees and commission income

Fees or components of fees that are linked to a certain performance are recognized after fulfilling the corresponding criteria. These fees include remittance fees, commissions, deposit-related and other credit-related fees.

Income from sale of property and equipment, investment property and chattel mortgage properties

Income from sale of property and equipment, investment property and chattel mortgage properties is included in the profit or loss when the property is derecognized. The gain or loss arising from the derecognition of the property is determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and its carrying amount on the date of the transaction.

Revenue outside the scope of PFRS 15

Interest income

For all financial instruments measured at amortized cost and interest-bearing financial instruments classified as financial assets at FVOCI investments, interest income is recorded at the EIR, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial instrument or a shorter period, where appropriate, to the net carrying amount of the financial asset. The calculation takes into account all contractual terms of the financial instrument (for example, prepayment options), including any fees or incremental costs that are directly attributable to the instrument and are an integral part of the EIR.

The carrying amount of the financial asset or financial liability is adjusted if the Bank revises its estimates of payments or receipts. The adjusted carrying amount is calculated based on the original EIR and the change in carrying amount is recorded as 'Interest income'.

Under PFRS 9, when a financial asset becomes credit-impaired and is, therefore, regarded as Stage 3 (as discussed in "Impairment of Financial Assets" above), the Bank calculates interest income by applying the EIR to the net amortized cost of the financial asset. If the financial asset cures and is no longer credit-impaired, the Bank reverts to calculating interest income on a gross basis.

Recovery on charged-off assets

Income arising from collections on accounts or recoveries from impairment of items previously written off are recognized in the year of recovery.

Trading and securities gains (losses) - net

Trading and securities gain (loss) represents results arising from trading activities, including all gains and losses from changes in the fair values of FVTPL investments. It also includes gains and losses realized from sale of debt securities at FVOCI.

Realized gains and losses on disposals of FVTPL investments are calculated using weighted average method. It represents the difference between an instrument's initial carrying amount and disposal amount.

Gain on disposal of investments securities at amortized cost

Gain on disposal of investment securities at amortized cost represents gain realized from sale of peso-denominated debt securities measured at amortized cost.

Rental income

Rental income arising from leased properties is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the lease terms of ongoing leases and is recorded in the statements of income under 'Miscellaneous' in other operating income.

Expense Recognition

Expenses are recognized when it is probable that a decrease in future economic benefit related to a decrease in an asset or an increase in liability has occurred and the decrease in economic benefits can be measured reliably. Revenues and expenses that relate to the same transaction or other event are recognized simultaneously.

Interest expense

Interest expense for all interest-bearing financial liabilities are recognized in 'Interest expense' in the statements of income using the EIR of the financial liabilities to which they relate.

Other expense

Expenses encompass losses as well as those expenses that arise in the ordinary course of business of the Bank. Expenses are recognized when incurred.

Goodwill

Goodwill acquired in a business combination is initially measured at cost being the excess of the acquisition cost over the share in the net fair value of the acquired identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities. The Bank's goodwill arose from past purchases of branch business/offices from the Parent Company. After initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses.

Retirement Cost

Defined benefit plan

The net defined benefit liability or asset is the aggregate of the present value of the defined benefit obligation at the statement of condition date reduced by the fair value of plan assets, adjusted for any effect of limiting a net defined benefit asset to the asset ceiling. The present value of the defined benefit obligation is calculated annually by an independent actuary. The asset ceiling is the present value of any economic benefits available in the form of refunds from the plan or reductions in future contributions to the plan.

The cost of providing benefits under the defined benefit plan is actuarially determined using the projected unit credit method.

Defined benefit costs comprise the following:

- a. service cost;
- b. net interest on the net defined benefit liability or asset; and
- c. remeasurements of net defined benefit liability or asset.

Service costs, which include current service costs, past service costs and gains or losses on non-routine settlements are recognized as expense in profit or loss. Past service costs are recognized when plan amendment or curtailment occurs. These amounts are calculated periodically by independent qualified actuaries.

Net interest on the net defined benefit liability or asset is the change during the period in the net defined benefit liability or asset that arises from the passage of time which is determined by applying the discount rate based on Philippine government bonds to the net defined benefit liability or asset. Net interest on the net defined benefit liability or asset is recognized as expense or income in profit or loss.

Remeasurements comprising actuarial gains and losses, return on plan assets and any change in the effect of the asset ceiling (excluding net interest on defined benefit liability) are recognized immediately in OCI in the period in which they arise. Remeasurements are not reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods.

Plan assets are assets that are held by a long-term employee benefit fund or qualifying insurance policies. Plan assets are not available to the creditors of the Bank, nor can they be paid directly to the Bank. The fair value of plan assets is based on market price information. When no market price is available, the fair value of plan assets is estimated by discounting expected future cash flows using a discount rate that reflects both the risk associated with the plan assets and the maturity or expected disposal date of those assets (or, if they have no maturity, the expected period until the settlement of the related obligations). If the fair value of the plan assets is higher than the present value of the defined benefit obligation, the measurement of the resulting defined benefit asset is limited to the present value of economic benefits available in the form of refunds from the plan or reductions in future contributions to the plan.

The Bank's right to be reimbursed of some or all of the expenditure required to settle a defined benefit obligation is recognized as a separate asset at fair value when and only when reimbursement is virtually certain.

Termination benefits

Termination benefits are employee benefits provided in exchange for the termination of an employee's employment as a result of either an entity's decision to terminate an employee's employment before the normal retirement date or an employee's decision to accept an offer of benefits in exchange for the termination of employment.

A liability and expense for a termination benefit is recognized at the earlier of when the entity can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits and when the entity recognizes related restructuring costs. Initial recognition and subsequent changes to termination benefits are measured in accordance with the nature of the employee benefit, as either post-employment benefits, short-term employee benefits, or other long-term employee benefits.

Employee leave entitlement

Employee entitlements to annual leave are recognized as a liability when they are accrued to the employees. The undiscounted liability for leave expected to be settled after the end of the annual reporting period is recognized for services rendered by employees up to the end of the reporting period.

Provisions

Provisions are recognized when the Bank has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event and it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. Where the Bank expects some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example, under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognized as a separate asset but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to any provision is presented in the statement of income, net of any reimbursement. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Where discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognized as 'Interest expense'.

Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

Contingent liabilities are not recognized in the financial statements but are disclosed unless the possibility of an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits is remote. Contingent assets are not recognized but are disclosed in the financial statements when an inflow of economic benefits is probable.

Debt Issue Costs

Issuance, underwriting and other related expenses incurred in connection with the issuance of debt instruments are included in the measurement basis of the underlying debt instruments and are amortized as an adjustment to the interest on the underlying debt instruments using the effective interest method.

Income Taxes

Income tax on profit or loss for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax is determined in accordance with Philippine tax law. Income tax is recognized in the statement of income, except to the extent that it relates to OCI items recognized directly in the statements of comprehensive income.

Current tax

Current income tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the period, using the tax rates enacted at the statement of condition date, together with adjustments to tax payable in respect to prior years.

Deferred tax

Deferred income tax is provided, using the balance sheet liability method, on all temporary differences at the statement of condition date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences, including asset revaluations. Deferred tax assets are recognized for all deductible temporary differences and carry forward of unused tax losses and tax credits from excess minimum corporate income tax (MCIT) over the regular corporate income tax (RCIT), to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences and carry forward of unused tax losses and MCIT can be utilized.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each statement of condition date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient future taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax assets to be utilized. Unrecognized deferred tax assets are reassessed at each statement of condition date and are recognized to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will allow the deferred tax assets to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are applicable to the period when the asset is realized or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the statement of condition date.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and deferred taxes related to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

Current income tax and deferred income tax relating to items recognized directly in OCI is also recognized in OCI and not in the statements of income.

Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share (EPS) is computed by dividing net income for the year by the weighted average number of common shares issued and outstanding during the year, after giving retroactive effect to stock dividends declared, stock rights exercised and stock splits, if any, declared during the year.

Dividends on Common Shares

Dividends on common shares are recognized as a liability and deducted from equity when approved by the BOD of the Bank. Dividends for the year that are approved after the statements of condition date are dealt with as subsequent events.

Segment Reporting

The Bank's operating businesses are organized and managed separately according to the nature of the products and services provided, with each segment representing a strategic business unit that offers different products and serves different markets. Financial information on business segments is presented in Note 6. The Bank's assets generating revenues are all located in the Philippines (i.e., one geographical location). Therefore, geographical segment information is no longer presented.

Fiduciary Activities

Assets and income arising from fiduciary activities together with related undertakings to return such assets to customers are excluded from the financial statements, where the Bank acts in a fiduciary capacity such as nominee, trustee or agent.

Subsequent Events

Post year-end events that provide additional information about the Bank's position at the statement of condition date (adjusting events) are reflected in the financial statements. Post year-end events that are not adjusting events are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements when material.

Standards Issued but Not Yet Effective

Pronouncements issued but not yet effective are listed below. Unless otherwise indicated, the Bank does not expect that the future adoption of the said pronouncements will have a significant impact on its consolidated financial statements. The Bank intends to adopt the following pronouncements when they become effective.

Effective beginning on or after January 1, 2024

- Amendments to PAS 1, *Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current*

The amendments clarify:

- That only covenants with which an entity must comply on or before reporting date will affect a liability's classification as current or non-current.
- That classification is unaffected by the likelihood that an entity will exercise its deferral right.
- That only if an embedded derivative in a convertible liability is itself an equity instrument would the terms of a liability not impact its classification.

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2024 and must be applied retrospectively.

- Amendments to PFRS 16, *Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback*

The amendments specify how a seller-lessee measures the lease liability arising in a sale and leaseback transaction in a way that it does not recognize any amount of the gain or loss that relates to the right of use retained.

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2024 and must be applied retrospectively. Earlier adoption is permitted and that fact must be disclosed.

The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Bank.

- Amendments to PAS 7 and PFRS 7, *Disclosures: Supplier Finance Arrangements*

The amendments specify disclosure requirements to enhance the current requirements, which are intended to assist users of financial statements in understanding the effects of supplier finance arrangements on an entity's liabilities, cash flows and exposure to liquidity risk.

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2024. Earlier adoption is permitted and that fact must be disclosed.

The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Bank.

Effective beginning on or after January 1, 2025

- PFRS 17, *Insurance Contracts*

PFRS 17 is a comprehensive new accounting standard for insurance contracts covering recognition and measurement, presentation and disclosure. Once effective, PFRS 17 will replace PFRS 4, *Insurance Contracts*. This new standard on insurance contracts applies to all types of insurance contracts (i.e., life, non-life, direct insurance and re-insurance), regardless of the type of entities that issue them, as well as to certain guarantees and financial instruments with discretionary participation features. A few scope exceptions will apply.

The overall objective of PFRS 17 is to provide an accounting model for insurance contracts that is more useful and consistent for insurers. In contrast to the requirements in PFRS 4, which are largely based on grandfathering previous local accounting policies, PFRS 17 provides a comprehensive model for insurance

contracts, covering all relevant accounting aspects. The core of PFRS 17 is the general model, supplemented by:

- A specific adaptation for contracts with direct participation features (the variable fee approach)
- A simplified approach (the premium allocation approach) mainly for short-duration contracts

On December 15, 2021, the FSRSC amended the mandatory effective date of PFRS 17 from January 1, 2023 to January 1, 2025. This is consistent with Circular Letter No. 2020-62 issued by the Insurance Commission which deferred the implementation of PFRS 17 by two (2) years after its effective date as decided by the IASB.

PFRS 17 is effective for reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2025, with comparative figures required. Early application is permitted.

The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Bank.

- Amendments to PAS 21, *Lack of exchangeability*

The amendments 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 are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2025. Earlier adoption is permitted and that fact must be disclosed. When applying the amendments, an entity cannot restate comparative information.

The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Bank.

Deferred effectivity

- Amendments to PFRS 10, *Consolidated Financial Statements*, and PAS 28, *Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture*

The amendments address the conflict between PFRS 10 and PAS 28 in dealing with the loss of control of a subsidiary that is sold or contributed to an associate or joint venture. The amendments clarify that a full gain or loss is recognized when a transfer to an associate or joint venture involves a business as defined in PFRS 3. Any gain or loss resulting from the sale or contribution of assets that does not constitute a business, however, is recognized only to the extent of unrelated investors' interests in the associate or joint venture.

On January 13, 2016, the Financial and Sustainability Reporting Standards Council deferred the original effective date of January 1, 2016 of the said amendments until the IASB completes its broader review of the research project on equity accounting that may result in the simplification of accounting for such transactions and of other aspects of accounting for associates and joint ventures.

The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Bank.

3. Fair Value Measurement

Financial Instruments

The following describes the methodologies and assumptions used to determine the fair values of financial instruments:

Cash and other cash items, due from BSP, due from other banks, interbank loans receivable and SPURA, accounts receivable, accrued interest receivable, bills purchased, RCOI, shortages, and petty cash fund - Carrying amounts approximate fair values due to the relatively short-term maturities of these assets.

Debt investments - Fair values are generally based on quoted market prices. If the market prices are not readily available, fair values are estimated using either values obtained from independent parties offering pricing

services, or adjusted quoted market prices of comparable investments or using the discounted cash flow methodology, using rates currently available for debt on similar terms, credit risk and remaining maturities.

Equity investments - Fair values are based on quoted prices published in markets.

Receivable from customers, sales contract receivables and security deposits- Fair values are estimated using the discounted cash flow methodology, using the Bank's current lending rates for similar types of loans.

Demand deposits, savings deposits, treasurer's, cashier's and manager's checks, accrued interest payable, accounts payable, bills purchased-contra, other credits, deposits for keys-SDB, payment orders payable and overages - Carrying amounts approximate fair values due to either the demand nature or the relatively short-term maturities of these liabilities.

Bills payable, bonds payable and time deposits- Fair values are estimated using the discounted cash flow methodology using the Bank's borrowing rates for similar borrowings with maturities consistent with those remaining for the liability being valued.

The inputs used in the fair value measurement based on Level 2 are as follows:

Government securities -interpolated rates based on market rates of benchmark securities as of statement of condition date.

The inputs used in estimating fair values of financial instruments carried at amortized cost and categorized under Level 3 include risk-free rates and applicable risk premium.

Non-financial Assets

Investment properties- Fair values of the investment properties have been determined based on valuations performed by independent external and in-house appraisers using valuation technique with significant inputs that are not based on observable market data (Level 3). The valuation of investment properties was based on the Sales Comparison Approach and considered recent sales of similar or substitute properties in the same areas where the investment properties are located, taking into account the economic conditions prevailing at the time of the valuation. Other factors considered were the location and shape of the properties, environmental issues, development controls such as the height restriction, building coverage and floor area ratio restrictions among others. Other significant unobservable inputs include shape, location, time element, discount and corner influence. The fair value of investment properties is based on its highest and best use, which is its current use.

The following tables summarize the carrying amount and fair values of the Bank's financial instruments and investment properties, analyzed based on the hierarchy described in Note 2 (in thousands):

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)				
	Carrying Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Assets measured at fair value:					
Financial Assets					
FVTPL investments					
HFT - government securities	P997,359	P997,359	P-	P-	P997,359
Financial assets at FVOCI					
Government debt securities	30,050,387	20,952,325	9,098,062	-	30,050,387
Private debt securities	240,635	240,635	-	-	240,635
Equity securities	34,854	27,304	7,550	-	34,854
	P31,323,236	P22,217,623	P9,105,612	P-	P31,323,236
Assets for which fair values are disclosed:					
Financial Assets					
Investment securities at amortized cost					
Government	27,688,370	18,843,874	7,216,388	-	26,060,262
Private	1,490,375	1,474,093	-	-	1,474,093
Loans and receivables					
Receivables from customers					
Consumption loans	77,710,945	-	-	80,992,283	80,992,283
Real estate loans	41,323,750	-	-	62,918,270	62,918,270
Commercial loans	6,457,817	-	-	6,505,057	6,505,057
Personal loans	1,621,743	-	-	2,189,536	2,189,536
Sales contract receivable	4,237	-	-	4,450	4,450
Security deposits	129,807	-	-	206,853	206,853

June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)					
	Carrying Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Non-Financial Assets					
Investment properties	P3,826,965	P–	P–	P6,667,241	P6,667,241
	160,254,011	20,317,967	7,216,388	159,483,690	187,018,045
Liabilities for which fair values are disclosed:					
Deposit liabilities – Time	97,038,162	–	–	99,827,934	99,827,934
Deposit liabilities – LTNCD	–	–	–	–	–
Bills payable	–	–	–	–	–
	P97,038,162	P–	P–	P99,827,934	P99,827,934
December 31, 2023 (Audited)					
	Carrying Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Assets measured at fair value:					
Financial Assets					
FVTPL investments					
HFT - government securities	P414,298	P414,298	P–	P–	P414,298
Financial assets at FVOCI					
Government debt securities	52,699,129	50,889,402	1,809,727	–	52,699,129
Private debt securities	1,633,147	1,633,147	–	–	1,633,147
Equity securities	27,418	21,199	6,219	–	27,418
	P54,773,992	P52,958,046	P1,815,946	P–	P54,773,992
Assets for which fair values are disclosed:					
Financial Assets					
Investment securities at amortized cost					
Government	P27,875,963	P18,767,093	P8,088,712	P–	P26,855,805
Private	2,017,205	1,984,906	–	–	1,984,906
Loans and receivables					
Receivables from customers					
Consumption loans	71,139,977	–	–	81,231,497	81,231,497
Real estate loans	40,214,290	–	–	61,703,987	61,703,987
Commercial loans	6,521,064	–	–	87,431,028	87,431,028
Personal loans	1,629,939	–	–	2,247,444	2,247,444
Sales contract receivable	6,380	–	–	6,764	6,764
Security deposits	198,884	–	–	285,800	285,800
Non-Financial Assets					
Investment properties	3,934,950	–	–	6,617,966	6,617,966
	P153,538,652	P20,751,999	P8,088,712	P239,524,486	P268,365,197
Liabilities for which fair values are disclosed:					
Deposit liabilities - time	P112,749,126	P–	P–	P116,153,413	P116,153,413
Deposit liabilities - LTNCD	5,084,218	–	–	5,111,755	5,111,755
Bonds payable	–	–	–	–	–
Bills payable	271,896	–	–	310,561	310,561
	P118,105,240	P–	P–	P121,575,729	P121,575,729

When fair values of listed equity and debt securities, as well as publicly traded derivatives at the reporting date are based on quoted market prices or binding dealer price quotations, without any adjustments for transaction costs, the instruments are included within Level 1 of the hierarchy.

For all other financial instruments, fair value is determined using valuation techniques. Valuation techniques include net present value techniques, comparison to similar instruments for which market observable prices exist and other revaluation models. Instruments included in Level 3 include those for which there is currently no active market.

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 fair value measurements, and no transfers into and out of Level 3 fair value measurement.

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Bank determined the market value of its warrants to be zero due to the absence of an active market for the Bank's ROP warrants, as evidenced by the unavailability of quoted market prices.

4. Financial Risk Management Policies and Objectives

The Bank has exposure to the following risks from its use of financial instruments:

- Credit risk
- Market risk
- Liquidity risk

Organization risk management structure continues to be a top-down organization, with the BOD at the helm of all major initiatives.

Discussed below are the relevant sections on roles and responsibilities from the Risk Oversight Committee (ROC) Charter:

Board of Directors (BOD)

The corporate powers of the Bank are vested in and are exercised by the BOD, who conducts its business and controls its property. The BOD approves broad risk management strategies and policies and ensures that risk management initiatives and activities are consistent with the Bank's overall objectives. The BOD appoints the members of the ROC.

Risk Oversight Committee (ROC)

The ROC is composed of at least three members of the Board, the majority of whom are independent directors including its Chairperson. The ROC Chairperson is not the Chairperson of the Board or of any other committee. Members of the ROC possess a range of expertise and adequate knowledge of the Bank's risk exposures to be able to develop appropriate strategies for preventing losses and minimizing the impact of losses when they occur.

The BOD may also appoint non-directors to the ROC as part of the Metrobank Group risk oversight measures. However, only Bank directors shall be considered as voting members of the ROC. Non-voting members are appointed in an advisory capacity.

The ROC oversees the system of limits to discretionary authority that the BOD delegates to the management and ensures that the system remains effective, the limits are observed, and that immediate corrective actions are taken whenever limits are breached.

The ROC meets on a monthly basis and is supported by the Risk Management Office (RMO). In the absence of the ROC Chairman, another Independent Director shall preside. ROC resolutions, which require the concurrence of the majority of its voting members, are presented to the BOD for confirmation.

Risk Management Office (RMO)

The RMO, headed by the Chief Risk and Sustainability Officer, is a function that is independent from executive functions and business line responsibilities, operations and revenue-generating functions. It reports directly to the BOD, through the ROC. The RMO assists the ROC in carrying out its responsibilities by:

- analyzing, communicating, implementing, and maintaining the risk management policies approved by the ROC and the BOD;
- spearheading the regular review of the Bank's risk management policy manual and making or elevating recommendations that enhance the risk management process to the ROC and the BOD, for their approval; and
- ensuring that the risks arising from the Bank's activities are identified, measured, analyzed, reported to and understood by risk takers, management, and the board. The RMO analyzes limit exceptions and recommends enhancements to the limits structure.

The RMO does not assume risk-taking accountability nor does it have approving authority. The RMO's role is to act as liaison and to provide support to the BOD, ROC, the President, management committees, risk takers and other support and control functions on risk-related matters.

The Risk Management Function is responsible for:

- identifying the key risk exposures and assessing and measuring the extent of risk exposures of the Bank and its trust operations;
- monitoring the risk exposures and determining the corresponding capital requirement in accordance with the Basel capital adequacy framework and based on the Bank's internal capital adequacy assessment on an on-going basis;

- monitoring and assessing decisions to accept particular risks whether these are consistent with BOD-approved policies on risk tolerance and the effectiveness of the corresponding risk mitigation measures; and
- reporting on a regular basis to Senior Management and the BOD the results of assessment and monitoring.

President

The President is the Chief Executive Officer of the Bank and has the primary responsibility of carrying out the policies and objectives of the BOD. The President exercises the authorities delegated to him by the BOD and may recommend such policies and objectives he deems necessary for the continuing progress of the Bank.

Risk management

The risk management framework aims to maintain a balance between the nature of the Bank's businesses and the risk appetite of the BOD. Accordingly, policies and procedures are reviewed regularly and revised as the organization grows and as financial markets evolve. New policies or proposed changes in current policies are presented to the ROC and the BOD for approval.

a. Credit risk and concentration of assets and liabilities and off-balance sheet items

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty will not settle its obligations in accordance with the agreed terms.

The Bank's lending business follows credit policy guidelines set by the BOD, ROC and RMO. These policies serve as minimum standards for extending credit. The people engaged in the credit process are required to understand and adhere to these policies.

Product manuals are in place for all loans and deposit products that actually or potentially expose the Bank to all types of risks that may result in financial or reputational losses. They define the product and the risks associated with the product plus the corresponding risk-mitigating controls. They embody the business plans and define the business parameters within which the product or activity is to be performed.

The system of checks around extension of credit includes approval by at least two credit approvers through the Credit Committee (CreCom), Executive Committee (ExCom) or BOD. The ROC reviews the business strategies and ensures that revenue-generating activities are consistent with the risk tolerance and standards of the Bank. The Internal Audit Group conducts regular audit across all functional units. The BOD, through the ExCom, CreCom and ROC, ensure that sound credit policies and practices are followed through all the business segments.

Credit Approval

Credit approval is the documented acceptance of credit risk in the credit proposal or application.

The Bank's credit decision-making for consumer loans utilizes the recommendation of the credit scoring and is performed at the CreCom level appropriate to the size and risk of each transaction, in conformity with corporate policies and procedures in regulating credit risk activities. The Bank's ExCom may approve deviations or exceptions, while the BOD approves material exceptions such as large exposures, loans to directors, officers, stockholders and other related interests (DOSRI) and related party transactions, and loan restructuring.

Credit delegation limits are identified, tracked and reviewed at least annually by the Bank's Head of Credit and Collections together with the Credit Risk Manager.

Borrower Eligibility

The Bank's credit processing commences when a customer expresses his intention to borrow through a credit application. The Bank gathers data on the customer; ensures they are accurate, up-to-date and adequate to meet the minimum regulatory requirements and to render credit decision. These data are used for the intended purpose only and are managed in adherence to the customer information secrecy law.

The customer's credit worthiness, repayment ability and cash flow are established before credit is extended. The Bank independently verifies critical data from the customer, ensuring compliance with Know Your Customer requirements under the anti-money laundering laws. The Bank requires that customer income be derived from legitimate sources and supported with government-accepted statements of income, assets and liabilities.

The Bank ascertains whether the customer is legally capable of entering a credit contract and of providing a charge over any asset presented as collateral for a loan. Guarantors or sureties may be accepted, provided they are a relative, partner, and have financial interest in the transaction, and they pass all credit acceptance criteria applied to the borrower.

Loan Structure

The Bank structures loans for its customers based on the customer's capability to pay, the purpose of the loan, and for a collateralized loan, the collateral's economic life and liquidation value over time.

The Bank establishes debt burden guidelines and minimum income requirements to assess the customer's capacity to pay.

The Bank utilizes credit bureau data, both external and internal, to obtain information on a customer's current commitments and credit history.

The Bank takes into account environmental and social issues when reviewing credit proposals of small businesses and commercial mortgage customers. The Bank ensures that all qualified securities pass through the BOD for approval. Assignments of securities are confirmed and insurance are properly secured.

The Bank uses credit scoring models and decision systems for consumer loans as approved by the BOD. Borrower risk rating model and facility risk rating model, on the other hand, are available for SME loans, and supported with qualitative evaluation. Regular monitoring of all these tools and their performance is carried out to ensure that they remain effective.

Initial loan limits are recommended by the CreCom and ExCom and approved by the BOD. The Bank ensures that secured loans are within ceilings set by local regulators. Succeeding loan availments are based on account performance and customer's credit worthiness.

Credit Management

The Bank maintains credit records and documents on all borrowings and captures transaction details in its loan systems. The credit risk policies and system infrastructure ensure that loans are monitored and managed at all times.

The Bank's Management Information System provides statistics that its business units need to identify opportunities for improving rewards without necessarily sacrificing risk. Statistical data on product, productivity, portfolio, profitability, performance and projection are made available regularly.

The Bank conducts regular loan review through the ROC, with the support of the RMO. The Bank examines its exposures, credit risk ratios, provisions and customer segments. The Bank's unique customer identification and unique group identification methodology enables it to aggregate credit exposures by customer or group of borrowers. Aggregate exposures of at least ₱100.0 million are put on a special monitoring.

The ROC assesses the adequacy of provisions for credit losses regularly. The Bank's automated loan grading system enables the Bank to set up provision per account. The Bank also performs impairment analyses on loans and receivables, whether on an individual or collective basis, in accordance with PFRS 9.

The Bank carries out stress testing analyses using Board-approved statistical models relating the default trends to macroeconomic indicators.

In February 2022, Russia launched a full-scale invasion of Ukraine. The United Nations reacted imposing sanctions to Russia. This caused a major disruption in the value chain and kicked start a significant rise in inflation in the year. The war dragged-on much longer than anticipated. This prompted the US Treasury to increase its interest rates to combat rising inflation. The Philippine economic outlook was unclear as the government now has to manage a careful balancing act of increasing interest rates to dampen the velocity of inflation and combat the weakening peso without hurting the economy. Despite these troubling signals globally, the Bank's asset quality improved compared to 2021 due to the Bank's portfolio management initiatives. Provisioning models for the bank's consumer loan portfolio were adjusted to account for economic uncertainty. To optimize the Bank's credit taking activities, the consumer credit scoring models for Mortgage and Personal

loans were redeveloped. These are expected to increase the Bank's loan portfolio without increasing the Bank's risk profile.

In 2023, the Philippine economy exhibited resilience and growth despite global challenges. Steady expansion in GDP was observed but inflation and external uncertainties persisted necessitating government's careful economic management. The Bank reviewed and recalibrated its expected credit loss models to ensure the sufficiency of its calculated provisions and appropriateness of the models in light of the changing economic landscape.

b. Market risk

Market risk management covers the areas of trading and interest rate risks. The Bank utilizes various measurement and monitoring tools to ensure that risk-taking activities are managed within instituted market risk parameters. The Bank revalues its trading portfolios on a daily basis and checks the revenue or loss generated by each portfolio in relation to their level of market risk.

The Bank's risk policies and implementing guidelines are regularly reviewed by the Assets and Liabilities Committee (ALCO), ROC and BOD to ensure that these are up-to-date and in line with changes in the economy, environment and regulations. The ROC and the BOD set the comprehensive market risk limit structure and define the parameters of market activities that the Bank can engage in.

Market risk is the risk to earnings and capital arising from changes in the value of traded portfolios of financial instruments (trading market risk) and from movements in interest rates (interest rate risk). The Bank's market risk originates primarily from holding peso and dollar-denominated debt securities. The Bank utilizes Value-at-Risk (VaR) to measure and manage market risk exposure. VaR estimates the potential decline in the value of a portfolio, under normal market conditions, for a given confidence level over a specified holding period.

Trading activities

The Bank's trading portfolios consist of peso- and dollar-denominated debt securities that are marked-to-market daily.

VaR is a statistical measure that calculates the maximum potential loss from a portfolio over a holding period, within a given confidence level. The Bank's current VaR model is based on a historical simulation methodology with a one-day holding period and a 99% confidence level. The Bank establishes limits for trading portfolios and VaR, and comply with regulatory standards. VaR reports are prepared to closely monitor daily profit and loss against loss triggers and stop-loss limits. These are submitted to Treasury Group and RMO on daily basis and to ROC and BOD on monthly basis. When there is a breach in VaR limits, Treasury Group is expected to close or reduce their position and bring it down within the limit unless approval from the President is obtained to retain the same. All breaches are reported to the President for regularization. In addition to the regularization and approval of the President, breaches in VaR limits and special approvals are likewise reported to the ROC and BOD for their information and confirmation.

The Bank performs back testing to validate the VaR model. Results are reported to the ROC and BOD on a monthly basis. Stress testing is also conducted based on historical maximum percentage daily movement and on various ad-hoc rate shock scenarios to estimate potential losses in a crisis situation.

Responsibility for managing the Bank's trading market risk remains with the ROC. With the support of RMO, the ROC recommends to the BOD changes in market risk limits, approving authorities and other activities that need special consideration.

Discussed below are the limitations and assumptions applied by the Bank on its VaR methodology:

- a. VaR is a statistical estimate and thus, does not give the precise amount of loss;
- b. VaR is not designed to give the probability of bank failure, but only attempts to quantify losses that may arise from a bank's exposure to market risk;
- c. Historical simulation does not involve any distributional assumptions, scenarios that are used in computing VaR are limited to those that occurred in the historical sample; and
- d. VaR systems are backward-looking. It attempts to forecast likely future losses using past data. As such, this assumes that past relationships will continue to hold in the future. Major shifts therefore (i.e., an

unexpected collapse of the market) are not captured and may inflict losses much bigger than anything the VaR model may have calculated.

The Bank's interest rate VaR follows (in millions):

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)		December 31, 2023 (Audited)	
	Peso	USD	Peso	USD
Year-end	5	–	1	–
Average	4	–	0	–
High	7	–	2	–
Low	1	–	0	–

Non-trading activities

The Bank follows a prudent policy on managing its assets and liabilities to ensure that fluctuations in interest rates are kept within acceptable limits.

One method by which the Bank measures the sensitivity of its assets and liabilities to interest rate fluctuations is by way of “gap” analysis. This analysis provides the Bank with a static view of the maturity and repricing characteristics of the positions in its statement of condition. An interest rate gap report is prepared by classifying all assets and liabilities into various time period categories according to contracted maturities or anticipated repricing dates, whichever is earlier. Items lacking definitive repricing schedule (e.g., current and savings accounts) are assigned to repricing tenor buckets based on analysis of deposit behavioral patterns, past experience and/or expert judgment. The difference in the amount of assets and liabilities maturing or being repriced in any time period category would then give the Bank an indication of the extent to which it is exposed to the risk of potential changes in net interest income.

The interest rate sensitivity gap report measures interest rate risk by identifying gaps between the repricing dates of assets and liabilities. The Bank's sensitivity gap model calculates the effect of possible rate movements on its interest rate profile.

EaR measures the possible decline in the Bank's net interest income as a result of adverse interest rate movements, given the current repricing profile. It is a tool used to evaluate the sensitivity of the accrual portfolio to changes in interest rates in the adverse direction over the next twelve (12) months. The Bank's EaR limits are based on a percentage of the Bank's projected earnings for the year or capital whichever is lower. The Bank also performs stress-testing to measure the impact of various scenarios based on interest rate volatility and shift in the yield curve. The EaR and stress testing reports are prepared on a monthly basis.

The ALCO is responsible for managing the Bank's structural interest rate exposure. The ALCO's goal is to achieve a desired overall interest rate profile while remaining flexible to interest rate movements and changes in economic conditions. The RMO and ROC review and oversee the Bank's interest rate risks.

The table below demonstrates the sensitivity of equity. Equity sensitivity was computed by calculating mark-to-market changes of debt securities at FVOCI, assuming a parallel shift in the yield curve.

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)		December 31, 2023 (Audited)	
	Change in basis points	Sensitivity of equity	Change in basis points	Sensitivity of equity
Currency				
PHP	+10	(P39,411,167)	+10	(P10,854,916)
USD	+10	–	+10	–
Currency				
PHP	-10	39,618,776	-10	10,934,344
USD	-10	–	-10	–

The table below demonstrates the sensitivity of net interest income using the EAR model. Net interest income sensitivity was computed by calculating the changes in the banking book gaps assuming a parallel shift in the yield curve.

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)		December 31, 2023 (Audited)	
	Change in basis points	Sensitivity of NII	Change in basis points	Sensitivity of NII
Currency				
PHP	+10	(P14,314,866)	+10	(P2,497,311)
USD	+10	(8,911,071)	+10	(9,197,978)
Currency				
PHP	-10	P14,314,866	-10	P2,497,311
USD	-10	8,911,071	-10	9,197,978

The Bank employs the Delta EVE model to measure the overall change in the economic value of the bank at one point. It reflects the changes in the net present value of its banking book at different interest rate shocks and stress scenarios. ΔEVE is calculated by slotting the notional repricing cash flows arising from rate-sensitive assets and liabilities into pre-defined tenor buckets. The present value of the net repricing cash flows is then calculated using various interest rate scenarios prescribed by Basel, as well as scenarios internally developed by the Bank.

Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk of an investment's value changing due to an adverse movement in currency exchange rates. It arises due to a mismatch in the Bank's foreign currency assets and liabilities. The Bank uses BSP-approved Type 3 Derivative License for plain vanilla FX forwards to manage our FX risk against adverse exchange rate movements.

The Bank's policy is to maintain foreign currency exposure within the approved position, stop loss, loss trigger, VaR limits and to remain within existing regulatory guidelines. To compute for VaR, the Bank uses historical simulation model for USD/PHP FX position, with confidence level at 99.00% and a 1 day holding period.

The Bank's VaR for its foreign exchange position for trading and non-trading activities are as follows (in thousands):

	June 30, 2024 ¹ (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 ¹ (Audited)
As of year-end	P819	P1,212
Average	878	1,356
High	1,676	2,319
Low	480	671

¹Using METRISK Historical Simulation VaR

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Bank is not exposed to significant foreign currency risk.

Liquidity Risk

The Bank's policy on liquidity management emphasizes on three elements of liquidity, namely, cashflow management, ability to borrow in the interbank market, and maintenance of a stock of high-quality liquid assets. These three approaches complement one another with greater weight being given to a particular approach, depending upon the circumstances. The Bank's objective in liquidity management is to ensure that the Bank has sufficient liquidity to meet obligations under normal and adverse circumstances and is able to take advantage of lending and investment opportunities as they arise.

The main tool that the Bank uses for monitoring its liquidity is the Maximum Cumulative Outflow (MCO) reports, which is also called liquidity gap or maturity matching gap reports. The MCO is a useful tool in measuring and analyzing the Bank's cash flow projections and monitoring liquidity risks.

The MCO is generated by distributing the cash flows of the Bank's assets, liabilities and off-balance sheet items to time bands based on cash flow expectations such as contractual maturity, nature of the account, behavioral patterns and projections on business strategies. The incorporation of behavioral cash flow assumptions and

business projections or targets results in a dynamic gap report that realistically captures the behavior of the products and creates a forward-looking cash flow projection.

Cash flows from assets are considered as cash inflows, while cash flows from liabilities are considered cash outflows. The net cash flows are determined for each given time period. If the inflows exceed the outflows, the Bank is said to have a positive liquidity gap or has excess funds for the given time bucket. Conversely, if the outflows exceed the inflows, the Bank is said to have a negative liquidity gap or has funding needs for the given time bucket.

The Bank's Liquidity Contingency Funding Plan (LCFP) projects the Bank's funding position during stress to help evaluate the Bank's funding needs and strategies under various stress conditions.

The Bank discourages dependence on Large Funds Providers (LFPs) and monitors the deposit funding concentrations so that it will not be vulnerable to a substantial drop in deposit level should there be an outflow of large deposits and there are enough high-quality liquid assets to fund LFP withdrawals. ALCO is responsible for managing the liquidity of the Bank while RMO and ROC review and oversee the Bank's overall liquidity risk management.

To mitigate potential liquidity problems caused by unexpected withdrawals of significant deposits, the Bank takes steps to cultivate good business relationships with clients and financial institutions, maintains high level of high-quality liquid assets, monitors the deposit funding concentrations and regularly updates the Liquidity Contingency Funding Plan. The Bank's Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) and Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR) are managed on a daily basis to ensure compliance with the required regulatory ratios.

5. Segment Information

The Bank's operating segments are organized and managed separately according to the nature of services provided and the different markets served, with each segment representing a strategic business unit that offers different products and serves different markets. The Bank's reportable segments are as follows:

- a. Consumer Banking - principally provides consumer-type loans generated by the Home Office;
- b. Corporate Banking - principally handles loans and other credit facilities for small and medium enterprises, corporate and institutional customers acquired in the Home Office;
- c. Branch Banking - serves as the Bank's main customer touch point which offers consumer and corporate banking products; and
- d. Treasury - principally handles institutional deposit accounts, providing money market, trading and treasury services, as well as managing the Bank's funding operations by use of government securities and placements and acceptances with other banks.

These segments are the bases on which the Bank reports its primary segment information. The Bank evaluates performance on the basis of information about the components of the Bank that senior management uses to make decisions about operating matters. There are no other operating segments than those identified by the Bank as reportable segments. There were no inter-segment revenues and expenses included in the financial information. The Bank has no single customer with revenues from which is 10.00% or more of the Bank's total revenue.

The accounting policies of the operating segments are the same as those described in the summary of significant accounting policies. Primary segment information (by business segment) for the quarters ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 and December 31, 2023, as follows (in thousands):

	For the Six Months ended June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)				
	Consumer Banking	Corporate Banking	Branch Banking	Treasury	Total
Operating income					
Interest income	P2,004,855	P199,307	P3,973,396	P2,338,534	P8,516,092
Service fees and commission	334,989	14	609,930	–	944,933
Other operating income	355,002	2,662	397,242	(1,263)	753,643
Total operating income	2,694,846	201,983	4,980,568	2,337,271	10,214,668

For the Six Months ended June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)					
	Consumer Banking	Corporate Banking	Branch Banking	Treasury	Total
Non-cash expenses					
Provision for (reversal of) credit and impairment losses	₱129,009	₱53,890	₱163,245	(₱92)	₱346,053
Depreciation	136,273	1,591	321,563	282	459,709
Amortization of other intangible assets	17,669	417	30,221	2,169	50,476
Total non-cash expenses	282,951	55,898	515,030	2,359	856,238
Interest expense	–	–	1,241,980	1,190,322	2,432,302
Service fees and commission expense	13,175	1	23,988	–	37,163
Subtotal	13,175	1	1,265,968	1,190,322	2,469,465
Compensation and fringe benefits	537,209	33,109	1,452,719	16,099	2,039,136
Taxes and licenses	223,571	4,932	286,156	279,580	794,240
Occupancy and equipment-related costs	50,905	264	129,016	64	180,249
Security, messengerial and janitorial services	84,654	1,024	170,259	153	256,089
Miscellaneous	259,946	5,381	521,552	49,337	836,216
Subtotal	1,156,284	44,710	2,559,702	345,234	4,105,930
Income (loss) before share in net income of a joint venture and income tax	1,242,437	101,374	639,867	799,356	₱2,783,034
Share in net income of a joint venture					42,081
Income before income tax					2,825,115
Provision for income tax					261,697
Net income					2,563,418
Segment assets	₱108,655,691	₱348,525	₱47,022,176	₱61,895,008	217,921,400
Investment in a joint venture					898,795
Deferred tax assets					1,447,966
Total assets					₱220,268,161
Segment liabilities	₱1,469,520	₱84,626	₱122,939,120	₱53,798,316	₱178,291,582

December 31, 2023 (Audited)					
	Consumer Banking	Corporate Banking	Branch Banking	Treasury	Total
Operating income					
Interest income	₱3,818,782	₱593,849	₱7,918,866	₱5,292,768	₱17,624,265
Service fees and commission	586,757	12,506	1,193,480	–	1,792,743
Other operating income	953,163	7,814	607,681	22,922	1,591,580
Total operating income	5,358,702	614,169	9,720,027	5,315,690	21,008,588
Non-cash expenses					
Provision for credit and impairment losses	1,267,662	50,112	138,210	(4,894)	1,451,090
Depreciation	209,247	2,932	626,693	1,264	840,136
Amortization of intangible assets	37,485	944	67,087	697	106,213
Total non-cash expenses	1,514,394	53,988	831,990	(2,933)	2,397,439
Interest expense	–	–	2,514,801	3,283,288	5,798,089
Service fees and commission expense	21,465	458	43,661	–	65,584
Subtotal	21,465	458	2,558,462	3,283,288	5,863,673
Compensation and fringe benefits	981,002	59,622	2,736,065	35,026	3,811,715
Taxes and licenses	409,260	11,358	513,802	738,107	1,672,527
Occupancy and equipment-related costs	89,823	571	247,741	330	338,465
Security, messengerial and janitorial services	134,936	2,006	293,958	339	431,239
Miscellaneous	476,514	9,635	1,065,178	139,519	1,690,846
Subtotal	2,091,535	83,192	4,856,744	913,321	7,944,792
Income (loss) before share in net income of a joint venture and income tax	1,731,308	476,531	1,472,831	1,122,014	₱4,802,684
Share in net income of a joint venture					86,341
Income before income tax					4,889,025
Provision for income tax					357,963
Net income					4,531,062
Segment assets	₱96,310,679	₱2,287,007	₱46,653,000	₱91,054,823	236,305,509
Investment in a joint venture					870,179
Deferred tax assets					1,257,608
Total assets					₱238,433,296
Segment liabilities	₱1,401,753	₱94,864	₱138,894,328	₱57,888,193	₱198,279,138

	For the Six Months ended June 30, 2023 (Unaudited)				
	Consumer Banking	Corporate Banking	Branch Banking	Treasury	Total
Operating income					
Interest income	P2,436,019	P70,941	P4,086,534	P2,166,314	P8,759,808
Service fees and commission	293,457	9,502	635,454	-	938,413
Other operating income	443,020	3,966	264,433	9,143	720,562
Total operating income	3,172,496	84,409	4,986,420	2,175,457	10,418,782
Non-cash expenses					
Provision for (reversal of) credit and impairment losses	627,107	31,701	103,104	622	762,534
Depreciation	93,843	1,408	300,771	592	396,614
Amortization of other intangible assets	18,084	475	33,785	341	52,685
Total non-cash expenses	739,034	33,583	437,660	1,555	1,211,832
Interest expense	-	-	1,200,858	1,706,053	2,906,911
Service fees and commission expense	9,535	309	20,647	-	30,491
Subtotal	9,535	309	1,221,505	1,706,053	2,937,402
Compensation and fringe benefits	485,069	30,050	1,364,506	17,628	1,897,253
Taxes and licenses	192,876	5,119	245,844	388,428	832,267
Occupancy and equipment-related costs	44,585	267	127,803	155	172,810
Security, messengerial and janitorial services	62,024	833	139,089	82	202,028
Miscellaneous	220,158	4,654	538,985	74,273	838,070
Subtotal	1,004,713	40,923	2,416,227	480,565	3,942,428
Income (loss) before share in net income of a joint venture and income tax	P1,419,215	P9,594	P911,029	(P12,716)	P2,327,122
Share in net income of a joint venture					70,404
Income before income tax					2,397,525
Provision for income tax					229,235
Net income					2,168,290
Segment assets	P85,514,756	P2,939,503	P46,644,217	P98,005,218	233,103,694
Investment in a joint venture					886,689
Deferred tax assets					707,401
Total assets					P234,697,785
Segment liabilities	P1,380,554	P99,798	P140,674,666	P53,841,884	P195,996,902

6. Investment Securities

Fair Value Through Profit or Loss(FVTPL) Investments

FVTPL investments consist of the following:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Government debt securities	P997,359,266	P414,298,313

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

Financial assets at FVOCI consist of the following:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Debt securities		
Government	P30,050,387,265	P52,699,128,847
Private	240,635,006	1,633,147,238
Equity securities		
Quoted	34,854,027	27,417,546
	P30,325,876,298	P54,359,693,631

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the ECL on debt securities at FVOCI (included in 'Fair value reserves on financial assets at FVOCI') amounted to P0.08 million and P0.7 million, respectively.

Movements in the fair value reserves on financial assets at FVOCI are as follow:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Balance at beginning of year	₱70,794,457	(₱48,782,635)
Loss (gain) from sale of financial assets at FVOCI realized in profit or loss	(26,574,757)	677,047
Changes in allowance for ECL	(661,448)	(207,485)
Fair value gain (loss) recognized in OCI	(60,795,544)	119,107,530
Balance at end of the period	(₱17,237,292)	₱70,794,457

Investment Securities at Amortized Cost

Investment securities at amortized cost consist of the following:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Debt securities		
Government	₱27,699,970,845	₱27,886,190,462
Private	1,493,230,192	2,020,863,838
	29,193,201,037	29,907,054,300
Less allowance for credit losses	14,455,706	13,886,257
	₱29,178,745,331	₱29,893,168,043

Interest income on investment securities consists of:

	For the Six Months ended June	
	2024 (Unaudited)	2023 (Unaudited)
Interest income recognized using EIR		
Financial assets at FVOCI	₱1,203,463,547	₱1,460,678,453
Investment securities at amortized cost	662,401,194	682,524,692
	1,865,864,741	2,143,203,145
Interest income recognized using nominal interest rates		
FVTPL investments	33,201,596	10,798
	₱1,899,066,337	₱2,143,213,943

Trading and securities gains (losses) - net on investment securities consist of:

	For the Six Months ended June 30	
	2024 (Unaudited)	2023 (Unaudited)
FVTPL investments	(₱25,987,261)	₱229,581
Financial assets at FVOCI	26,574,758	—
	₱587,497	₱229,581

7. Loans and Receivables

This account consists of:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Receivables from customers		
Consumption loans	₱81,676,382,196	₱75,082,900,240
Real estate loans	41,822,030,857	41,266,767,900
Commercial loans	6,683,962,936	6,749,239,198
Personal loans	2,043,473,055	2,103,099,117
	132,225,849,044	125,202,006,455
Less unearned discounts	91,051,930	115,002,708
	132,134,797,114	125,087,003,747
Other receivables		
Accrued interest receivable	₱2,313,167,884	₱2,398,689,550
Accounts receivable	731,981,973	1,393,060,263

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Sales contract receivables	4,621,289	6,951,309
Bills purchased	–	42,243,033
	135,184,568,260	128,927,947,902
Less allowance for credit losses	5,607,934,435	6,163,535,676
	P129,576,633,825	P122,764,412,226

Personal loans comprise deposit collateral loans, employee salary and consumer loan products such as money card, multi-purpose loan and flexi-loan.

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, 34.29% and 35.65%, respectively, of the total receivables from customers are subject to periodic interest repricing with average EIR of 8.50% and 8.50%. Remaining receivables earn average annual fixed interest rates of 16.66% and 16.43%.

Interest income on loans and receivables consists of:

	For the Six Months ended June 30	
	2024 (Unaudited)	2023 (Unaudited)
Receivables from customers		
Consumption loans	P3,880,262,030	P3,237,764,821
Real estate loans	1,764,881,010	1,736,899,428
Personal loans	296,253,670	319,258,595
Commercial loans	236,135,291	238,931,317
Other receivables		
Sales contract receivables	25,823	130,803
	P6,177,557,824	P5,532,984,964

8. Property and Equipment

The composition of and movements in this account follow:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)					
	Land	Building	Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	Leasehold Improvements	Right-of-use Assets: Building	Total
Cost						
Balance at beginning of the period	P976,443,676	P1,164,846,258	P3,415,338,919	P1,131,384,796	P1,963,591,638	P8,651,605,287
Acquisitions/Additions	–	1,074,371	103,874,202	11,879,031	235,870,485	352,698,089
Disposals/Retirement	–	–	(40,507,688)	–	(178,207,365)	(218,715,053)
Balance at end of the period	976,443,676	1,165,920,629	3,478,705,433	1,143,263,827	2,021,254,758	8,785,588,323
Accumulated Depreciation						
Balance at beginning of the period	–	634,324,894	2,835,102,506	1,070,267,248	969,953,262	5,509,647,910
Depreciation	–	17,940,533	92,490,264	14,389,802	208,002,766	332,823,365
Disposals	–	–	(21,951,107)	–	(178,207,365)	(200,158,472)
Balance at end of the period	–	652,265,427	2,905,641,663	1,084,657,050	999,748,663	5,642,312,803
Net Book Value	P976,443,676	P513,655,202	P573,063,770	P58,606,777	P1,021,506,095	P3,143,275,520

	December 31, 2023 (Audited)					
	Land	Building	Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	Leasehold Improvements	Right-of-use Assets: Building	Total
Cost						
Balance at beginning of the period	P976,443,676	P1,155,304,612	P3,135,342,532	P1,101,893,510	P2,001,043,368	P8,370,027,698
Acquisitions/Additions	–	9,541,646	349,393,788	29,491,286	312,921,930	701,348,650
Disposals/Retirement	–	–	(69,397,401)	–	(350,373,660)	(419,771,061)
Balance at end of the period	976,443,676	1,164,846,258	3,415,338,919	1,131,384,796	1,963,591,638	8,651,605,287

December 31, 2023 (Audited)						
	Land	Building	Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	Leasehold Improvements	Right-of-use Assets: Building	Total
Accumulated Depreciation						
Balance at beginning of the period	–	598,513,254	2,715,701,056	1,041,927,841	887,162,420	5,243,304,571
Depreciation	–	35,811,640	156,665,664	28,339,407	417,200,588	638,017,299
Disposals/Retirement	–	–	(37,264,214)	–	(334,409,746)	(371,673,960)
Balance at end of the period	–	634,324,894	2,835,102,506	1,070,267,248	969,953,262	5,509,647,910
Net Book Value	P976,443,676	P530,521,364	P580,236,413	P61,117,548	P993,638,376	P3,141,957,377

Gain on sale of property and equipment amounted to P2.7 million for the six-month period ended June 30, 2024 and 2023.

The details of depreciation under the statements of income follow:

	For the Six Months ended June 30	
	2024 (Unaudited)	2023 (Unaudited)
Right-of-Use-Asset	P208,002,766	P200,558,088
Property and equipment	124,820,599	104,647,415
Chattel mortgage properties	81,559,535	45,741,992
Investment properties	45,325,670	45,666,457
	P459,708,570	P396,613,952

9. Investment Properties

The composition of and movements in this account follow:

June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)			
	Land	Building Improvements	Total
Cost			
Balance at beginning of year	P1,404,474,771	P3,221,547,911	P4,626,022,682
Additions	78,159,391	231,107,597	309,266,988
Disposals	(97,008,628)	(331,249,423)	(428,258,051)
Balance at end of year	1,385,625,534	3,121,406,085	4,507,031,619
Accumulated Depreciation			
Balance at beginning of year	–	486,395,513	486,395,513
Depreciation	–	45,325,670	45,325,670
Disposals	–	(37,537,015)	(37,537,015)
Balance at end of year	–	494,184,168	494,184,168
Allowance for Impairment Losses			
Balance at beginning of year	56,127,134	148,549,851	204,676,985
Provisions (reversals) for the year	4,126,978	2,931,303	7,058,281
Disposals	–	(25,852,942)	(25,852,942)
Balance at end of year	60,254,112	125,628,212	185,882,324
Net Book Value	P1,325,371,422	P2,501,593,705	P3,826,965,127

December 31, 2023 (Audited)			
	Land	Building Improvements	Total
Cost			
Balance at beginning of year	P1,372,656,512	P3,345,050,833	P4,717,707,345
Additions	196,132,372	464,387,687	660,520,059
Disposals	(164,314,113)	(587,890,609)	(752,204,722)
Balance at end of year	1,404,474,771	3,221,547,911	4,626,022,682
Accumulated Depreciation			
Balance at beginning of year	–	459,729,368	459,729,368
Depreciation	–	92,758,455	92,758,455
Disposals	–	(66,092,310)	(66,092,310)
Balance at end of year	–	486,395,513	486,395,513

	December 31, 2023 (Audited)		
	Land	Building Improvements	Total
Allowance for Impairment Losses			
Balance at beginning of year	57,557,773	168,949,139	226,506,912
Provisions (reversals) for the year	415,646	11,769,290	12,184,936
Disposals	(1,846,285)	(32,168,578)	(34,014,863)
Balance at end of year	56,127,134	148,549,851	204,676,985
Net Book Value	₱1,348,347,637	₱2,586,602,547	₱3,934,950,184

The details of the net book value of investment properties follow:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Real estate properties acquired in settlement of loans and receivables	₱3,753,877,839	₱3,859,953,928
Bank premises leased to third parties and held for capital appreciation	73,087,288	74,996,256
	₱3,826,965,127	₱3,934,950,184

Gain on foreclosure of investment properties amounted to ₱158.72 million and ₱86.39 million in June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively. The Bank realized gain on sale of investment properties amounting to ₱88.67 million and ₱51.17 million in June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively.

10. Other Assets

This account consists of:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Financial assets		
Security deposits	₱197,611,780	₱198,883,979
Liquidity requirement for electronic money products	110,887,187	187,273,039
RCOCI	14,231,363	14,419,807
Others*	450,197	436,826
	323,180,527	401,013,651
Non-financial assets		
Chattel mortgage properties - net	679,752,281	667,892,031
Prepayments	218,139,778	164,561,700
Creditable withholding tax	75,357,059	45,044,403
Stationeries and supplies on hand	44,959,919	44,329,293
Documentary stamps on hand	17,368,379	22,890,982
Others**	49,205	46,556
	1,035,626,621	944,764,965
	₱1,358,807,148	₱1,345,778,616

* Others under financial assets comprise petty cash fund, shortages, and other investments

** Others under non-financial assets comprise inter-office float items, sundry debits, deferred charges, postages stamps

Prepayments represent prepaid insurance, rent, taxes and other prepaid expenses.

The movements in chattel mortgage properties - net follow:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Cost		
Balance at beginning of year	₱736,797,092	₱417,400,112
Additions	1,838,385,394	2,320,586,633
Disposals	(1,833,186,822)	(2,001,189,653)
Balance at the end of year	741,995,664	736,797,092
Accumulated Depreciation		
Balance at beginning of year	68,762,517	82,062,955
Depreciation	81,559,535	109,360,006
Disposals	(88,156,573)	(122,660,444)
Balance at the end of year	62,165,479	68,762,517

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Allowance for Impairment Losses		
Balance at beginning of year	₱142,544	₱19,614
Provision	107,737	674,171
Disposals	(172,377)	(551,241)
Balance at end of year	77,904	142,544
Net Book Value	₱679,752,281	₱667,892,031

Gain on foreclosure of chattel mortgage properties amounted to ₱327.83 million and ₱199.83 million in June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively.

The Bank realized gain/(loss) on sale of chattel mortgage properties amounting to (₱90.09) million and ₱82.35 million in June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively.

11. Bills Payable

Bills Payable

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, SSURA is amounting to nil and ₱271.9 million, respectively. This pertains to borrowings from counterparties secured by pledge of government securities with maturities ranging from 7 to 65 days and annual interest rate ranges from 4.79% to 5.91% in 2023.

12. Accrued Taxes, Interest and Other Expenses

This account consists of:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Accrued other taxes and licenses payable	₱323,990,794	₱304,180,386
Accrued interest payable	259,974,154	515,706,331
Accrued other expenses payable	1,676,970,689	1,843,650,786
	₱2,260,935,637	₱2,663,537,503

Accrued other expenses payable consist of:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Compensation and fringe benefits	₱740,142,782	₱597,067,561
Litigation	357,433,281	627,167,507
Insurance	178,657,784	189,856,417
Information technology	144,839,499	148,708,322
Repairs and maintenance	45,282,060	50,282,060
Advertising	42,914,592	34,173,067
Rental - ATM Offsites	37,989,751	37,989,751
Security, messengerial and janitorial	32,804,490	39,070,448
Donations	28,943,957	23,369,956
ATM maintenance	23,783,742	24,040,826
Membership, fees and dues	3,773,951	3,773,951
Miscellaneous	40,404,800	68,150,920
	₱1,676,970,689	₱1,843,650,786

Compensation and fringe benefits include salaries and wages, as well as medical, dental and hospitalization benefits.

Miscellaneous include accruals for utilities and maintenance and other expenses.

13. Other Liabilities

This account consists of:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Financial liabilities		
Accounts payable	P1,958,394,274	P1,998,393,906
Lease liabilities	1,198,870,415	1,181,200,923
Other credits	212,134,170	169,937,805
Overages	4,448,769	4,108,652
Deposit for keys - SDB	737,645	741,645
Bills purchased – contra	–	42,243,033
	3,374,585,273	3,396,625,964
Non-financial liabilities		
Sundry credits	487,062,357	222,364,272
Provision on undrawn portion of committed credit lines	114,229,422	132,829,383
Net retirement liability	103,693,513	241,017,602
Withholding taxes payable	90,191,228	116,772,129
Due to the Treasurer of the Philippines	40,911,728	36,437,950
SSS, Medicare, ECP and HDMF premium payable	21,937,071	20,016,801
Miscellaneous	63,214,136	40,870,530
	921,239,455	810,308,667
Total	P4,295,824,728	P4,206,934,631

Accounts payable includes payable to suppliers and service providers, and loan payments and other charges received from customers in advance.

Other credits represent long-outstanding unclaimed cashier's checks.

Sundry credits represent various items or transactions which cannot be classified immediately under any credit account and subsequently classified to proper credit accounts the following month.

14. Maturity Analysis of Assets and Liabilities

The following table shows an analysis of assets and liabilities analyzed according to whether they are expected to be recovered or settled within one year and beyond one year from the statement of condition dates (in thousands):

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)			December 31, 2023 (Audited)		
	Within One Year	Beyond One Year	Total	Within One Year	Beyond One Year	Total
Financial Assets						
Cash and other cash items	P1,825,855	P–	P1,825,855	P1,653,555	P–	P1,653,555
Due from BSP - gross	7,382,630	–	7,382,630	9,745,634	–	9,745,634
Due from other banks - gross	1,550,641	–	1,550,641	1,765,439	–	1,765,439
Interbank loans receivable and SPURA – gross	8,500,000	–	8,500,000	6,989,636	–	6,989,636
FVTPL investments	997,359	–	997,359	414,298	–	414,298
Financial assets at FVOCI	21,104,166	9,221,711	30,325,877	52,558,045	1,801,649	54,359,694
Investment securities at amortized cost	1,185,890	28,007,311	29,193,201	1,545,720	28,361,334	29,907,054
Loans and receivables - gross	12,888,929	122,386,691	135,275,620	13,806,138	115,236,813	129,042,951
Other assets - gross*	146,930	175,801	322,731	236,741	164,273	401,014
	55,582,400	159,791,514	215,373,914	88,715,206	145,564,069	234,279,275
Nonfinancial Assets						
Investment in a joint venture	–	898,795	898,795	–	870,179	870,179
Property and equipment - gross	–	8,785,129	8,785,129	–	8,651,605	8,651,605
Investment properties - gross	–	4,507,032	4,507,032	–	4,626,023	4,626,023
Deferred tax assets	–	1,447,966	1,447,966	–	1,257,608	1,257,608
Intangible assets and goodwill - gross	–	1,821,060	1,821,060	–	404,410	404,410
Other assets - gross**	356,325	741,994	1,098,319	276,873	736,797	1,013,670
	356,325	18,201,976	18,558,301	276,873	16,546,622	16,823,495

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)			December 31, 2023 (Audited)		
	Within One Year	Beyond One Year	Total	Within One Year	Beyond One Year	Total
Less: Allowance for credit and impairment losses			5,809,572			6,383,451
Accumulated depreciation			7,763,430			6,171,020
Unearned discounts and capitalized interest			91,052			115,003
			13,664,054			12,669,474
			P220,268,161			P238,433,296

* Other assets under financial assets comprise security deposits, liquidity requirement for electronic money products, RCOI, petty cash fund, shortages and other investments

** Other assets under nonfinancial assets comprise chattel mortgage properties, net retirement assets, prepayments, documentary stamps on hand, stationeries and supplies on hand, creditable withholding tax, inter-office float items, sundry debits, deferred charges, postages stamps.

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)			December 31, 2023 (Audited)		
	Within One Year	Beyond One Year	Total	Within One Year	Beyond One Year	Total
Financial Liabilities						
Deposit liabilities	P153,581,212	P16,687,355	P170,268,567	P174,454,708	P15,167,996	P189,622,704
Bills payable	–	–	–	271,896	–	271,896
Treasurer's, cashier's and manager's checks	1,459,257	–	1,459,257	1,514,066	–	1,514,066
Accrued other expenses payable	1,676,971	–	1,676,971	1,843,651	–	1,843,651
Accrued interest payable	259,974	–	259,974	515,706	–	515,706
Other liabilities*	2,600,442	815,055	3,415,497	2,574,961	821,665	3,396,626
	159,577,856	17,502,410	177,080,266	181,174,988	15,989,661	197,164,649
Nonfinancial Liabilities						
Accrued other taxes and licenses payable	323,991	–	323,991	304,180	–	304,180
Other liabilities**	887,325	–	887,325	551,507	258,802	810,309
	1,211,316	–	1,211,316	855,687	258,802	1,114,489
	P160,789,172	P17,502,410	P178,291,582	P182,030,675	P16,248,463	P198,279,138

* Other liabilities under financial liabilities comprise accounts payable, lease liabilities, bills purchased contra, other credits, overages, and deposit for safety deposit box.

** Other liabilities under nonfinancial liabilities comprise provision on undrawn portion of committed credit lines, withholding taxes payable, sundry credits, due to the treasurer of the Philippines, SSS, Medicare, ECP & HDMF premium payable and miscellaneous liabilities.

15. Equity

Issued Capital

The movement in the Bank's capital stock consists of:

	June 30, 2024		December 31, 2023	
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount
Authorized common stock - P10 par value	600,000,000	P6,000,000,000	600,000,000	P6,000,000,000
Common Stock - Issued and outstanding	426,859,416	P4,268,594,160	426,859,416	P4,268,594,160

The Bank became listed in the Philippine Stock Exchange (PSE) on October 10, 1994. Subsequently, the SEC approved the increase in the capital stock of the Bank. The summarized information on the Bank's registration of securities under the Securities Regulation Code follows:

Date of SEC Approval	Type	Authorized Shares	Par Value
August 16, 1995	Common	300,000,000	P10
October 8, 1997	Common	425,000,000	P10
November 20, 2019	Common	600,000,000	P10

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the total number of stockholders is 1,432 and 1,438 with share price closed at P55.00 and P56.95, respectively.

On November 28, 2018, the PSE approved the application of the Bank for the listing of additional 142,856,925 common shares to cover the Bank's 1:1.68177 stock rights offering at an offer price of P56.0 per share or additional capital of P8.0 billion. The Bank successfully completed P8.0 billion stock rights offer and shares were listed on January 18, 2019 in the PSE. Capital paid in excess of par related to the offering amounted to P6.5 billion, net of transactions costs of P101.5 million.

On March 12, 2019, the BOD approved (a) the amendment of the AOI to increase the authorized capital stock from ₱4.25 billion to ₱6.00 billion and (b) the declaration of a 11.42% stock dividend equivalent to 43,750,000 shares amounting to ₱2.57 billion representing the minimum 11.42% subscription and paid-up capital for the increase in the authorized capital stock of the Bank which were ratified by the stockholders representing at least 2/3 of the outstanding capital stock on April 15, 2019. These were approved by BSP on August 8, 2019 and by the SEC on November 20, 2019. Following this, the authorized capital stock of the Bank increased from ₱4.25 billion to ₱6.00 billion consisting of 600.00 million common shares with par value of ₱10.00 per share.

On January 16, 2020, the Bank received the SEC order fixing the record date of the 11.42% stock dividend on January 31, 2020. The 11.42% stock dividend was issued on February 21, 2020 with record date on January 31, 2020. On February 17, 2020, the PSE approved the listing of such stock dividend. Capital paid in excess of par related to the issuance of stock dividend amounted to ₱2.1 billion.

Dividends Paid and Proposed

Details of the Bank's dividend distributions as approved by the Bank's BOD and the BSP follow:

Cash Dividends				
Date of declaration	Per share	Total amount	Record date	Payment date
January 17, 2022	0.75	320,144,562	February 2, 2022	February 16, 2022
April 25, 2022	0.75	320,144,562	May 11, 2022	May 21, 2022
July 21, 2022	0.75	320,144,562	August 5, 2022	August 22, 2022
October 20, 2022	0.75	320,144,562	November 7, 2022	November 21, 2022
January 26, 2023	0.75	320,144,562	February 10, 2023	February 27, 2023
April 27, 2023	0.75	320,144,562	May 15, 2023	May 29, 2023
July 20, 2023	0.75	320,144,562	August 4, 2023	August 22, 2023
October 19, 2023	0.75	320,144,562	November 8, 2023	November 20, 2023
January 18, 2024	0.75	320,144,562	February 2, 2024	February 19, 2024
April 25, 2024	0.75	320,144,562	May 13, 2024	May 27, 2024

Stock Dividends				
Date of declaration	Per share	Total amount	Record date	Payment date
March 12, 2019	11.42%	₱—	January 31, 2020	February 21, 2020

The computation of surplus available for dividend declaration in accordance with SEC Memorandum Circular No. 11 issued in December 2008 differs to a certain extent from the computation following BSP guidelines.

The following table presents information used to calculate basic EPS:

			For the Six Months ended June 30	
			2024	2023
			(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
a.	Net income		₱2,563,417,657	₱2,168,289,671
b.	Weighted average number of common shares for basic EPS		426,859,416	426,859,416
c.	Basic/Diluted EPS (a/b)		₱6.01	₱5.08

As of June 30, 2024 and 2023, there were no potential common shares with dilutive effect on the basic EPS of the Bank.

Effect of Existing or Probable Government Regulations

Regulatory Qualifying Capital

Under existing BSP regulations, the determination of the Bank's compliance with regulatory requirements and ratios is based on the amount of the Bank's unimpaired capital (regulatory capital) as reported to the BSP. This is determined on the basis of regulatory accounting policies which differ from PFRS in some respects.

In addition, the risk-based capital ratio of a bank, expressed as a percentage of qualifying capital to risk-weighted assets, should not be less than 10.00% for both solo basis and consolidated basis. Qualifying capital and risk-weighted assets are computed based on BSP regulations.

Risk-weighted assets consist of total assets less cash on hand, due from BSP, loans covered by hold-out on or assignment of deposits, loans or acceptances under letters of credit to the extent covered by margin deposits and other non-risk items determined by the Monetary Board of the BSP.

On January 15, 2013, the BSP issued Circular No. 781, *Basel III Implementing Guidelines on Minimum Capital Requirements*, which states the implementing guidelines on the revised risk-based capital adequacy framework, particularly on the minimum capital and disclosure requirements for universal banks and commercial banks, as well as their subsidiary banks and quasi-banks, in accordance with the Basel III standards. The Circular took effect on January 1, 2014.

On March 29, 2022, the BSP issued Circular No. 1142, Amendments to the Guidelines on the Computation of Minimum Required Capital and Risk-Based Capital Adequacy Ratio, which provides amended guidelines on the computation of the minimum required capital and the risk-based capital adequacy ratio.

The Bank considered BSP regulations, which set out a minimum CET1 ratio of 6.00% and Tier 1 capital ratio of 7.50%, and require capital conservation buffer of 2.50% comprised of CET1 capital. The BSP's existing requirement for Total CAR remains unchanged at 10.00% and these ratios shall be maintained at all times.

Regulatory qualifying capital consists of Tier 1 (going concern) capital, which comprises capital stock, surplus, surplus reserves, net unrealized gains on FVOCI securities, cumulative foreign currency translation and remeasurements of net defined benefit asset. Certain adjustments are made to PFRS-based results and reserves, as prescribed by the BSP. The other component of regulatory capital is Tier 2 (gone-concern) capital, which is comprised of the Bank's general loan loss provision and unsecured subordinated debt (refer to Note 17). Certain items are deducted from the regulatory Gross Qualifying Capital, such as but not limited to, outstanding unsecured credit accommodations, both direct and indirect, to DOSRI, and unsecured loans, other credit accommodations, and guarantees granted to subsidiaries and affiliates (net of specific provisions), deferred tax assets, goodwill, other intangible assets and significant minority investments in a joint venture.

Risk-weighted assets are determined by assigning defined risk weights to amounts of on-balance sheet exposures and to the credit equivalent amounts of off-balance sheet exposures. As of June 30, 2024 and 2023, the Bank has complied with the requirements of BSP Circular No. 781 and BSP Circular No. 538.

On October 29, 2014, the BSP issued Circular No. 856 which covers the implementing guidelines on the framework for dealing with domestic systemically important banks (DSIBs) in accordance with the Basel III standards. Banks identified as DSIBs shall be required to have higher loss absorbency, on top of the minimum CET1 capital and capital conservation buffer. Compliance with this requirement was phased-in starting January 1, 2017, with full compliance on January 1, 2019. On September 27, 2019, the BSP issued Circular No. 1051 which covers the enhancements in the assessment methodology of D-SIBs. The Bank has complied with this requirement.

The issuance of BSP Circular No. 639 covering the Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process (ICAAP) in 2009 supplements the BSP's risk-based capital adequacy framework under BSP Circular No. 538. In compliance with this new circular, the Metrobank Group has adopted and developed its ICAAP framework to ensure that appropriate level and quality of capital are maintained by the Group. Under this framework, the assessment of risks extends beyond the Pillar 1 set of credit, market and operational risks and onto other risks deemed material by the Group. The level and structure of capital are assessed and determined in light of the Group's business environment, plans, performance, risks and budget, as well as regulatory directives. The Bank follows the Group's ICAAP framework and submits the result of its assessment to the Parent Company. Per BSP Circular No. 869, effective January 31, 2015, submission of an ICAAP document is required by BSP every March 31 of each year. The Bank has complied with this requirement.

The Bank has taken into consideration the impact of the foregoing requirements to ensure that the appropriate level and quality of capital are maintained on an ongoing basis. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the CAR as reported to the BSP, were at 24.29% and 24.46%, respectively.

BASEL III Leverage Ratio (BLR)

On June 9, 2015, the BSP issued Circular No. 881 covering the implementing guidelines on the Basel III Leverage Ratio Framework which is designed to act as a supplementary measure to the risk-based capital requirements and shall not be less than 5.0 percent. The monitoring period has been set every quarter starting

December 31, 2014 and extended until June 30, 2018 under BSP Circular No. 990 issued on January 22, 2018. Effective July 1, 2018, the monitoring of the leverage ratio was implemented as a Pillar I minimum requirement.

The Basel III Leverage Ratio is designed to act as a supplementary measure to the risk-based capital requirements. The Basel III Leverage Ratio is defined as the capital measure (the numerator) divided by the exposure measure (the denominator), with this ratio expressed as percentage. Capital measure is the Tier 1 capital. Exposure measure is the sum of on-balance sheet exposures, derivative exposures, security financing exposures and off-balance sheet items. The leverage ratio shall not be less than 5.0 percent computed on both solo (head office plus branches) and consolidated bases (including subsidiary financial allied undertakings but excluding insurance companies).

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Bank maintains these ratios above minimum requirements as shown in the table below (in millions):

	June 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
A. Capital Measure	₱36,696	₱35,878
B. Exposure Measure	217,779	236,514
C. Basel III Leverage Ratio (A/B)	16.85%	15.17%

Summary Comparison of Accounting Assets and Common Disclosure vs. Leverage Ratio Exposures as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023 are shown in the table below (in millions):

Summary Comparison of Accounting Assets vs. Leverage Ratio Exposure	June 30, 2024	December 31, 2023	Common Disclosure vs. Leverage Ratio Exposure	June 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
Total consolidated assets	₱218,697	₱237,120	On-balance sheet exposures	₱214,755	₱229,505
Adjustments for derivative financial instruments	—	—	Derivative exposures	—	—
Adjustments for securities financial transactions	—	—	Securities financing transaction exposures	3,000	6,990
Adjustments for off-balance sheet items	25	20	Other off-balance sheet exposures	25	20
Other adjustments	(942)	(626)	Tier 1 capital	36,696	35,878
			Total Leverage Ratio exposures	₱217,779	₱236,514
Leverage Ratio Exposures	₱217,779	₱236,514	Basel III Leverage Ratio	16.85%	15.17%

Liquidity Coverage Ratio

On March 10, 2016 and February 8, 2018, the BSP issued Circular Nos. 905 and 996, respectively, which include guidelines on LCR, and LCR disclosure standards that are consistent with the Basel III framework. The LCR is the ratio of high-quality liquid assets (HQLAs) to total net cash outflows. To promote the short-term resilience of the liquidity risk profile of the Bank, it shall maintain an adequate stock of unencumbered HQLAs that consists of cash or assets that can be converted into cash at little or no loss of value in private markets, to meet its liquidity needs under stressed conditions. The stock of liquid assets should enable the Bank to withstand significant liquidity shocks for at least thirty (30) calendar days, which would give time for corrective actions to be taken by the Bank's management and/or the BSP.

On March 15, 2019, the BSP issued Circular No. 1035 which approved the: (1) extension of the observation period of the minimum Basel III LCR requirement to December 31, 2019 for subsidiary banks and quasi-banks (QBs) of universal and commercial banks (U/KBs), (2) adoption of a seventy percent (70%) LCR floor for subsidiary banks and QBs during the observation period, (3) minimum requirement of one hundred (100%) starting January 1, 2020. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the LCR in single currency as reported to the BSP, is 229.07% and 167.91%, respectively.

Net Stable Funding Ratio

On June 6, 2018, the BSP issued Circular No. 1007, covering the implementing guidelines on the adoption of the Basel III Framework on Liquidity Standards - NSFR. The NSFR limits overreliance on short-term

wholesale funding and promotes enhanced assessment of funding risk across all on- and off-balance sheet accounts. The NSFR complements the LCR, which promotes short term resilience of the Bank's liquidity profile. The covered bank shall maintain an NSFR of at least 100.0 percent at all times. Compliance with this requirement was phased-in effective July 1, 2018, with full implementation of the minimum NSFR on January 1, 2019.

On March 15, 2019, the BSP issued Circular No. 1034 which approved the extension of the observation period for the Basel III Framework on Liquidity Standards - NSFR for subsidiary banks/quasi-banks.

The implementation of the minimum NSFR shall be phased in to help ensure that the covered banks/QBs can meet the standard through reasonable measures without disrupting credit extension and financial market activities. In order to facilitate compliance, covered banks/QBs shall undergo an observation period before the NSFR becomes a minimum requirement. Subsidiary banks/QBs of U/KBs shall be subject to an NSFR floor of seventy percent (70%) during the observation period. Starting January 1, 2020, the minimum NSFR for subsidiary banks/quasi-banks of universal and commercial banks (UBs/KBs) shall be 100%. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the NSFR as reported to the BSP, were at 137.68% and 139.01%, respectively.

Basel III Countercyclical Capital Buffer

On December 6, 2018, the BSP issued Circular No. 1024 covering the Philippine adoption of the Basel III Countercyclical Capital Buffer (CCyB) which imposed the following capital buffers:

- Capital Conservation buffer (CCB) of two and a half percent (2.5%); and
- Countercyclical capital buffer (CCyB) of zero percent (0%) subject to upward adjustment to a rate determined by the Monetary Board of the BSP when systemic conditions warrant but not to exceed two and a half percent (2.5%). Any increase in the CCyB rate shall be effective 12 months after its announcements. Decreases shall be effective immediately.

The prescribed ratios shall be maintained at all times.

Applicable Tax Regulations

Under Philippine tax laws, the Bank is subject to percentage and other taxes (presented as 'Taxes and licenses' in the statements of income) as well as income taxes. Percentage and other taxes paid consist principally of gross receipts tax (GRT) and documentary stamp tax (DST). Income taxes include corporate income tax, further discussed below, and final taxes paid at the rate of 20.00%, which is a final withholding tax on gross interest income from government securities and other deposit substitutes.

On March 26, 2021, RA No. 11534, otherwise known as Corporate Recovery and Tax Incentives for Enterprises (CREATE) Act was signed into law. CREATE reduced the RCIT rate from 30.00% to 25.00% effective July 1, 2020. With the implementation of this Act, the allowable deduction for interest expense was reduced from 33% to 20.00% of the interest income subject to final tax.

The regulations also provide for MCIT of 2.00% (prior to CREATE) and 1.00% from (July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2023 before reverting to 2.00%) on modified gross income and allow a NOLCO. The MCIT and NOLCO may be applied against the Bank's income tax liability and taxable income, respectively, over a three-year period from the year of inception. For the taxable years 2020, 2021 and 2022, the NOLCO incurred can be carried over as a deduction for the next five (5) consecutive taxable years, pursuant to Revenue Regulation (RR) No. 25-2020.

The deferred tax assets and liabilities as of December 31, 2020 were also remeasured using the lower RCIT rate of 25.00%. These reductions were recognized in the 2021 financial statements.

Starting July 1, 2008, the Optional Standard Deduction (OSD) equivalent to 40.00% of gross income may be claimed as an alternative deduction in computing for the RCIT. The Bank elected to claim itemized expense deductions instead of the OSD in computing for the RCIT in 2022 and 2021.

Current tax regulations also provide for the ceiling on the amount of EAR expense that can be claimed as a deduction against taxable income. Under the regulations, EAR expense allowed as a deductible expense for a service company is limited to the actual EAR paid or incurred but not to exceed 1.00% of net revenue.

FCDU offshore income (income from non-residents) is tax-exempt while gross onshore income (income from residents) is subject to 10.00% income tax. In addition, interest income on deposit placements with other FCDUs and OBUs is taxed at 15.00% in 2022 and 2021. Under current tax regulations, the income derived by the FCDU from foreign currency transactions with non-residents, OBUs, local commercial banks, including branches of foreign banks, is tax-exempt while interest income on foreign currency loans from residents other than OBUs or other depository banks under the expanded system is subject to 10.00% income tax.

Financial Soundness Indicators

The following ratios measure the financial performance of the Bank:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Return on average equity	12.48%	11.72%
Return on average assets	2.24%	1.80%
Net interest margin on average earning assets	5.85%	5.18%
Liquidity ratio	34.79%	48.89%
Debt-to-equity ratio	4.25:1	4.94:1
Asset-to-equity ratio	5.25:1	5.94:1
Interest rate coverage ratio	2.16:1	1.84:1

16. Miscellaneous Income

This account consists of:

	For the Six Months ended June 30	
	2024 (Unaudited)	2023 (Unaudited)
Recovery of charged-off assets	P127,006,051	P163,385,494
Insurance commission income	36,750,658	30,785,360
Rental income	28,314,576	22,885,393
Others	74,592,053	71,968,949
	P266,663,338	P289,025,196

Rental income arises from the lease of properties and safety deposit boxes of the Bank.

Other miscellaneous income includes renewal fees, checkbook charges, break funding cost and other miscellaneous income. Accretion of modified loans amounted to P23.9 million and P38.2 million in June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively.

17. Interest Expense on Deposit Liabilities and Miscellaneous Expenses

Interest expense on deposit liabilities consists of:

	For the Six Months ended June 30	
	2024 (Unaudited)	2023 (Unaudited)
Time	P2,321,667,017	P2,649,300,928
Demand	24,712,236	25,310,887
Savings	22,366,982	22,112,683
LTNCD	12,715,457	132,603,847
	P2,381,461,692	P2,829,328,345

Miscellaneous expenses account consists of:

	For the Six Months ended June 30	
	2024 (Unaudited)	2023 (Unaudited)
Information technology	P233,544,694	P203,715,137
Insurance	178,210,000	199,556,000
Litigation	151,293,913	96,276,109

	For the Six Months ended June 30	
	2024	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Communications	64,864,631	67,252,857
Repairs and maintenance	55,241,965	56,305,071
Supervision and Examination fees	31,712,244	36,339,538
Transportation and traveling	31,477,418	26,726,924
Advertising	25,894,208	25,803,136
Stationery and supplies	17,605,554	19,287,542
Training and seminars	12,114,081	6,578,086
Management and other professional fees	10,667,038	14,462,401
Banking activities expenses	6,740,875	6,481,385
Donations and charitable contributions	5,574,000	5,321,953
Fines, penalties and other charges	2,999,444	69,485,728
Membership fees and dues	2,317,042	1,656,591
Others	5,505,793	2,821,673
	₱835,762,900	₱838,070,131

Insurance expense includes premiums paid to the Philippine Deposit Insurance Corporation (PDIC) amounting to million ₱178.2 million and ₱199.6 million in June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively.

Other expenses include entertainment, amusement and recreation (EAR), rewards and incentives, meeting allowance, sponsorship expenses, home free loan expenses, appraisal fees and notarial fees.

18. Related Party Transactions

Parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability, directly or indirectly, to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial and operating decisions. The Bank's related parties are as follows:

- Bank's Directors, Officers, Stockholders and their Related Interests (DOSRI) as defined per BSP's existing DOSRI rules and regulations;
- Close Family Members (i.e., 2nd degree relatives) of the Bank's Directors, Officers with rank of SVP and up, and Individual Substantial Stockholders;
- Bank's Subsidiaries and Affiliates as defined per BSP's existing rules and regulations on lending to subsidiaries and affiliates;
- Any party that the Bank exerts direct or indirect control over or that exerts direct or indirect control over the Bank;
- Subsidiaries, Affiliates and Special Purpose Entities (SPEs) of any party that the Bank exerts direct or indirect control over or that exerts direct or indirect control over the Bank;
- Corresponding Persons in Affiliated Companies as defined in the Bank's Related Party Transaction (RPT) Policy; and
- Any natural person or juridical entity whose interest may pose potential conflict with the Bank's interest.

The Bank has several business relationships with related parties. The terms of the transactions with such parties are listed below on substantially the same terms, including interest and collateral, as those prevailing at the time for comparable transactions with other parties, and are usually settled in cash. These transactions also did not involve more than the nominal risk of collectability or present other unfavorable conditions.

Transactions with the Retirement Plan

On December 20, 2012, the SEC issued Memorandum Circular No. 12 providing for guidelines on the disclosure of transactions with retirement benefit funds. Under said circular, a reporting entity shall disclose information about any transaction with a related party (retirement fund, in this case) and outstanding balances necessary for an understanding of the potential effect of the relationship on the financial statements.

Under PFRS, certain post-employment benefit plans are considered as related parties. The Bank has business relationships with its retirement plan pursuant to which it provides trust and management services to the said plan. The retirement plan of the employees of the Bank is being managed and maintained by the Trust Division of the Bank.

The following table shows the amount of outstanding balances of related party transactions of the Bank with the retirement plan of the employees of the Bank as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023:

Related Party	Nature of Transaction	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	
		Elements of Transaction	
		Statement of Condition	Statement of Income
Philippine Savings Bank	Savings Deposit	P5,782,749	P-
	Investment in Money Market Fund*	39,352,446	-
	Income from UITF**	-	883,263
	Interest income	-	9,637
First Metro ETF	Equity investment***	25,280,473	-
*Includes fair value gains of P1.5 million			
**Includes fair value loss of P0.4 million			
***Includes fair value loss of P1.7 million			

Related Party	Nature of Transaction	December 31, 2023 (Audited)	
		Elements of Transaction	
		Statement of Condition	Statement of Income
Philippine Savings Bank	Savings Deposit	P5,081,077	P-
	Investment in Money Market Fund*	44,473,708	-
	Income from UITF**	-	1,913,824
	Interest income	-	15,523
First Metro ETF	Equity investment***	25,255,881	-
*Includes fair value gains of P2.0 million			
**Includes fair value gains of P1.5 million			
***Includes fair value loss of P1.7 million			

Transactions relating to the Bank's retirement plan are approved by its Retirement Committee. The voting right over the investments in the Bank's capital stocks is exercised by a member of the Retirement Committee as approved by all members of the Retirement Committee, whom are senior officers of the Bank.

Remunerations of Directors and Other Key Management Personnel

Key management personnel are those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Bank, directly or indirectly. The Bank considers the members of the Management Committee to constitute key management personnel for purposes of PAS 24, *Related Party Disclosures*.

Total remunerations of key management personnel (covering assistant vice presidents and up) included under 'Compensation and fringe benefits' in the statements of income are as follows:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	June 30, 2023 (Unaudited)
Short-term employee benefits	P216,893,158	P198,618,074
Post-employment pension benefits	7,185,127	1,943,568
	P224,078,285	P200,561,642

Short-term employee benefits include salaries and other non-monetary benefits.

Remuneration given to directors, as approved by the Board Remuneration Committee, amounted to P8.0 million and P8.7 million in June 30, 2024 and 2023.

The Bank also provides banking services to directors and other key management personnel and persons connected to them.

Other Related Party Transactions

Other related party transactions of the Bank by category of related party are presented below. The following tables show the amount and outstanding balances included in the financial statements (in thousands):

Category	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)		
	Amount/ Volume	Outstanding Balance	Nature, Terms and Conditions
Parent Company			
Due from other banks	(P10,866)	P1,118,188	Short term peso and foreign-currency denominated deposits with fixed rates ranging from 0.00% to 5.00%
Financial assets at Amortized Cost	-	60,000	Pledged for security of payroll account with MBTC.
Accounts receivable	84,405	87,829	Outstanding ATM service fees, rental and utility receivables, non-interest bearing; no impairment

June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)			
Category	Amount/ Volume	Outstanding Balance	Nature, Terms and Conditions
Interbank Loans Receivable			Peso denominated lending with fixed interest rate ranging from 6.19% to 6.41% maturities ranging from 1 to 5 days,
Placements	4,000,000	–	secured - Php 0.00
Maturities	(4,000,000)	–	
Accrued Interest Receivable	2,134	2,134	Accrued Interest on outstanding Interbank Loans
Prepaid rent	3,305	3,305	From leasing agreement
Miscellaneous assets	856	1,713	Security deposits on lease contracts
Miscellaneous liabilities	1,598	5,156	Advance payments of security deposits
Deposit liabilities	–	79,451	Short term (peso and foreign) denominated deposits and peso time deposits
Accrued other expense payable	(10,939)	14,364	Outstanding information technology expense payable
Interest income	30,810	–	Income on deposits and interbank loans receivables
Rental income	9,506	–	Income from leasing agreements with various lease terms ranging from 2 to 5 years
Rental expense	–	–	Payment of rent
Information technology expense	105,451	–	Payment of information technology expenses
Interest expense	1,796	–	Interest from bills payable
Securities transactions			
Outright purchases	18,753,850	–	Outright purchase of Financial assets at amortized cost investment
Joint Venture			
Investment in a joint venture	54,946	898,795	Capital investment in SMFC
Accounts receivable	245	530	Outstanding rental and utility receivables, non-interest bearing
Deposit liabilities	90,770	479,821	Demand and short-term peso time deposits with annual fixed rates of 0.25% to 5.75%
Accrued interest payable	928	928	Interest payable on deposit liabilities
Miscellaneous liabilities	2,679	10,540	Advance payment of security deposits
Rental income	9,465	–	Income from leasing agreements
Interest expense	21	–	Interest on deposit liabilities
Other Related Parties (DOSRI/Indirect)			
Receivable from customers	–	1,119,201	Peso denominated lending which earn 3.00% to 6.00% with maturity terms from 1 to 15 years (excluding key personnel);
Availment	–	–	mostly unsecured, with ECL
Settlement	(P21,881)	–	
Miscellaneous assets	(1,365)	2,773	Security deposits
Accounts receivable	241	1,286	Outstanding ATM service fees, rental and utility receivables, non-interest bearing
Prepaid insurance	(74)	4,152	Payment of various motor car vehicles, fire, money, security, payroll and robbery insurance
Deposit liabilities	4,004,618	7,771,730	Demand, savings and short-term peso and foreign currency time deposits with fixed rates ranging from 0.05% to 6.00%
Accrued other expense payable	–	446	Outstanding group life insurance
Accrued interest payable	14,600	14,600	Interest payable on deposit liabilities
Accounts payable	665	210	Various personal and car insurance payable
Miscellaneous liabilities	2,101	6,878	Advance payment of security deposits from various tenants
Rental income	5,872	–	Income from leasing agreements with various lease terms
Miscellaneous income	13,334	–	Miscellaneous income from insurance
Insurance expense	27,458	–	Payment of insurance premium
Interest expense	104	–	Interest on deposit liabilities
Rent expense	103	–	Payment of rent expense to various lessors
Securities transactions			
Outright purchases	3,160,000	–	Outright purchase of FVTPL and FVOCI
Key Personnel			
Receivables from customers	–	13,721	Unsecured, no impairment, with annual fixed interest rates of 6.00% and maturities ranging from 2 to 10 years
Placements	2,908	–	
Maturities	3,102	–	
Interest income	570	–	Interest income from loans

December 31, 2023 (Audited)			
Category	Amount/ Volume	Outstanding Balance	Nature, Terms and Conditions
Parent Company			
Due from other banks	(P462,999)	P1,129,054	Short term peso and foreign-currency denominated deposits with fixed rates ranging from 0.00% to 5.00%
Financial assets at amortized cost	–	60,000	Pledged for security of payroll account with MBTC
Interbank loans receivable			Peso denominated lending with fixed interest rate ranging from 6.19% to 6.41% maturities ranging from 1 to 5 days, secured -
Placements	27,000,000	–	Php 0.00
Maturities	(27,000,000)	–	
Accounts receivable	2,118	3,424	Outstanding ATM service fees, rental and utility receivables, non-interest bearing; no impairment
Miscellaneous assets	857	857	Security deposits on lease contracts
Miscellaneous liabilities	1,189	3,558	Advance payments of security deposits from various tenants
Deposit liabilities	–	36,782	Short term peso and foreign-currency denominated deposits
Accrued other expense payable	(128,137)	25,303	Outstanding information technology expense payable
Interest income	9,717	–	Income on deposits and interbank loans receivables
Rental income	9,039	–	Income from leasing agreements with various lease terms ranging from 1 to 5 years
Rent expense	122	–	Payment of rent
Information technology expense	112,411	–	Payment of information technology transactions
Securities transactions			
Outright purchases	60,000	–	Outright purchase of FVOCI investments

Category	December 31, 2023 (Audited)		
	Amount/ Volume	Outstanding Balance	Nature, Terms and Conditions
Joint Venture			
Investment in a joint venture	27,564	843,849	Outstanding balance of capital investment in SMFC
Dividends from joint venture (Forward)	57,600	–	Dividends from SMFC
Accounts receivable	(716)	285	Outstanding rental and utility receivables, non-interest bearing
Deposit liabilities	313,170	389,051	Short term peso time-deposits deposits with annual fixed rates ranging from 5.50% to 5.75%
Miscellaneous liabilities	–	7,861	Advance payment of security deposits
Rental income	12,204	–	Income from leasing agreements
Interest expense	20	–	Interest on deposit liabilities
Other Related Parties (DOSRI/Indirect)			
Receivable from customers		1,141,082	Peso denominated lending with interest rates ranging from 3.00% to
Placements	950,000	–	4.83% with maturity terms of 14 days to 5 years (excluding key
Maturities	(951,433)	–	personnel); mostly unsecured, with ECL
Miscellaneous assets	4,138	4,138	Security deposits
Accounts receivable	372	1,045	Outstanding ATM service fees, rental and utility receivables, non-interest bearing
Prepaid insurance	(2,220)	4,226	Payment of various motor car vehicles, fire, money, security, payroll and robbery insurance
Deposit liabilities	225,907	3,767,112	Demand, savings and short term peso and foreign currency time deposits with fixed rates ranging from 0.00% to 2.00%
Accrued other expense payable	(705)	446	Outstanding group life insurance
Accounts payable	(8,304)	(455)	Various personal and car insurance payable
Miscellaneous liabilities	2,905	4,777	Advance payment of security deposits
Rental income	42,771	–	Income from leasing agreements with various lease terms
Insurance expense	29,846	–	Payment of insurance premium
Interest expense	244	–	Interest on deposit liabilities
Rent expense	165	–	Payment of rent expense to various lessors
Securities transactions			
Outright purchases	₱236,792	₱–	Outright purchase of Financial Assets at amortized cost
Key Personnel			
Receivables from customers		13,914	Unsecured, no impairment, with annual
Availments	2,975	–	fixed interest rates of 6.00%
Maturities	(557)	–	and maturities ranging from 2 to 10 years
Interest income	1,038	–	Interest income from loans

19. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities

In the normal course of the Bank's operations, there are various outstanding commitments and contingent liabilities such as guarantees and commitments to extend credit, which are not reflected in the accompanying financial statements. The Bank, however, does not anticipate significant losses as a result of these transactions.

The following is a summary of the Bank's commitments and contingent liabilities at their equivalent peso contractual amounts:

	June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Trust department accounts	₱10,031,895,431	₱9,295,113,015
Stand-by credit lines	78,519,113	41,100,000
Spot foreign exchange and contracts sale	–	27,685,000
Late deposits/payments received	108,310	290,311
Items held for safekeeping	213,071	215,511
Others	355,212	57,244

Also, several suits and claims, on behalf of or against the Bank in relation to its banking operations and labor-related cases are pending before the courts and quasi-judicial bodies. The Bank and its legal counsel believe that any losses arising from suits and claims which are not specifically provided for will not have a material adverse effect on the financial statements.

20. Subsequent Event

Cash Dividend Declaration

On July 25, 2024, the BOD of the Bank approved the declaration of a 7.5% regular cash dividend for the second quarter of 2024 for stockholders on record as of August 9, 2024 amounting to ₱320.14 million or ₱0.75 per share, to be paid on August 27, 2024.

21. Other Disclosures

- a) There are no unusual items of asset, liability, equity, net income or cash flow.
- b) No material items of changes were noted in the comparison of actual results with estimated amounts.
- c) No unregistered securities were sold or offered for sale by the Bank as of June 30, 2024.
- d) Segment revenue and result of business segments are found in subsequent tables.
- e) The Bank was not engaged in any business combinations, acquisitions or disposal of subsidiaries and long-term investments.

PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK**UNAUDITED SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL SOUNDNESS INDICATORS
AS OF AND FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 AND 2023**

	June 30	
	2024	2023
PROFITABILITY RATIOS		
Return on Assets		
<u>Net Income *</u>	2.24%	1.74%
Average Total Resources		
Return on Equity		
<u>Net Income *</u>	12.48%	11.44%
Average Stockholders' Equity		
Net Interest Margin		
<u>Net Interest Income</u>	5.85%	5.15%
Average Earning Assets		
Cost to Income Ratio		
Operating Expenses Excluding Provision		
<u>for Impairment and Credit Losses and Income Taxes</u>	59.79%	58.87%
Net Interest Income + Operating Income		
SOLVENCY RATIOS		
Debt to Equity Ratio		
<u>Total Liabilities</u>	4.25:1	5.06:1
Total Stockholders' Equity		
Asset-to-Equity Ratio		
<u>Total Assets</u>	5.25:1	6.06:1
Total Stockholders' Equity		
Interest Rate Coverage Ratio		
<u>Earnings Before Interest and Taxes</u>	2.16:1	1.82:1
Interest Expense		
LIQUIDITY RATIOS		
Liquidity Ratio		
<u>Current Assets</u>	34.79%	51.67%
Current Liabilities		
Loans to Deposit Ratio		
<u>Gross Loans</u>	77.60%	63.96%
Total Deposits		
Capital Adequacy Ratio		
<u>Total Qualifying Capital</u>	24.29%	24.59%
Total Risk-Weighted Assets		

*Computed based on annualized net income

PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK**ITEM II. MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS**

Analysis of Statements of ConditionAs of June 30, 2024 (Unaudited) and December 31, 2023 (Audited)

The Bank recorded Total Assets as of June 30, 2024 at ₱220.27 billion. This was 7.62% lower than the ₱238.43 billion level in December 2023.

As of June 30, 2024, Loans and Receivables, net of allowance and unearned interest and discounts, representing 58.83% of total assets was higher by 5.55%, from ₱122.76 billion in December 31, 2023 to ₱129.58 billion recorded in June 2024. Auto Loans grew by 8.78% as vehicle sales in the country continued its uptrend.

Interbank Loans Receivable and Securities Purchased under Resale Agreements increased by 21.61% from ₱6.99 billion in December 2023 to ₱8.50 billion in June 2024. Cash and Other Cash Items went up by 10.42% or ₱172.30 million to ₱1.83 billion in June 2024. Due from Other Banks decreased by ₱214.81 million to ₱1.55 billion from ₱1.76 billion in December 2023. Meanwhile, Due from Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, representing 3.35% of total assets, decreased to ₱7.38 billion from ₱9.75 billion in December 2023.

As of June 30, 2024, Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive Income (FVOCI) went down by ₱24.03 billion to ₱30.33 billion from ₱54.36 billion in December 2023. Fair Value through Profit or Loss Investments (FVTPL) increased by 140.73% or ₱583.06 million to ₱997.36 million in June 2024 from ₱414.30 million in December 2023. Meanwhile, Investment Securities at Amortized Cost decreased by 2.39% or ₱714.42 million as of June 2024. These investment securities represent 27.47% of the total assets as of June 30, 2024.

Investment Properties decreased by ₱107.99 million to ₱3.83 billion as of June 30, 2024. Property and Equipment increased by ₱1.32 million to ₱3.14 billion as of June 30, 2024.

Investments in a joint venture increased by 3.29% to ₱898.79 million as of June 30, 2024, due to the recognition of PSBank's share in the net performance of Sumisho Motor Finance Corporation (SMFC), a joint venture between PSBank and Sumitomo Corporation. As of June 30, 2024, the Bank's ownership interest in SMFC is 30.00%.

Deferred Tax Assets increased by 15.14% to ₱1.45 billion versus ₱1.26 billion in December 2023. Goodwill and Other Intangibles decreased by 14.21% or ₱42.36 million to ₱255.83 million in June 2024 from ₱298.20 million in December 2023.

Other Assets as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023 amounted to ₱1.36 billion and ₱1.35 billion, respectively.

The Bank's deposit level, representing 95.50% of total liabilities, reached ₱170.27 billion, 10.21% lower than ₱189.62 billion in December 2023. CASA increased by ₱1.44 billion to ₱73.23 billion, while Time deposits decreased by 13.93% to ₱97.04 billion in June 2024. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, Long Term Negotiable Certificate of Time Deposits (LTNCD) amounted to nil and ₱5.08 billion, respectively, due to the maturity of LTNCD on February 9, 2024.

Treasurer's, Cashier's and Manager's Checks decreased to ₱1.46 billion in June 2024 from ₱1.51 billion in December 2023. Likewise, Accrued Taxes, Interest and Other Expenses decreased by ₱402.60 million to ₱2.26 billion from ₱2.66 billion in December 2023. Income Tax Payable as of June 30, 2024 was posted at ₱7.00 million representing accrual for the current quarter which is due for remittance to BIR on or before August 29, 2024.

Other Liabilities increased by 2.11% or ₱88.89 million to ₱4.30 billion in June 2024 from ₱4.21 billion as of year-end 2023.

Total Capital remained strong at ₱41.98 billion, 4.54% or ₱1.82 billion higher than December 31, 2023 level of ₱40.15 billion. Fair Value Reserves on Financial Assets at FVOCI was recorded at (₱17.24) million in June 2024 versus ₱70.79 million in December 2023.

The Bank recorded Remeasurement Losses on Retirement Plan of ₱1.13 billion as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023. On the other hand, the Bank's share in the Remeasurement losses on retirement plan of its joint venture was posted at ₱2.42 million as of June 30, 2024.

As of June 30, 2024, Cumulative Translation Adjustment amounted to ₱8.33 million.

As of June 30, 2024, Capital Adequacy Ratio (CAR) was at 24.29%. This is above the minimum regulatory requirement of 10%.

Return on Average Equity (ROAE) was registered at 12.48% in June 2024 compared to the 11.72% recorded in December 2023. Return on Average Assets (ROAA) was at 2.24% in June 2024 versus 1.80% in 2023.

Discussion of Results of Operations

For the six months ended June 30, 2024 (Unaudited) and June 30, 2023 (Unaudited)

The Bank grew its net income by 18.22% to ₱2.56 billion in the first half of 2024 from ₱2.17 billion reported last year resulting in an annualized return on equity of 12.48%. The strong demand for consumer loans and improvement in credit quality contributed to the Bank's solid financial performance.

Total Interest Income for the first six months of 2024 was recorded at ₱8.52 billion, 2.78% lower than ₱8.76 billion in the same quarter last year. Total Interest Expense decreased by 16.33% or ₱474.61 million to ₱2.43 billion from ₱2.91 billion year on year. Net Interest Income increased by 3.94% or ₱230.89 million to ₱6.08 billion versus the ₱5.85 billion posted during the same period last year.

Interest income on Loans and Receivables was recorded at ₱6.18 billion, 11.65% higher than ₱5.53 billion recorded on the same period last year. Interest income on Investment Securities decreased to ₱1.90 billion from ₱2.14 billion year on year. Interest earned from deposits with BSP and other banks decreased to ₱220.38 million and ₱5.68 million, respectively. Meanwhile, Interest earned from Interbank Loans Receivable and SPURA went down to ₱213.41 million or 0.87% lower than the ₱215.29 million posted in 2023.

Interest Expense on the Bank's deposit liabilities decreased by 15.83% to ₱2.38 billion. The Bank recorded ₱39.14 million in Interest Expense on lease liabilities and ₱11.70 million Interest Expense on bills payable for the first half of 2024.

Net Service Fees and Commission Income amounted to ₱907.77 million as of June 30, 2024.

Meanwhile, Other Operating Income increased by 4.53% or ₱32.63 million to ₱753.19 million.

The Bank posted a net gain on foreclosure and sale of chattel mortgage amounting to ₱237.74 million and ₱282.18 million. Net gain on foreclosure and sale of investment properties amounting to ₱247.39 million in June 2024, increased by ₱109.83 million or 79.84% from ₱137.56 million in 2023.

For the six months ended June 30, 2024, Gain on sale of property and equipment and Trading and securities gains - net were recorded at ₱2.66 million and ₱0.59 million, respectively. Meanwhile, Foreign exchange loss and Miscellaneous Income were posted at (₱1.85) million and ₱266.66 million, respectively.

Other Operating Expenses, excluding provision for impairment and credit losses, increased by 5.10% to ₱4.62 billion in June 2024 from ₱4.39 billion in June 2023. Taxes and Licenses went down by 4.57% or ₱38.03 million to ₱794.24 million from ₱832.27 million in 2023. Depreciation and amortization of Bank's properties and leasehold improvements rose to ₱459.71 million, 15.91% or ₱63.09 million higher than ₱396.61 million recorded in June 2023. Meanwhile, amortization of software costs was recorded at ₱50.48 million in June 2024. Compensation and Fringe Benefits amounted to ₱2.04 billion while security, messengerial and janitorial services was at ₱256.09 million. Occupancy and equipment-related costs and Miscellaneous Expenses were recorded at ₱180.25 million and ₱835.76 million, respectively.

For the period ended June 30, 2024, the Bank set aside ₱346.05 million in provision for impairment and credit losses.

The Bank also reported share in net performance from its investment in Sumisho Motor Finance Corporation (SMFC) amounting to ₱42.08 million in June 2024.

For the quarter ended June 30, 2024 (Unaudited) vs. June 30, 2023 (Unaudited)

The Bank reflected a net income after tax of ₱1.36 billion for the quarter ended June 30, 2024, ₱168.31 million higher than the ₱1.19 billion reported for the same quarter last year.

Total Interest Income for the second quarter of 2024 was registered at ₱4.16 billion, 4.59% lower than the ₱4.36 billion recorded in the same quarter last year. Meanwhile, Total Interest Expense went down by 23.23% to ₱1.11 billion from ₱1.45 billion posted during the same quarter last year. These resulted to increase in Net Interest Income by 4.70% or ₱136.66 million to ₱3.04 billion from the ₱2.91 billion recorded during the second quarter of 2023.

Interest income on Loans and Receivables increased by ₱314.51 million or 11.20% to ₱3.12 billion as compared against the ₱2.81 billion posted during same quarter last year. Interest earned from Investment Securities decreased by 17.16% or ₱178.79 million to ₱863.03 million. Interest earned from Interbank Loans Receivable and SPURA decreased by ₱31.38 million, 25.72% lower than the ₱122.00 million in 2023. Interest earned from deposit with BSP was recorded at ₱76.86 million. Interest income from placements with other banks was lower at ₱2.84 million versus ₱6.62 million recorded last year of the same quarter.

Other Operating Income slid to ₱320.88 million during the second quarter of 2024. The gain on foreclosure and sale of chattel mortgage properties was posted at ₱95.10 million versus ₱153.87 million during the same quarter in 2023. Gain from foreclosure and sale of investment properties was higher at ₱106.54 million versus ₱66.65 million during the same quarter last year. Miscellaneous Income decreased by ₱6.94 million to ₱140.85 million from ₱147.79 million during the second quarter of 2023. The Bank reflected a foreign exchange gain (loss) of (₱3.19) million and ₱2.69 million for the second quarter of 2024 and 2023, respectively.

Total Operating Expenses, excluding provision for impairment was recorded at ₱2.31 billion and ₱2.20 billion for the second quarter of 2024 and 2023, respectively. The Bank set aside a provision for credit loss of ₱202.59 million during the second quarter of 2024.

Compensation and fringe benefits increased by 7.35% or ₱70.53 million to ₱1.03 billion from ₱0.96 billion. Occupancy and equipment-related costs was higher by 8.56% or ₱7.30 million to ₱92.57 million compared to ₱85.27 million on the same quarter last year. Security, messengerial and janitorial services increased to ₱134.70 million from ₱101.58 million during the second quarter of 2023. Amortization of software costs went up to ₱26.44 million in 2024 from ₱25.01 million posted a year ago. In addition, taxes and licenses was down to ₱367.28 million from ₱400.29 million for the quarter ended June 2023.

The Bank also recorded share in income from its investments in Sumisho Motor Finance Corporation (SMFC) amounting to ₱20.44 million and ₱22.03 million for the second quarter of 2024 and 2023, respectively.

Analysis of Key Financial Soundness Indicators

For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2024 vs. June 30, 2023 Comparative highlights on Key Financial Soundness Indicators

The following ratios measure the financial performance of the Bank:

		June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Return on Average Equity*	ROAE	12.48%	11.44%	11.72%
Return on Average Assets*	ROAA	2.24%	1.74%	1.80%
Net Interest Margin on Average Earning Assets	NIM	5.85%	5.15%	5.18%
Earnings per share	EPS	₱6.01	₱5.08	₱10.61

		June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023 (Audited)
Capital-to-Risk Assets Ratio	CAR	24.29%	24.59%	24.46%
Liquidity Ratio	LR	34.79%	51.67%	48.89%
Debt-Equity Ratio	DER	4.25:1	5.06:1	4.94:1
Asset-to-Equity Ratio	AER	5.25:1	6.06:1	5.94:1
Interest Rate Coverage Ratio	IRCR	2.16:1	1.82:1	1.84:1

* computed based on annualized/normalized net income

1. Return on Average Equity (ROAE) in June 30, 2024 increased to 12.48% from 11.44% in the same period last year. ROAE measures how well the Bank is using common shareholders' invested money. It is calculated by dividing the annualized/normalized net income by the average of the outstanding balances of shareholders' equity at the beginning and ending of the period.
2. Return on Average Assets (ROAA) increased to 2.24% from 1.74% in June 30, 2024 versus the same period last year. ROAA is calculated by dividing the annualized/normalized net income by the average of the outstanding balances of total assets at the beginning and ending of the period.
3. Net Interest Margin on Average Earning Assets (NIM) was posted at 5.85% and 5.15% for the comparative periods of June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively. NIM is calculated by dividing the net interest income by the average earning assets. Average interest-earning assets is based on outstanding balances at the beginning and ending of the period divided by two. (Earning assets comprised of Due from BSP - Specialized Deposit Account, Due from Other Banks, Interbank Loans Receivable and Securities Purchased Under Resale Agreements, Loans & Discounts (Current), Bills Purchased, and Sales Contract Receivables, Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss (FVTPL), Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive (FVOCI) and Investment at amortized cost.
4. Earnings per Share (EPS) was higher at ₱6.01 as of June 30, 2024 compared to the ₱5.08 EPS as of June 30, 2023. EPS represents the net profit the Bank has generated per common share. It is computed by dividing the year to date net income by the weighted average number of outstanding common shares.
5. Capital-to-Risk Assets Ratio (CAR) was at 24.29% in June 2024 versus 24.59% in June 2023. CAR is the measure of the Bank's capital strength. It is calculated by dividing the qualified capital by risk-weighted assets as defined by the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP).
6. Liquidity Ratio (LR) was lower at 34.79% in June 2024 from 51.67% the same period last year. LR measures the Bank's ability to meet its short-term liabilities. It is derived by dividing the current assets by current liabilities.
7. Debt-to-Equity Ratio (DER) decreased to 4.25:1 as of June 30, 2024 from 5.06:1 in June 2023. DER indicates the extent to which the Bank's leveraged, or financed by credit. This is computed by dividing total liabilities by total stockholder's equity.
8. Asset-to-Equity Ratio (AER) was lower at 5.25:1 as of June 30, 2024 from 6.06:1 as of June 30, 2023. AER is computed by dividing the total assets by total shareholder's equity.
9. Interest Rate Coverage Ratio (IRCR) increased to 2.16:1 this year from 1.82:1 in June 2023. IRCR is a measure of the Bank's ability to meet its interest payments on outstanding debt. It is calculated by dividing the total earnings before interest and taxes over interest expense.

Key Variables and Other Qualitative and Quantitative Factors

Liquidity

PSBank manages its liquidity position to ensure that it has more than adequate funds to meet its obligations at any given time. The Bank monitors its daily liquidity and reserve position by determining inflows and outflows, short-term and long-term obligations, holdings and repayments. Short-term liquidity management identifies obligations and repayments in the next 12-months, aids in the determination of the securities trading strategy, and influences the Bank's pricing mechanism. On the other hand, long-term liquidity management covers maturing obligations and repayments of loans and investments beyond the next 12-months.

The level of liquid assets remained strong, exhibiting healthy growth in both placements with BSP/other banks and investments.

With the Bank's high capitalization, current liquidity position, strong deposit growth trend, continuing development of retail and corporate accounts, and prudent liquidity management, PSBank does not anticipate encountering any cash flow or liquidity problems in the next 12 months. It remains confident of its ability to meet its obligations and is committed to providing the necessary funding to support the projected loan growth, investment activities and expenditures for 2024.

The Bank also performs liquidity stress testing under various stress scenarios to ensure its ability to meet its funding obligations. The Bank has a Liquidity Contingency Funding Plan to anticipate and manage any funding crisis that may occur.

Material Commitments for Capital Expenditures

The Bank's capital expenditure target in 2024 includes projected expenses for IT-related activities on systems and licenses, and upgrade of bank premises including infrastructure, furniture, fixtures and equipment.

Causes for Any Material Changes from Period to Period of Financial Statements

See previous discussion on Analysis of Statement of Condition and Discussion of Results of Operations.

Known Trends, Events or Uncertainties or Seasonal Aspects

The financial statements of the Bank have been prepared in compliance with Philippine Financial Reporting Standards (PFRS).

Annex 9**PHILIPPINE SAVINGS BANK**
AGING OF RECEIVABLES

As of June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)								
	TOTAL	CURRENT	PAST DUE & ITEMS IN LITIGATION	PAST DUE				ITEMS IN LITIGATION
				90 Days or Less	91-180 Days	181 Days to 1 Year	More Than 1 Year	
Accounts Receivables	₱731,981,973	₱210,669,511	₱521,312,462	₱21,340,999	₱11,226,636	₱8,506,419	₱470,157,447	₱10,080,961
Accrued Interest Receivables	2,313,167,884	2,088,504,114	224,663,770	120,277,319	32,275,639	19,642,041	23,473,242	28,995,529
Sales Contract Receivable	4,621,289	192,281	4,429,008	101,171	-	-	-	4,327,837
Total Receivables	₱3,049,771,146	₱2,299,365,906	₱750,405,240	₱141,719,489	₱43,502,275	₱28,148,460	₱493,630,689	₱43,404,327