Unaudited Interim Financial Statements for the six months ended 31 December 2012

AFRASIA BANK LIMITED

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012				
	6 months ended 31 December 2012	Year ended 30 June 2012		
	Rs.	Rs.		
Interest income	476,450,370	829,230,689		
Interest expense	(307,696,459)	(506,702,307)		
Net interest income	168,753,911	322,528,382		
Fees and commission income	55,082,190	116,006,675		
Fees and commission expense	(8,039,533)	(14,576,701)		
Net fees and commission income	47,042,657	101,429,974		
Net trading income	51,060,547	62,056,737		
Other operating income	643,834	11,210,410		
Total operating income	267,500,949	497,225,503		
Net allowance for credit impairment	(6,015,946)	(24,874,478)		
Net operating income	261,485,003	472,351,025		
Personnel expenses	(66,008,871)	(172,852,372)		
Depreciation of equipment	(1,837,129)	(3,226,406)		
Amortisation of intangible assets	(2,778,187)	(4,031,198)		
Other operating expenses	(62,930,534)	(91,881,232)		
Total operating expenses	(133,554,721)	(271,991,208)		
Profit before tax	127,930,282	200,359,817		
Tax expense	(15,858,019)	(20,092,051)		
Profit for the period/year	112,072,263	180,267,766		
Other comprehensive income	-			
Total comprehensive income for the period/year	112,072,263	180,267,766		

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2012					
	As at 31 December 2012	As at 30 June 2012			
	Rs.	Rs.			
ASSETS					
Cash and balances with the Central Bank	1,390,439,623	676,371,624			
Due from banks	5,242,538,079	3,527,119,302			
Derivative financial instruments	29,105,255	123,782,046			
Other financial assets-held-for-trading	960,690,135	1,162,543,500			
Loans and advances to customers	12,889,282,841	12,784,435,754			
Financial investments held-to-maturity	4,514,533,037	3,506,007,725			
Investment in subsidiaries	380,501,593	363,163,638			
Equipment	18,259,936	14,313,604			
Intangible assets	18,340,074	17,094,812			
Deferred tax assets	10,328,244	7,637,567			
Other assets	48,477,433	29,365,439			
TOTAL ASSETS	25,502,496,250	22,211,835,011			
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY					
Due to banks	38,404,260	8,516,013			
Derivative financial instruments	2,477,631	63,249,865			
Deposits from customers	22,408,983,075	19,628,367,164			
Debts issued	827,112,370	565,479,715			
Amount due to subsidiary	128,546,042	123,146,176			
Current tax liabilities	12,830,966	9,631,747			
Other liabilities	81,782,320	131,281,959			
TOTAL LIABILITIES	23,500,136,664	20,529,672,639			
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT					
Issued capital	1,694,593,418	1,398,457,492			
Retained earnings	208,127,942	189,817,849			
Other reserves	99,638,226	93,887,031			
TOTAL EQUITY	2,002,359,586	1,682,162,372			
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	25,502,496,250	22,211,835,011			

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012						
	Issued capital	Retained earnings	Other reserves	Total		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
At 1 July 2011	921,638,335	91,263,376	46,487,399	1,059,389,110		
Issue of shares	476,819,157	-	-	476,819,157		
Profit for the year	-	180,267,766	-	180,267,766		
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-		
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	180,267,766	-	180,267,766		
Share-based payments	-	-	247,217	247,217		
Appropriation of reserves	-	(47,152,415)	47,152,415	-		
Dividends	-	(34,560,878)	-	(34,560,878)		
At 30 June 2012	1,398,457,492	189,817,849	93,887,031	1,682,162,372		
At 1 July 2012	1,398,457,492	189,817,849	93,887,031	1,682,162,372		
Issue of shares	296,135,926	-	-	296,135,926		
Profit for the period	-	112,072,263	-	112,072,263		
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-		
Total comprehensive income for the period Share-based payments	-	112,072,263	- 57,046	112,072,263 57,046		
Appropriation of reserves	-	(5,694,149)	5,694,149	-		
Dividends paid	-	(88,068,021)	-	(88,068,021)		
At 31 December 2012	1,694,593,418	208,127,942	99,638,226	2,002,359,586		

MANAGEMENT'S COMMENTS

Considering the unstable economic environment and relatively slow growth in the domestic economy, AfrAsia Bank is pleased to publish a half yearly net profit after tax of Rs112,1m for the period ended 31st December 2012; the main driver being a steady growth in its net interest income, from Rs79,8m in the first quarter of the financial year to Rs88,9m in the second quarter. A good progress of 15% was also noted in net fees and commission income.

AfrAsia Bank continues to invest in its delivery capabilities and its people to better serve its customers. The Bank's operating results reflect its commitment to building and maintaining collaborative and privileged relationships with its customers, which grew deposits by 14% to reach Rs22,4bn over the half year under review. Challenging economic conditions however caused the loan book to stagnate at around Rs12,9bn.

The "bank different" strategy has also captured the attention of international investors. AfrAsia Bank successfully attracted a new shareholder, bringing an additional Tier 1 capital of Rs296,1m in November 2012, raising total issued capital to Rs1,7bn. Given the strong financial performance for the year ended 30 June 2012, a dividend per share of Rs1.25 amounting to Rs88,1m was paid during the second quarter of the financial year.

