Condensed consolidated interim financial statements

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REPORT ON REVIEW OF CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF AL RAMZ CORPORATION INVESTMENT AND DEVELOPMENT PJSC

#### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying condensed consolidated interim financial statements of Al Ramz Corporation Investment and Development PJSC (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (together the "Group") as at 30 September 2022, comprising of the condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position as at 30 September 2022 and the related condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income for the three month and nine month periods ended 30 September 2022 and the condensed consolidated interim statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the nine month period ended and explanatory information. Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of this interim financial information in accordance with International Accounting Standard IAS 34, Interim Financial Reporting ("IAS 34"). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim financial information based on our review.

#### Scope of review

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

#### Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

Signed by
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Partner
Ernst & Young
Registration No 811

7 November 2022 Abu Dhabi

Condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income For the nine-months period ended 30 September (Unaudited)

		For the three months ended 30 September			ine months September
	Note	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000
Net commission income		9,342	8,944	33,841	26,506
Finance income from margin receivables Finance income from deposits and investments Finance cost		7,781 672 (1,000)	5,954 761 (893)	23,932 2,317 (3,925)	17,223 2,460 (3,534)
Net finance income		7,453	5,822	22,324	16,149
Corporate finance, advisory and other income Investment (loss)/gain, net General and administrative expenses Provision for expected credit losses	<i>4 5</i>	8,760 (1,547) (17,509) (39)	9,221 (920) (14,267) (1,245)	26,944 (2,845) (51,291) (331)	27,536 3,873 (44,164) (2,329)
Profit for the period		6,460	7,555	28,642	27,571
Other comprehensive income		ii ve	<b>35</b> 3	-1	;i <del>e</del>
Total comprehensive income for the period		6,460	7,555	28,642	27,571
Basic and diluted earnings per share (AED)	16	0.012	0.014	0.052	0.052

The notes 1 to 18 form an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position As at 30 September 2022

		Unaudited 30 September 2022	Audited 31 December 2021
Assets	Note	AED'000	AED'000
Non-current assets			
Property and equipment		33,370	27,248
Goodwill		24,570	24,570
Right of use asset		1,056	1,180
		58,996	52,998
Current assets			
Margin and trade receivables	6	284,499	318,883
Other assets		3,246	4,817
Guarantee deposits		19,750	14,950
Due from securities markets Investments at fair value through profit or loss	O	200,403 69,213	18,006 166,708
Bank balances and cash	8 7	426,816	464,554
		1,003,927	987,918
TOTAL ASSETS		1,062,923	1,040,916
Equity and liabilities			
Equity			
Share capital	9	549,916	549,916
Acquisition reserve	10	(283,966)	(283,966)
Statutory reserve		86,034	86,034
General reserve		2,726	2,726
Treasury stock		(34,882)	(34,882)
Retained earnings		164,731	156,013
Total equity		484,559	475,841
Non-current liabilities		5 005	4.610
Employees' end of service benefits	11	5,097	4,610
Lease liability		1,010	1,124
		6,107	5,734
Current liabilities		1.16	100
Lease liability Accounts payable and accruals	13	146	123
Due to securities markets	12	469,013 33,676	368,062
Short term borrowings	13	69,422	191,156
		572,257	559,341
Total liabilities		578,364	565,075
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		1,062,923	1,040,916

To the best of our knowledge, the condensed consolidated intering financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position, financial performance and gash flows of the Group as of and for the periods presented therein.

Chairman

Managung Director

Chief Operating Officer

The notes 1 to 18 form an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Al Ramz Corporation Investment and Development P.J.S.C. Condensed consolidated interim statement of changes in equity For the nine-months period ended 30 September (Unaudited)

	Share capital AED'000	Treasury stock AED'000	Acquisition reserve AED'000	Statutory reserve AED'000	General reserve AED'000	Retained earnings AED'000	Total equity AED'000
Balance at 1 January 2021 (Audited)	549,916	¢) į	(283,966)	80,582	* 1	120,336	466,868
Total comprehensive income for the period Purchase of treasury stocks (note 9)		(18,998)	nd a	000 - 30CS	6 J.	27,571	27,571 (18,998)
Dividend distributions (note 18)	*	3	3	9a	)	(10,660)	(10,660)
Balance at 30 September 2021 (Unaudited)	549,916	(18,998)	(283,966)	80,582		137,247	464,781
Balance at 1 January 2022 (Audited)  Total comprehensive income for the period  Dividend distributions (note 18)	549,916	(34,882)	(283,966)	86,034	2,726	156,013 28,642 (19,924)	475,841 28,642 (19,924)
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# Condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows

For the nine-months period ended 30 September (Unaudited)

Cash flows from operating activities  Profit for the period  Adjustments for:  Depreciation 5  Provision for employees' end of service benefits 11  Finance income from deposits and investments  Unrealized loss / (gain) on investments carried at fair value through profit or loss 4  Dividend income 4  (Reversal) / Provision for expected credit losses, net 6  Gain on disposal of investment property  Depreciation of right of use asset  Finance costs	28,642 3,330 1,198 (2,317) 11,880 (3,104) (27)	27,571  2,941 505 (2,460)  (3,875) (30)
Adjustments for:  Depreciation 5 Provision for employees' end of service benefits 11 Finance income from deposits and investments Unrealized loss / (gain) on investments carried at fair value through profit or loss 4 Dividend income 4 (Reversal) / Provision for expected credit losses, net 6 Gain on disposal of investment property Depreciation of right of use asset	3,330 1,198 (2,317) 11,880 (3,104) (27)	2,941 505 (2,460) (3,875) (30)
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value through profit or loss  Dividend income  4  (Reversal) / Provision for expected credit losses, net  Gain on disposal of investment property  Depreciation of right of use asset	(3,104) (27)	(30)
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Gain on disposal of investment property  Depreciation of right of use asset	· ·	
Depreciation of right of use asset	<u></u>	2,329
-		(50)
Finance costs	124	123
	3,925	4,902
Changes in:	43,651	31,956
Margin and trade receivables	34,411	(50,949)
Other assets	1,571	(305)
Guarantee deposits	(4,800)	(505)
Due from securities market	(182,397)	(4,516)
Accounts payable and accruals	100,951	35,615
Due to securities market	33,676	(25,339)
Cash generated from / (used in) operating activities	27,063	(13,538)
Employees' end of service benefits paid	(711)	(774)
Finance costs paid	(3,925)	(4,902)
Net cash generated from / (used in) operating activities	22,427	(19,214)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchase of property and equipment	(9,452)	(4,456)
Proceeds from disposal of investment property		1,050
Decrease in clients' deposits	39,306	77
Purchase of investments carried at fair value through profit or loss  Proceed from sale of investments carried at fair value through profit or loss  8	(6,803)	(111,556)
Proceed from sale of investments carried at fair value through profit or loss  8 Interest income received	92,418 2,317	108,894 2,460
Purchase of treasury stocks	2,517	(18,998)
Dividend income received	3,104	30
Changes in deposits with original maturity more than 3 months	(2,090)	19,727
Not each generated from / (used in) investing activities	119 900	(2.772)
Net cash generated from / (used in) investing activities	118,800	(2,772)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Loan settlements	(0.1)	(27,653)
Payment of lease liability Dividends paid	(91)	(40)
Proceeds from borrowings	(19,924)	(10,660) 26,652
Trocceds from borrowings		20,032
Net cash used in financing activities	(20,015)	(11,701)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	121,212	(33,687)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	(133,997)	(48,581)
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period 7	(12,785)	(82,268)

The notes 1 to 18 form an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial statements 30 September 2022

## 1. Corporate information

Founded in 1998, Al Ramz Corporation Investment and Development P.J.S.C (the "Company") is a UAE domiciled public joint stock company listed on the Dubai Financial Market and regulated by the UAE Securities and Commodities Authority as well as the Dubai Financial Services Authority. The Company is a premier financial institution providing a broad spectrum of services including asset management, corporate finance, brokerage, lending, market making, liquidity providing and research.

The main activities of the Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Group") are to invest and manage commercial, industrial and agricultural enterprises and to provide brokerage services including brokerage in selling and buying shares, margin trading, market making and liquidity providing and to perform all related transactions and activities. The Company's registered office is P.O. Box 32000, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates.

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Group's Board of Directors on 7 November 2022.

#### 2 Basis of preparation and changes to the Group's accounting policies

#### 2.1 Basis of preparation

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the nine months ended 30 September 2022 have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting and the applicable requirements of the UAE Federal Law No. 32 of 2021.

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements as at 31 December 2021. However, selected explanatory notes are included to explain events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in the Group's consolidated financial position and performance since the last annual consolidated financial statements.

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for investments at fair value through profit or loss which are measured at fair value at the reporting date.

#### 2.2 New standards, interpretations and amendments adopted by the Group

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021, except for the adoption of new standards effective as of 1 January 2022. The Group has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

Several amendments and interpretations apply for the first time in 2022, but do not have an impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group.

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## 2 Basis of preparation and changes to the Group's accounting policies (continued)

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

- Reference to the Conceptual Framework Amendments to IFRS 3;
- Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use Amendments to IAS 16;
- Onerous Contracts Costs of Fulfilling a Contract Amendments to IAS 37;
- IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards Subsidiary as a first-time adopter;
- IFRS 9 Financial Instruments Fees in the '10 per cent' test for derecognition of financial liabilities;
- IAS 41 Agriculture Taxation in fair value measurements

The Group intends to use the practical expedients in future periods if they become applicable.

#### 2.3 Use of judgements and estimates

In preparing these condensed consolidated interim financial statements, management has made judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The significant judgements made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2021.

#### 2.4 Basis of consolidation

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries for the nine month period ended 30 September 2022.

The financial statements of the subsidiaries are prepared for the same reporting period as the Group, using consistent accounting policies. All intra-group balances, transactions, income and expenses and profits and losses resulting from intra-group transactions are eliminated in full.

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## 2 Basis of preparation and changes to the Group's accounting policies (continued)

#### 2.4 Basis of consolidation (continued)

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements include the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries listed below:

		Percentage	of holding	
Name	Country of incorporation	September 2022	December 2021	Principal activities
Subsidiaries			·	S <del></del>
Al Ramz Capital LLC	UAE	99%	99%	Providing brokerage services including brokerage in selling and buying shares, margin trading and to perform all related transactions and activities
ARC Real Estate LLC	UAE	99%	99%	Buying and selling of real estate
ARC Investment LLC	UAE	99%	99%	Invest commercial, industrial, retail trade, educational, tourist, and agricultural enterprises
ARC Properties LLC	UAE	99%	99%	Offshore reclamation contracts, services for fixing water installation for marine facilities and excavation contracts
Dubai International Securities One Person Company LLC	UAE	100%	100%	Providing brokerage services including brokerage in selling and buying shares, margin trading and to perform all related transactions and activities

These subsidiaries are considered as wholly owned by the Group as non-controlling interest is held for the beneficial interest of the Group. Accordingly, no non-controlling interest is accounted for in relation to these entities in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Generally, the Group is operating in a single segment; the brokerage and money markets, in single geographic area; the United Arab Emirates.

#### 3. Functional and presentation currency

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been presented in United Arab Emirates Dirhams ("AED"), which is the functional currency of the Group and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand dirhams, except where otherwise indicated.

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# 4. Investment (loss) / gain, net

	For the three months ended 30 September		For the nine months ended 30 September	
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Unrealised (loss) / gain on investments carried at fair value through profit or loss Realised (loss) gain on investments	(2,595)	(1,202)	(11,880)	3,875
carried at fair value through profit or loss	(910)	(138)	1,234	(144)
Dividend income	37	72	3,104	30
Rebate income	1,908	907	4,697	1,595
Custody and service fees	<b>=</b> /	(34)	-	(115)
Finance cost	13	(453)		(1,368)
	(1,547)	(920)	(2,845)	3,873

# 5. General and administrative expenses

	For three mended 30 Sc	onths	For nine m ended 30 S	onths
	2022	2021	2022	2021
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Staff costs Subscription and membership Depreciation Legal expenses IT expenses Communication expense Advertisement and marketing Rent expenses Other expenses	12,717	11,071	38,760	34,772
	1,341	883	3,704	2,429
	1,143	1,001	3,330	2,941
	360	80	993	279
	323	319	856	944
	135	135	375	355
	72	158	353	556
	21	41	63	159
	1,397	579	2,857	1,729
	17,509	14,267	51,291	44,164

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#### 6. Margin and trade receivables

	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Audited 31 December 2021 AED'000
Margin receivables, net Trade receivables, net	255,034 29,465	312,422 6,461
	284,499	318,883
Margin receivables Less: provision for expected credit losses	263,543 (8,509)	321,024 (8,602)
Margin receivables, net	255,034	312,422
Trade receivables Less: provision for expected credit losses	33,789 (4,324)	10,719 (4,258)
Trade receivables, net	29,465	6,461

Movement in provision for expected credit losses related to margin and trade receivables for the period / year:

	Unaudited	Audited
	30 September	31 December
	2022	2021
	AED'000	AED'000
Opening balance	12,860	9,285
Provided during the period / year	331	3,940
Reversals during the period / year	(358)	(353)
Write-offs	<u>~</u>	(12)
Closing balance	12,833	12,860

The Group is licensed to provide finance to its clients as a percentage of the market value of pledged securities. The Group charges interest on amounts due.

Customers are required to provide additional cash or securities if the price of pledged securities drops against the minimum eligibility of 125% (2021:125%). If minimum eligibility is breached, the Group commences liquidation of the pledged securities. The fair value of pledged securities held as collateral against margin receivables amounted to AED 1,128,065 thousand as at 30 September 2022 (31 December 2021: AED 1,963,342 thousand).

There are no significant changes to the overall commitments to extend margins during the period.

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#### 7 Bank balances and cash

	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Audited 31 December 2021 AED'000
Group's bank accounts for client's		
deposit*	286,640	325,946
Deposit account balances with banks	100,439	98,349
Current account balances with banks	39,686	39,122
Cash in money market fund	5	1,070
Cash in hand	46	67
	426,816	464,554

Bank balances are located within the UAE. Bank deposits carry interest at market rates. Bank balances include balances amounting to AED 87,500 thousand (31 December 2021: AED 87,500 thousand)) held as security against bank overdrafts.

Cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of the condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows comprise of the following:

	Unaudited	Audited
	30 September	31 December
	2022	2021
	<b>AED'000</b>	AED'000
Bank balance and cash	426,816	464,554
Less: Deposits with original maturity greater than three		
months	(100,439)	(98,349)
Less: Group's bank accounts for clients' deposits*	(286,640)	(325,946)
Less: Bank overdrafts (note 13)	(52,522)	(174,256)
	(12,785)	(133,997)

<sup>\*</sup>In accordance with the regulations issued by the Emirates Securities and Commodities Authority ("ESCA") the Group maintains separate bank accounts for advances received from its customers ("clients' deposits"). The clients' deposits are not available to the Group other than to settle transactions executed on behalf of the customers. Although the use of the clients' deposits by the Group is restricted, they have been presented on balance sheet as notified by ESCA.

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#### 8 Investments at fair value through profit and loss

These represent investment in quoted bonds, quoted and unquoted equity investments and are held for trading purpose. Movements in the investments at fair value through profit or loss are as follows:

	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Audited 31 December 2021 AED'000
At 1 January Additions during the period / year Disposals during the period / year Unrealised (loss) / gain (note 4)	166,708 6,803 (92,418) (11,880)	178,864 131,227 (162,034) 18,651
	<u>69,213</u>	166,708

During the period, as part of its market making activities, the Group carried out buy and sell activities for listed equity securities amounting to AED 6,422,585 thousand and AED 6,442,901 thousand respectively. These transactions don't form part of the Group's investment activities.

## 9 Share capital

	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Audited 31 December 2021 AED'000
Authorised, issued and fully paid share capital: 549,915,858 shares of AED 1 each	549,916	549,916

In the Annual General Meeting (AGM) held on 23 March 2020, the Shareholders of the Group approved a Shares-buy back up to 10% of the outstanding shares. During 2021, the Company purchased 51,821 thousand shares at fair market value of AED 0.67 per share, for a total consideration of AED 34,882 thousand.

#### 10 Acquisition reserve

An addition was made to share capital of AED 399,916 thousand in 2016, which represents an adjustment made to bring the share capital equal to share capital of Al Ramz Corporation Investment and Development PJSC with corresponding debit to acquisition reserve bringing the acquisition reserve to a total debit balance of AED 283,966 thousand.

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# 11 Employees' end of service benefits

	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Audited 31 December 2021 AED'000
Beginning of the period / year Charge for the period / year Paid during the period / year	4,610 1,198 (711)	4,803 744 (937)
As at the end of the period / year	5,097	4,610

#### 12 Accounts payable and accruals

* *	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Audited 31 December 2021 AED'000
Payable to customers Accrued expenses Other payables	453,367 11,012 4,634 469,013	343,952 19,063 5,047 368,062

# 13 Short term borrowings

Short term borrowings are to finance margin trading operations of the Group.

	Unaudited 30 September	Audited 31 December
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000
Facility 1 Bank overdrafts (note 7)	16,900 52,522	16,900 174,256
	69,422	191,156

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## 13 Short term borrowings (continued)

#### Facility 1

This represents loan obtained from a shareholder. It carries a fixed interest rate. The term of the agreement is one month, renewed automatically.

#### Bank overdrafts

These carry interest at prevailing market rates. Bank overdrafts are secured against promissory note, personal guarantee of a related party, security cheques and bank balances.

#### 14 Commitments and contingencies

The Group's bankers have issued in the normal course of business, the following letters of guarantee:

	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Audited 31 December 2021 AED'000
Dubai Financial Market Abu Dhabi securities exchange NASDAQ Dubai Limited Market making (ADX and DFM)	25,000 25,000 1,000 8,000	25,000 25,000 1,000 8,000
	59,000	59,000

At 30 September 2022, the guarantees were secured by a cash deposit of AED 19,750 thousand (31 December 2021: AED 14,950 thousand).

The Group had no capital commitments and contingencies during the period (31 December 2021: nil).

The Group had no financial commitments at the reporting date (31 December 2021: nil).

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## 15 Related parties

Related parties represent associated companies, major shareholders, directors and key management personnel of the Group, and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Group's management.

Transactions with related parties included in the condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income are as follows:

	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Audited 31 December 2021 AED'000
Loans from related parties	16,900	16,900
Margin and trade receivables	32,855	60,139
Trade accounts payable	9	595

Transactions with related parties included in the condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income are as follows:

8	Unaudited 30 September 2022 AED'000	Unaudited 30 September 2021 AED'000
Commission income	4,437	534
Interest and Margin income	3,856	666
Finance costs	506	506
Performance and management fees	-	7

#### Terms and conditions of transactions with related parties

Transactions with related parties are made at normal market prices. Outstanding balances at the period-end are unsecured and settlement occurs in cash. There have been no guarantees provided or received for any related party receivables or payables. For the period ended 30 September 2022, the Group has not recorded any impairment of receivables relating to amounts owed by related parties (31 December 2021: nil).

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#### 16 Basic and diluted earnings per share

Basic earnings per share amounts are calculated by dividing the profit for the period attributable to the equity holders of the Parent by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period.

Diluted earnings per share are calculated by dividing the profit for the period attributable to the equity holders of the Parent by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period, adjusted for the effects of any financial instruments with dilutive effects.

	For the Three months ended 30 September		For the Nine months ended 30 September	
	2022	2021	2022	2021
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Profit for the period (AED'000s) Weighted average number of shares ('000s)	6,460	7,555	28,642	27,571
	549,916	533,287	549,916	533,287
Basic and diluted earnings per share	0.012	0.014	0.052	0.052

#### 17 Fiduciary activities

The Group held assets under management in a fiduciary capacity for its customers at 30 September 2022 amounting to AED 493,699 thousand (31 December 2021: AED 755,227 thousand). These assets held in a fiduciary capacity are excluded from these condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Group.

#### 18 Dividends

In their Annual General Meeting (AGM) held on 19 April 2022, the Shareholders of the Group have resolved to distribute an amount of AED 19,924 thousand (AED 0.04 per share) as dividends for the second half of the year 2021.