# FIRST MUTUAL

#### PROPERTIES

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#### **Audited Abridged Financial Results**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2018



#### **CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT**

The period under review was characterised by persistent cash, foreign currency, fuel shortages, fiscal and current account deficits. Financing of the fiscal deficit through domestic borrowings negatively affected the country's price stability. As a result, annual inflation closed the year at 42% up from 2.9% in January 2018. The operating environment remained largely uncertain due to rising inflationary pressures and foreign currency constraints. Therefore, your Group focused on preserving shareholder value through various strategic interventions.

The fiscal and monetary policy measures introduced in 2018, including the Transitional Stabilisation Programme, are critical to enhancing the country's recovery prospects. Further, Zimbabwe requires investments and production across all economic sectors. It is, therefore, imperative that policies should be investor-friendly given the importance of investment in stimulating growth and development. Rising economic activities are key to the sustainable growth of the real estate sector.

#### THE PROPERTY MARKET

In 2018, the Zimbabwean property market remained subdued, typified by available space supply exceeding demand, and the resultant low investment in commercial developments in the market. Most businesses were cautious on their expansion or set up plans in Zimbabwe, leading to limited uptake of the space. Infrastructure, particularly in the Central Business District (CBD) and industrial areas, is in dire need of refurbishment. The departure of a significant number of

businesses from the CBD has seen occupancy levels continue to decline. Furthermore, rentals remained flat during the year. This has had negative effects on the real yields against the backdrop of rising inflation. Despite the general low demand for space, retail assets were the exception to the trend with high occupancy levels. Landlords, including your Group, continued to explore innovative ways to preserve value in the face of the rising inflation.

Transactions within the property market were concentrated around the residential sector, where property investors achieved quicker financial closures on smaller transactions and obtained scale through volumes. Currency volatility triggered a rise in the demand for properties as investors sought to preserve value. However transactions remained low as sellers were not willing to dispose for the very

same reason; value preservation and currency risk.

In addition the commercial real estate market was characterised by the following:

- An aging stock;
- Limited availability of new product offering;
- Growing sentiment for the development of new stock despite the excess of space: and
- Speculative developments within the office sector as some investors took a long-term view and provided new product offering to the market.

#### **FUNCTIONAL CURRENCY**

The Group has in previous financial periods used the United States of America Dollar ("US\$") as its presentation currency and functional currency. The fiscal and monetary policy pronouncements made in October 2018, led to a reassessment of the functional currency and a justification to conclude that, under IAS 21 Effects of Foreign Exchange Rates, that there was a change in functional currency. However, this could not be effected because, at law, there was no local currency in Zimbabwe until 22 February 2019. The inconsistency between the legal requirements and International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") resulted in auditors expressing an adverse opinion on the financial statements, which is a market wide phenomenon.

#### FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

The Group had a positive performance for the year in spite of the tough operating environment. An increase in profit after tax of 139.57% was realised in addition to improved occupancy levels. Investment property grew by 6.32% driven by acquisitions and fair value gains.

Rental income increased by 8.86% to US\$ 8.014 million (FY2017: US\$ 7.362 million) driven mainly by new lettings, with occupancy levels improving by 5% to 76.10% (FY2017: 70.94%) and an increase in turnover rentals on retail space. Property expenses, at US\$1.988 million, were up 24.93% for the year driven by investment in maintenance programmes to improve the quality of space aimed at attracting new tenants and retaining existing ones. Net property income marginally fell by 2.03% to US\$6.034 million (FY 2017: US\$6.159 million) due to ongoing investigation and in maintaining the infrastructure. Administration expenses rose by 27.71% to US\$3.590 million in 2018 from US\$2.815 in the prior year largely reflecting the cost inflation.

An independent property valuation conducted by Knight Frank Zimbabwe as at 31 December 2018 valued the property portfolio at US\$146.150 million, being a 6.32% gain on the prior year, on a market value basis. The marginal gain was driven by property acquisitions, while fair value gains of US\$6.265 million were realised in the retail and residential sectors. The Group's strategic land bank also appreciated in value.

In the face of a difficult broader macroeconomic environment the Group still recorded positive results for the year propelled by the resilient diversified property portfolio, posting a 139.57% increase in profit after tax of US\$ 4.060 million (FY2017: US\$1.695 million).

#### PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS

In line with the Group's strategy to grow the property portfolio, acquisitions valued at \$2 million were completed in 2018. The property sales market for commercial assets given the threat posed by inflationary pressures on monetary assets. Your Group will continue to selectively acquire prime located assets. The Group will also explore greenfield and brownfield development opportunities even given the limited supply of commercially viable stocks on the market.

At a meeting held on 10 April 2019, your Board resolved that a final dividend of RTGS\$0.730 million being 0.0502 RTGS cents per share be declared from the profits for the year ended 31 December 2018. The dividend will be payable on or about 24 May 2019 to all shareholders of the Group registered at close of business on 10 May 2019. The shares of the Group will be traded cum-dividend on the Zimbabwe Stock Exchange up to 7 May 2019 and ex-dividend as from 8

#### TAX RESTRUCTURING

During the year, the Group embarked on a tax restructuring exercise to consolidate the property holdings to create operational efficiencies. The restructuring exercise was approved by the Zimbabwe Revenue Authority ("ZIMRA") and The Competition and Tariff Commission. The restructuring exercise will create a lean and efficient tax structure.

The general outlook over the long term remains positive with real economic growth estimates for Zimbabwe of ranging between 3.7% and 7% for 2019. Despite the challenges around debt to GDP ratio, limited availability of foreign currency, fiscal deficit, multiple tier pricing and cash shortages, forecasts remain positive against the backdrop of the Government's policy changes targeted at containing the fiscal deficit, promoting investment and increasing production.

In the short term, the market is projected to remain an occupier's market due to excessive supply of space and the lack of quality assets to absorb either expanding or new market entrants. Rental rates are, however, expected to rise in the short term, as property investors seek to maintain real rental values in the face of rising inflation. Development activity in the commercial property sector is expected to remain low as demand for new space remains subdued due to lethargic economic growth. In contrast, residential development activity is expected to remain strong. Real estate markets are positively correlated to macroeconomic performance. Therefore, any economic recovery is expected to have a firstly development activity acceptance. have a trickle-down effect on the property sector.

Your Group remains alive to the developments in the economy, and will continue to adapt its strategies in order to preserve shareholder value and achieve sustainable returns.

#### **APPRECIATION**

On behalf of the Board, I wish to thank all our stakeholders for their continued invaluable support.



STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL DOSITION

#### E. K Moyo

10 April 2019

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PO	SHIO	V .	
AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2018		AUDITED	AUDITED
	Note	31 Dec 2018	31 Dec 2017
ASSETS		US\$	US\$
Investment properties	5	146 150 000	137 457 000
Vehicles and equipment	6	178 618	103 927
Deferred income tax assets	Ü	-	414 629
Financial assets at fair value thorough		164 946	-
profit or loss		101710	
Loans and other receivables	7	-	403 015
Financial assets held to maturity	8	-	190 311
Financial assets at amortised cost	9	593 327	<u> </u>
		147 086 891	138 568 882
Current assets			
Inventories		22 189	23 705
Tax receivable		609 250	550 479
Trade and other receivables	10	1 045 088	3 299 327
Cash and cash equivalents	11	561 189	2 072 088
·		2 237 716	5 945 599
Total assets		149 324 607	144 514 481
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity attributable to equity holders	;		
of the parent			
Ordinary share capital		1 218 148	1 218 148
Retained earnings		129 855 697	126 525 986
Total shareholders' equity		131 073 845	127 744 134
Non-current liabilities			
Deferred tax liabilities	12	16 710 582	13 176 741
Borrowings	13	-	91 665
		16 710 582	<u>13 268 406</u>
Current liabilities			
Borrowings	13	91 665	1 100 000
Related party loan	14	-	306 982
Current income tax liability		-	128 051
Trade and other payables	15	1 448 515	1 966 908
		1 540 180	3 501 941
Total Liabilities		18 250 762	16 770 347

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME			
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DEC 2018		AUDITED AUDITE	
	Note	31 Dec 2018	31 Dec 2017
		US\$	US\$
Revenue	16	8 076 571	7 414 502
Property expenses	17	(1 987 615)	(1 590 996)
Allowance for credit losses		(54 732)	335 524
Net property income ("NPI")		6 034 224	6 159 030
Employee related expenses	18	(1 541 059)	(1 415 597)
Other expenses	18	(2 048 644)	(1 399 672)
NPI after admin expenses		2 444 521	3 343 761
Fair value adjustment		6 265 127	(593 552)
Finance income	19	189 084	287 868
Other income		296 946	237 953
Finance costs		(52 635)	(126 479)
Profit before income tax		9 143 043	3 149 551
Income tax expense	20	(5 083 332)	(1 454 945)
Profit for the year		4 059 711	<u>1 694 606</u>
Total comprehensive profit for the	ie year	4 059 711	<u>1 694 606</u>
Attributable to:			
-Owners of the parent		4 059 711	1 694 606
-Non controlling interest		-	<del></del>
Total profit for the year		4 059 711	1 694 606
Pacie and diluted earnings per chara	(110	0.33	0.14
Basic and diluted earnings per share cents)	: (US	0.33	0.14
Weighted average number of shares issue	s in	1 236 927 672	1 237 952 370

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#### **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2018

Total equity and liabilities

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Attributable to owners of the parent				
	Ordinary Share Capital	Retained Earnings	Total Share- holders Equity	
At 1 January 2017	1 218 148	125 435 327	126 653 475	
Profit for the year	-	1 694 606	1 694 606	
Dividend paid		(730 000)	(730 000)	
At 31 December 2017	1 218 148	126 399 933	127 618 081	
Profit of the period	-	4 059 711	4 059 711	
IFRS 9 Impact - Day one	-	126 053	126 053	
Dividend paid	_	(730 000)	(730 000)	
At 31 December 2018	1 218 148	129 855 697	131 073 845	

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2018					
TOR THE TERR ENDED OF DECEMBER 2010	AUDITED	AUDITED			
Note	31 Dec 2018	31 Dec			
	US\$	2017			
Profit before tax	9 143 043	US\$ 3 149 551			
Adjustment for non-cash items	(6 292 661)	347 172			
Cash flows from operating activities	2 850 382	3 496 723			
before working capital adjustments					
Working capital adjustments	1 041 424	(1 473 141)			
Cash generated from operations	3 891 806	2 023 582			
Tax paid	(1 178 886)	(959 736)			
Interest paid	(52 634)	(126 479)			
Net cash flow from operating activities	2 660 286	937 367			
Net cash flows (used)/generated from	(2 341 185)	463 626			
investing activities					
Net cash flows used in financing activities	(1 830 000)	(1 523 036)			
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(1 510 899)	(122 043)			
Opening cash and cash equivalents	2 072 088	2 194 131			

#### NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2018

Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December 11

#### **Corporate information**

First Mutual Properties Limited is a public company incorporated and domiciled in Zimbabwe and its shares are publicly traded on the Zimbabwe Stock Exchange. The principal activities of the Group are property investment, development and management. The consolidated financial statements of the Group for the twelve months ended 31 December 2018 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors at a meeting held on 10

#### 2.1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements of the Group from which this press release has been extracted from were prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards("IFRS") and IFRS Interpretations Committee ("IFRS IC") interpretations applicable under IFRS and in the manner required by the Zimbabwes Companies Act (Chapter 24:03) except for IAS21, effects of changes in foreign exchange rates. The financial statements are based on statutory records that are maintained under the historical cost convention except for investment properties, available-for-sale financial assets and finacial assets at fair value through profit or loss that have been measured at fair value.

#### 2.2 Audit Opinion

An adverse opinion was issued in respect of functional currency as requirements of IAS 21 Effects of Foreign Exchange Rates were not met. The auditor's report includes a section on key audit matters as defined by ISA 701, 'Communicating key audit matters in the independent auditor's report'. This includes both the rationale for determining the key audit matters and how they were addressed during the audit. The key audit matter is on valuation of investment property. The directors have performed a sensitivity analysis of how different exchange rates would have impacted the consolidated and how different exchange rates would have impacted the consolidated and separate financial statements as at 31 December 2018 and disclosed this sensitivity analysis in note 21.

#### Accounting policies

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the full year results are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual report for the year ended 31 December 2018.

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

The Group had in previous financial periods used the United States of America Dollar ("US\$") as its presentation currency and functional currency.

The macroeconomic developments and fiscal and monetary policy changes primary and secondary indicators of the functional currency of the Group, in accordance with the

provisions of IAS 21, with effect from 1 October 2018.

The Directors, based on their interpretation of IFRS had considered the

Monetary Policy Statement ("MPS") of 20 February 2019, and the subsequent emergence of an interbank exchange rate to be an adjusting event in terms of IAS 10 "Events After the Reporting Period". However, this could not be affected because at law there was no local currency in Zimbabwe until 22 February 2019. The RTGS was also legally not recognised as a currency prior to the currency changes announced on 22 February 2019 that are detailed in note 21

The Directors of the Group, in compliance with Statutory Instrument 41 of

prescribed that where IFRS is not aligned to local laws, then local laws take precedence, therefore resolved not to effect the change in functional currency as at and for the year ended 31 December 2018.

#### Investment properties

investinent properties		
	AUDITED	AUDITED
	31 Dec 2018	31 Dec 2017
	US\$	US\$
At 1 January	137 457 000	137 302 000
Additions	2 158 228	170 000
Improvements to existing properties	269 645	578 552
Fair value adjustment	6 265 127	(593 552)
,	146 150 000	137 457 000

Investment property with a total carrying amount of US\$12.700 million (Dec 2017: US\$12.700 million) was encumbered at 31 December 2018.

#### Vehicles and equipment

	AUDITED	AUDITED
	31 Dec 2018	31 Dec 2017
	US\$	US\$
At 1 January	103 927	98 454
Additions	102 394	32 837
Depreciation	(27 703)	(27 364)
·	178 618	103 927

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(Loans and other receivables)	inder 2017	
At 1 January Reclassification of loans and other receivables	403 015 (403 015)	950 000 397 542
Amortised interest Repayments of interest Repayments of principal	-	95 913 (90 440) (950 000)
	-	403 015
Short-term portion Long-term portion	-	- 403 015
	-	403 015

Loans and other receivables relate to treasury bills worth \$403 015 (Dec 2017: US\$403 015). These were acquired in 2017 at a norminal value of \$397 542. Treasury bills with a norminal value of US\$198 771 have a three year tenure and will mauture on 20 July 2020 while another block of treasury bills with a norminal value of US\$198 771 has a 10 year tenure and will mature on 3 May 2027.

#### 8 Accounting policies applied until December 2017 (Financial assets held to maturity)

Accounting policies applied until December 2017

<i>y</i>	AUDITED 31 Dec 2018 US\$	AUDITED 31 Dec 2017 US\$
At 1 January Reclassification of financial assets held to maturity	190 311 (190 311)	277 385 -
Accrued interest Repayments	-	20 450 (107 524) <b>190 311</b>

These are money market investments with financial institutions backing 15 year mortgages for staff. These investments have been reclassiffied at 1 January 2018 to Financial Assets at amortised cost.

#### 9 Financial assets at amortised cost

	31 Dec 2018 US\$	AUDITED 31 Dec 2017 US\$
At 1 January	-	-
Reclassified from loan and other receivables (Note 7)	403 015	-
Reclassified from financial assets held to maturity (Note 8)	190 311	-
Amortised interest	14 765	-
Repayments received	(14 764)	<u>-</u>
. •	593 327	<u>-</u>

The Group considers credit risk of the financial assets at amortised cost to be insignificant under IFRS 9. Nil credit loss has been recognised during the twelve months to 31 December 2018.

#### 10 Trade and other receivables

	AUDITED	AUDITED
	31 Dec 2018	31 Dec 2017
	US\$	US\$
Tenant receivables	1 745 387	2 474 796
Tenant operating cost recoveries	478 840	859 925
Property sales receivables	14 136	96 323
Trade receivables	2 238 363	3 431 044
Less: Allowance for credit losses	(1 599 859)	(1 776 737)
Net trade receivables	638 504	1 654 307
Prepayments	30 704	1 428 805
Other receivables	473 569	120 483
Related party receivables	(97 689)	95 732
, ,	1 045 088	3 299 327

#### 11 Cash and cash equivalents

Short-term investments	-	1 766 315
Cash at Bank	561 189	305 773
	561 189	2 072 088

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#### 12 Deferred tax liability

	2018 US\$	2017 US\$
At 1 January	13 176 741	12 322 492
Recognised in the statement of profit or loss		
-Arising on vehicles and equipment	18 307	(1 063)
-Arising on investment properties	3 515 534	586 512
-Arising on assessed losses	-	268 800
Ŭ	16 710 582	13 176 741

#### 13 Borrowings

Borrowings		
At 1 January Amortised Interest Repayments of interest Repayments of principal	1 191 665 49 919 (49 919) (1 100 000) <b>91 665</b>	
Short-term portion Long-term portion	91 665 <b>91 665</b>	91 665

The loan facility is a five year term facility expiring in January 2019 at an effective interest rate of 6.5%, secured to immovable property registered and stamped to cover US\$6.5 million.

#### 14 Related party loan

AUDITED 31 Dec 2018	AUDITED 31 Dec 2017
US\$	US\$
306 982	-
1 259 300	522 000
2 778	18
_	(18)
(1 569 060)	(215 018)
-	306 982
	31 Dec 2018 US\$ 306 982 1 259 300 2 778

The loan facility was sourced in December 2017 as bridging finance from a fellow subsidiary of the parent to partially fund a prepayment towards the acquisition of a property in Harare. The loan was repaid in full and was administered under the following terms;

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Norminal value	US\$1 259 300
Deal Status	Bridging finance
Deal Date	29-Jun-18
Maturity date	26-Jul-18
Coupon rate	3% per annum
Security	None

15	Trade and other payables	e and other payables					
:		AUDITED	AUDITED				
		31 Dec	31 Dec				
		2018	2017				
		US\$	US\$				
	Tenant payables	301 126	237 108				
	Related party payables	135 059	361 848				
	Sundry payables	437 920	606 985				
:	Trade payables	574 410	760 967				

# Revenue AUDITED AUDITED 31 Dec 31 Dec 31 Dec 2017 2018 2017 US\$ US\$ US\$ Rental income 8 014 375 7 362 306

1 448 515 1 966 908

# Property expenses Maintenance costs 1 256 950 736 019 Property security and utilities 38 270 34 050 Valuation fees 17 680 23 976 Operating cost under recoveries 674 715 796 951 1 987 615 1 590 996

18	Profit before income tax takes into account the following							
		AUDITED	AUDITED					
		31 Dec	31 Dec					
		2018	2017					
		US\$	US\$					
	Directors' fees -for services as directors	55 972	40 000					
	Audit fees	67 186	23 814					
	Information communication and technology	116 124	95 510					
	expenses							
	Fees and other charges	849 984	64 673					
	Depreciation	27 757	27 364					
	Office costs	197 903	166 446					
	Group shared services	610 693	859 599					
	1							
19	Finance income							
	Interest on overdue tenants accounts	148 958	257 173					
	Interest on loans and other receivables	_	95 913					
	Loss on disposal of equities	_	(106 368)					
	Interest on money market investments	40 126	41 150					
		189 084	287 868					

Income tax expense		
Current income tax	1 122 478	742 710
Deferred tax	3 960 854	712 235
	5 083 332	1 454 945

## SEGMENT REPORTING FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2018

	Office US\$	Retail US\$	Industrial US\$	Other US\$	Adjustment US\$	Total US\$
Revenue	4 187 547	2 478 635	1 050 135	398 835	(38 581)	8 076 571
Property expenses and allowance for credit losses	(1 374 007)	(334 271)	(158 821)	(175 248)	-	(2 042 347)
Segment results	2 813 540	2 144 364	891 314	223 587	(38 581)	6 034 224
Fair value	650 465	813 384	130 000	4 671 278	-	6 265 127
Segment profit	3 464 005	2 957 748	1 021 314	4 894 865	(38 581)	12 299 351
Employee related expenses	-	-	-	(1 541 059)	-	(1 541 059)
Other expenses	(1 312 971)	(374 911)	(170 545)	(2 088 095)	1 897 877	(2 048 645)
Finance costs	-	-	-	(52 634)	-	(52 634)
Finance income	45 221	75 834	19 533	48 496	-	189 084
Other income	52 338	(392)	-	245 000	-	296 946
Profit before income tax	2 248 593	2 658 279	870 302	1 506 573	1 859 296	9 143 043

#### RECONCILIATION OF SEGMENT RESULTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2018

	Office US\$	Retail US\$	Industrial US\$	Other US\$	Total US\$
Assets					
Investment property	72 010 000	32 360 000	11 630 000	30 150 000	146 150 000
Trade receivables	210 245	102 165	58 655	267 440	638 505
Segment assets	72 220 245	32 462 165	11 688 655	30 417 440	146 788 505
Other non-current assets	-	-		936 891	936 891
Other current assets	-	-	-	1 599 211	1 599 211
Total assets	72 220 245	32 462 165	11 688 655	32 953 542	149 324 607
Current liabilities	834 098	38 951	35 004	632 127	1 540 180
Capital expenditure	1 216 250	1 108 847	-	205 172	2 530 269

### SEGMENT REPORTING FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	Office US\$	Retail US\$	Industrial US\$	Other US\$	Adjustment US\$	Total US\$
Revenue	3 902 865	2 230 762	1 080 465	237 785	(37 375)	7 414 502
Property expenses and allowance for credit losses	(1 149 199)	(255 019)	325 603	(176 857)		(1 255 472)
Segment results	2 753 666	1 975 743	1 406 068	60 928	(37 375)	6 159 030
Fair value	(120 000)	15 579	(401 542)	(87 589)	-	(593 552)
Segment profit	2 633 666	1 991 322	1 004 526	(26 661)	(37 375)	5 565 478
Employee related expenses	-	-	-	(1 415 597)	-	(1 415 597)
Other expenses	(1 360 777)	(449 741)	(110 198)	(1 437 048)	1 958 092	(1 399 672)
Finance costs	-	-	-	(126 479)		(126 479)
Fair value through profit or loss	-	-	-	-		
Other income	46 566	9 942	3 245	178 200		237 953
Finance income	68 367	79 909	92 382	47 210		287 868
Profit before income tax	1 387 822	1 631 432	989 955	(2 780 375)	1 920 717	3 149 551

#### RECONCILIATION OF SEGMENT RESULTS FOR THE YEAR END-ED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	Office US\$	Retail US\$	Industrial US\$	Other US\$	Total US\$
Assets					
Investment property	70 240 000	30 630 000	11 630 000	24 957 000	137 457 000
Trade receivables	466 374	426 720	665 822	95 390	1 654 306
Segment assets	70 706 374	31 056 720	12 295 822	25 052 390	139 111 306
Other non-current assets	-	-	-	1 111 882	1 111 882
Current assets	-	-	-	4 291 293	4 291 293
Total assets	70 706 374	31 056 720	12 295 822	30 455 565	144 514 481
Liabilities	596 374	150 031	151 548	2 603 988	3 501 941
Capital expenditure	107 979	50 328	1 542	452 446	612 295

#### 21 Events after the balance sheet date

On 20 February 2019, the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe ("RBZ") Govenor made an announcement to denominate the existing Real Time Gross Settlement ("RTGS") balances, bond notes and coins in circulation as RTGS\$. The RBZ, with immediate effect, established an inter-bank foreign exchange market to formalise the trading of RTGS balances and bond notes with US dollars and other currencies on a willing-buyer willing-seller basis through banks and bureaus de change.

In the Government Gazette Extraordinary dated 22 February 2019, Statutory Instrument 33 of 2019 'Presidential Powers (Temporary Measures) (Amendment of Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe Act and Issue of Real Time Gross Settlement Electronic Dollars (RTGS Dollars)) Regulations, 2019 ("SI33/19")', was gazzeted to give legal effect to the Monetary Policy. Statutory instrument 33 of 2019 gave effect to the following:

- introduction of the RTGS dollar as legal tender and pescribed that for accounting and other purposes existing assets and liabilities valued in US dollars are deemed valued in RTGS dollars except for FCA nostro
- Acts of Parliament and statutory instruments referring to amounts in US dollars must be construed as referring to the same amount in RTGS dollars,
- bond notes and coins continue as legal tender, exchangeable with the RTGS dollar on a one-to-one basis, and
- the opening parity rate of 1 US dollar to 1 RTGS dollar will vary as "determined by the rate at which authorised dealers under the Exchange Control Act exchange the RTGS dollar for the US dollar on a willing-seller willing-buyer basis".

The management , based on the their interpretation of International Financial Reporting Standard ("IFRS") had considered the Monetary Policy Statement and the subsequent emergence of the interbank exchange rate to be an adjusting event in terms of International Accounting Standard 10 ("IAS 10") "Events after the reporting period". The events are reflective of the underlying conditions as at the reporting date of 31 December 2018 and were a confirmation of market practice which had come to regard the RTGS balances as an underlying currency. However given the accounting restriction imposed by SI33/19, the post balance sheet events have not been adjusted for and have prepared the accounts based on 1:1 to the US dollar in line with SI33/19 and guidance issued by Public Auditors and Accountans Board ("PAAB"). Management has prepared sensitivity income and balance sheet as part of the disclosures so as to give the readers an appreciation of the impact of this event.

ASSETS	Nostro FCA US\$	RTGS \$	Total USD\$ @ 1:1	Total RTGS\$ @ 1:2.5		"Total RTGS\$
Monetary						
Financial assets:						
<ul><li>- unquoted equity securities</li><li>at fair value through profit</li><li>or loss</li></ul>	-	164 947	164 947	164 947	164 947	164 947
-debt securities held at amortised cost	-	593 327	593 327	593 327	593 327	593 327
Income tax asset	-	609 249	609 249	609 249	609 249	609 249
Receivables including loans and other receivables	-	1 045 088	1 045 088	1 045 088	1 045 088	1 045 088
Cash and balances with banks	5 825	555 364	561 189	569 927	573 646	585 626
Non Monetary						
Property, plant and equipment	-	178 618	178 618	178 618	178 618	178 618
Investment property	-	146 150 000	146 150 000	146 150 000	146 150 000	146 150 000
Inventory	-	22 189	22 189	22 189	22 189	22 189
TOTAL ASSETS	5 825	149 318 782	149 324 607	149 333 345	149 337 064	149 349 044
LIABILITIES						
Monetary			_	-	-	-
Borrowings	-	91 665	91 665	91 665	91 665	91 665
Other payables	-	1 715 476	1 715 476	1 715 476	1 715 476	1 715 476
Non Monetary						
Deferred income tax	-	16 710 582	16 710 582	16 710 582	16 710 582	16 710 582
TOTAL LIABILITIES	-	18 517 723	18 517 723	18 517 723	18 517 723	18 517 723

The deferred tax impact of applying different exchange rates has not been taken into account in the Statement of Financial Position.

For the purposes of sensitivity, two different exchange rates were used as following rates were used:

- 1:2.5 US\$ to RTGS\$ being the official interbank exchange rate on 22 February 2019 when Sl33/19 was issued;
- 1:3.1383 US\$ to RTGS\$ being the official interbank exchange rate on 10 April 2019 when the financial statements were approved by the Board.

#### 22 Going Concern

The Directors have assessed the ability of the Group to continue operating as a going concern, including the impact of \$133/19, and believe that the preparation of these financial statements on a going concern basis is still appropriate.