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Dear Sir/Madam

Auswide Bank Limited (ABA) – Investor Presentation

Please find attached an investor presentation to be presented to analysts and representatives of institutional investors.

The presentation provides a review of Auswide Bank's operating activities, strategic initiatives and performance.

Yours faithfully

Bill Schafer

Bill Schafer Company Secretary

Small things. Big difference.





INVESTOR UPDATE H1 2015/16

March 2016



Focus on strengthening the business is delivering improved operating performance and organic growth



4.40% Srowth in underlying NPAT to \$6.8m

9.05% on annualised growth in loan book to \$2.4b

2.65%

🔊 increase in net interest revenue to \$26.54m

37.30% Sincrease in loan approvals to \$324.81m

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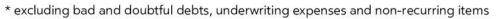
expansion in net interest margin from 181 to 183 basis points

14.89%

consolidated capital adequacy ratio (Tier 1 capital 12.24%)

H1 FY16 financial summary

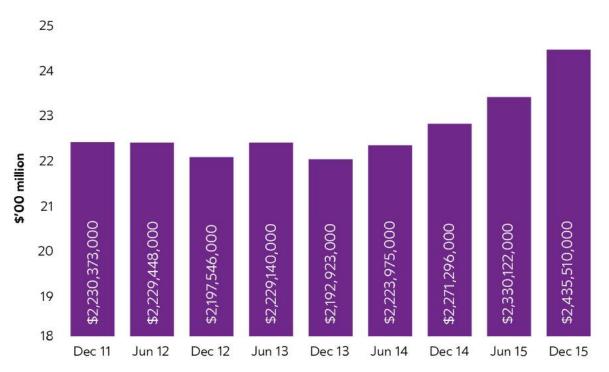
DETAILS	H1 2015-16	H1 2014-15	Change
Net interest revenue (\$m)	26.542	25.856	2.65%
Consolidated underlying NPAT (\$m)	6.782	6.495	4.40%
Consolidated statutory NPAT (\$m)	6.063	6.495	(6.67%)
Earnings per share (cents)	16.36	17.74	(1.38c)
Underlying cash earnings per share (cents)	18.30	17.74	0.56c
Return on equity – consolidated underlying NPAT (%)	6.77	6.59	0.18
Cost to income ratio (%)*	67.80	67.17	0.63
Interim dividend per share, fully franked (cents)	14.0	14.0	<u></u>
Net interest margin (basis points)	183	181	2
Capital adequacy ratio (%)	14.89	14.90	(0.01)
Arrears – 30 days past due (\$m)	20.271	25.914	(5.643)





Loan book growth driven by SEQ lenders, broker channel and business banking lenders

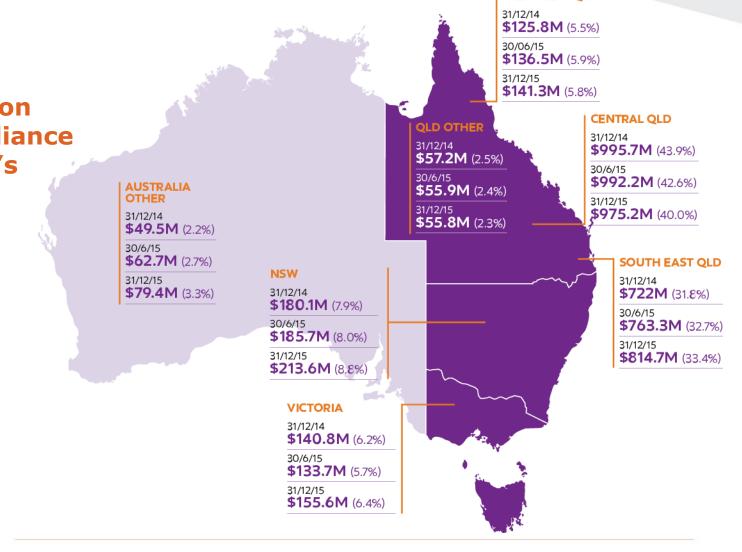






Continued diversification reducing reliance on Auswide's traditional regional Queensland markets

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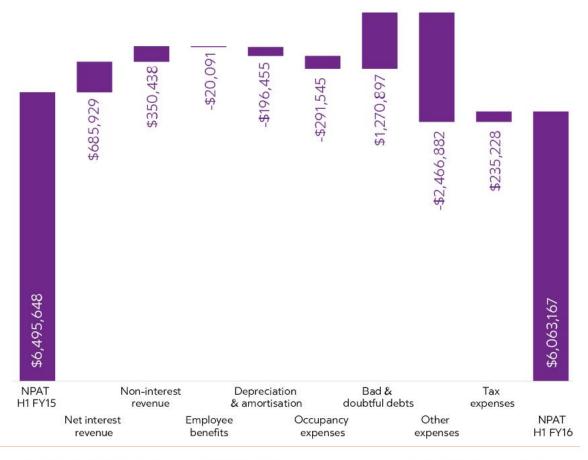
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FAR NORTH QLD

Consolidated statutory NPAT impacted by non-recurring expenses of branch rationalisation, M&A projects and final rebranding costs



CONSOLIDATED STATUTORY NPAT MOVEMENT



Investment in loan book growth, technology and distribution channels

Other income: Increase in loan fees offsetting reduction in transaction fees

Expenses: Rigorous management with cost to income ratio at H1 2016 of 67.80%

Non-recurring expenses to reposition Auswide Bank

OTHER INCOME	H1 2015-16 v H1 2014-15 \$'000	
Loan Fees	348	0
Profit on Sale of Assets	126	0
ATM/PoS Transaction Fees	(136)	0
EXPENSES		
Advertising & Promotion	355	0
Brokers Fees	258	
Computer Maintenance	475	0
Depreciation – Buildings, Plant & Equipment, Computer Equipment	196	

NON-RECURRING EXPENSES	\$'000
Branch Rationalisation	682
Merger & Acquisition Projects	267
Rebranding	78



Arrears continue to trend downwards

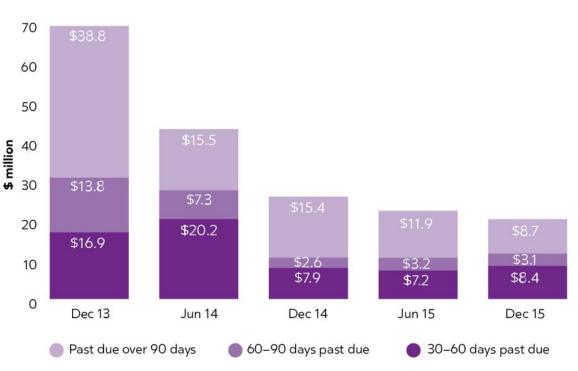
Total provisions of \$5.205m at 31 December 2015 – 0.21% of total loan book (\$6.802m at 31 December 2014)

>30 day arrears – 0.83% of total loan book

>90 day arrears – 0.36% of total loan book

LOANS AND ADVANCES PAST DUE

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Strong capital adequacy ratio provides flexibility for loan book growth and M&A activity

CONSOLIDATED CAPITAL ADEQUACY RATIO

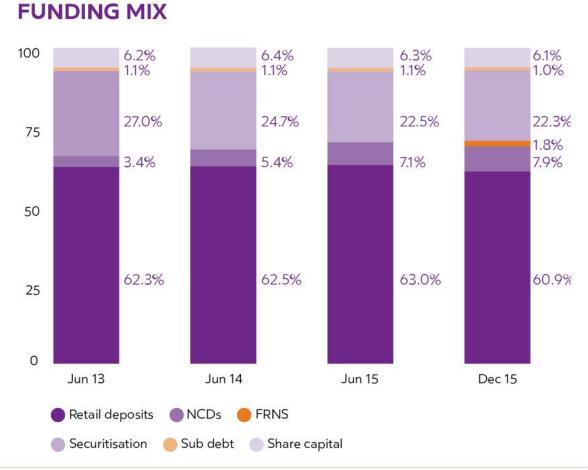




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Increased funding diversification with debut floating Rate Note

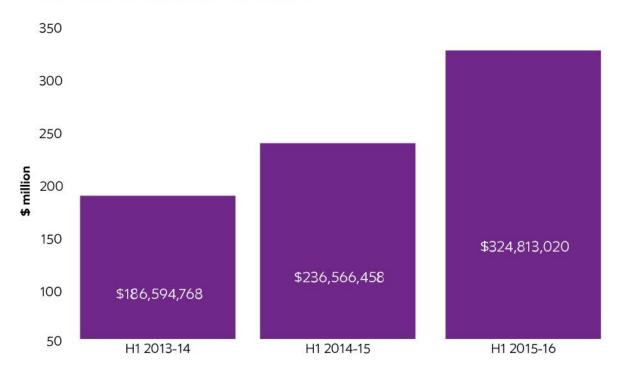




Sales momentum continuing into H2 through branches and third parties

Third party contributed 53% of home loan approvals

HOME LOAN APPROVALS



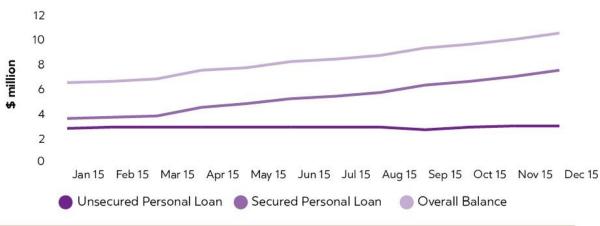


Business Banking & Personal Loans

At Dec 15, average interest rate of 6.08% on Business Banking (Commercial) and 10.28% on Personal Loans



PERSONAL LOAN BALANCE SHEET





Lending update

Improving credit quality and quantity of home loan business

- Broker business continues to grow with improved flow from Victoria and NSW following new BDM appointments
- SEQ continues to improve and remains an area of opportunity
- Margins well managed in competitive market
- Delay in new lending system benefits to flow in 2016-17

Business Banking momentum is improving

- \$16m net growth past six months (housing and business)
- Pipeline strengthening as Business Banking capability demonstrated

Personal loans a key growth focus

- Approvals continue to trend upwards
- Strong margins and credit quality; secured loans showing strongest growth



Branch rationalisation completed with \$1m in annual overheads reduction



- · Rationalisation has consolidated Auswide network to 23 branches
- Modernisation of existing branches continues with Head Office and Nambour completed late February
- New Townsville branch due for completion April 2016
- New and refurbished branches offer a modern and attractive layout which is designed to maximise sales opportunities and customer experience



Strategy

STRATEGIC DIRECTION

Strengthening competitive position

Building momentum in operational performance and organic growth

Repositioning Auswide Bank

Enhancing processes, efficiency and speed to client

Reinforcing regulatory compliance and risk management

STRATEGIC GOALS

Organic growth – A defined pathway to 10% RoE target by June 2018

- ENHANCED CUSTOMER experience and expanded products portfolio
- OMNI-CHANNEL STRATEGY to build lending momentum and reduce reliance on traditional markets
- MEASURED INVESTMENTS in technology, outsource partners for capability and improved productivity
- UPGRADING RISK MANAGEMENT systems and culture
- DIVERSIFIED FUNDING sources and rigorous capital management

Strategic investments – Strong financial position creates M&A optionality

- MONEYPLACE relationship
 - Exciting new **DISTRIBUTION** and revenue opportunity
 - Platform for further FINTECH opportunities
- YOUR CREDIT UNION merger
 - SEQ DISTRIBUTION and 4000+ new customers
 - Potential CATALYST for further M&A opportunities



Building on brand's touch points



OMNI-CHANNEL

- Provide customers with channel choice
- Sales digital capability
- Modelling across distribution channels and partners



BRANCH DISTRIBUTION

- Continued focus on branch revitalisation and location
- Future branch format Micro Branch Concept
- Right location, right people
- Financial metrics



TRADITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Complementary revenue streams
- Contact Centre expansion
- Consumer Finance



LESS TRADITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Peer to Peer / Fintech

- White Label



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YCU Merger

Offer: \$4,055 cash + 696 ABA shares

4000+ new clients

\$128m assets

\$166m deposits

First announced merger between listed ADI and mutual in over 10 years

Enhanced SEQ presence including Brisbane branch:

- Brisbane branch to support YCU and Auswide clients
- Expanded product range for YCU clients and increased cross-selling

Synergy Benefits

- Cost synergies estimated at \$2m
- Integration simplified by similar operating systems
- Expectation is to release the majority of synergy benefits in the short term
- Full integration to be completed within 6 months

Revenue/EPS Benefits

- >\$3m benefit to underlying net profit before tax after synergies (15.8% increase)
- Cash EPS accretive in 2017



MONEYPLACE

MoneyPlace strategic relationship

- Accelerates Auswide Bank's consumer lending ambitions
 - 20% equity investment (19.3% after foundation investors' further commitment)
 - Personal Lending conditional funding up to \$60m over five years
- Positions Auswide Bank to benefit from technology disruption across banking sector

MoneyPlace

- Australian peer-to-peer lending platform connecting borrowers directly with investors
- Simple streamlined personal loan product and compelling, low cost investor proposition
- Launched in estimated \$50b Australian P2P market Q3 2015
- Internationally proven business model capitalising on global sector disruption
- Credible Advisory Board and management to establish Australian market presence and drive growth

MONEYPLACE

BORROWER PRODUCT FEATURES

Loan amount: \$5,000-\$35,000 Investment Security: amount: Minimum \$2,500 Unsecured Retail, sophisticated 3 or 5 years Investor types: Loan Term: & wholesale Fixed or 3 or 5 years variable rate: Fixed Investment term: Fixed income Investment class: Interest 9-30% Return range: 8-16% rate range: Auswide's expected return range (A&B class loans): 8-10.5% KEY FEATURES: **KEY FEATURES**: Risk-based pricing provides fairer A fixed income investment that offers and transparent interest rates superior returns over similar asset classes Tiered borrowing rates, tailored Diversification achieved via loan fractionalisation, mimicking banks' to borrower risk profile investment strategies Quick and simple online application – Ioan approval within 10 minutes

 Ability to tailor portfolios according to investor risk appetite, or select a model portfolio

INVESTOR PRODUCT FEATURES

- One simple and transparent management fee
- Comprehensive investment reports available in real time
- Attractive asset class for capital preservation



HALF YEARLY RESULTS - 2015/2016

Quicker funding with loans funded

No penalty for early repayments

No monthly service fees or exit fees

next business day

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Outlook

Challenging conditions across banking sector

- · Lending market competition remains intense
- Interest rates at historic lows
- Conditions remain subdued in Auswide Bank's traditional markets

Auswide achieving lending momentum with strong credit quality

- Broadening distribution capabilities driving lending growth outside traditional markets
- · Arrears expected to remain low

Operating costs tightly controlled, supporting measured investments in technology, distribution and capability

• Branch rationalisation to reduce overheads by \$525,000 in H2

Funding market volatility will pressure H2 costs but impacts modest compared to revenue growth

Regulatory focus on investment lending and capital strength is well managed



Outlook

Strategic investments contributing to growth

- Immediate focus on maximising cost and revenue synergies
- · Board will consider other suitable opportunities
- Expected growth in Personal Loans via own channels, improving capability and MoneyPlace
- Further M&A/partnership activity to be explored
- Integration of YCU expected to be EPS accretive in 2016-17

The journey to 10% RoE by June 2018

- Maintain annual loan book growth above 7%
- Maximise income and expense synergies from YCU merger
- Return on investment in MoneyPlace
- Manage annual cost growth below 4%
- Finalise write-off of capitalised LMI premium \$1.2m annual expense reduction

FY16 NPAT outlook \$14m - \$15m profit (excluding non-recurring and M&A expenses)

- Growth in loan book maintained at H1 level
- NIM maintained at current level
- Reduction in HR and property costs of \$1.4m H2 vs H1



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