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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.





Four year journey – Strategic achievements

- Material growth in customers
- Branch rationalisation
- Loan book growth
- Effective management of expenses
- NIM maintained
- Strong capital
- Profitability moderated by interest rate environment and need to re-invest into Technology platform

	H1 FY17 Dec 2016	H1 FY13 Dec 2012	Cł	nange
Customers	84,320	62,431	\bigcirc	21,889
Branches/Agencies	24	42		18
Total Loan Book	\$2.67b	\$2.20b	\bigcirc	\$0.47b
Personal Loans (excl MoneyPlace)	\$14.33m	\$0.22m	\bigcirc	\$14.11m
MoneyPlace Personal Loans	\$7.13m	_	\bigcirc	\$7.13m
Operating Expenses	\$22.30m	\$23.14m	\bigcirc	\$0.84m
Operating Expenses/Total Assets Ratio	0.72%	0.87%	\bigcirc	0.15%
NIM	192 bp	201 bp	\bigcirc	–9 bp
Capital Adequacy Ratio (Total)	14.60%	13.49%	\bigcirc	1.11%



Four year journey – Technology milestones

• Major technological advancement

• Completion of transformational programs

Accessibility	Deployment of our first banking Mobile App	
Consolidation	Data centre consolidation and hardware refresh	
Capability	Core Ultracs & Lendfast Origination upgrade to latest version, enabling soft solutions for hard process and exposing data for analytics	
Customer Insights	Business intelligence and data analytics enabling deeper insights and reporting efficiencies	
Process Optimisation	SharePoint (Nintex) workflow automation across many manual organisation processes	
Customer Experience	Branch consolidation and refit, bringing technology experiences to customers in branch	



Significant achievements

YCU integration

- Auswide merged with YCU in May 2016. Full consolidation of YCU customer data and services with Auswide's core banking system occurred on 30 September 2016
- The data and services consolidation was completed over a 12 hour migration window
- No major post merger issues impacting YCU customers
- Success due to strong relationship with core banking system supplier Ultradata and the dedication of internal merger teams

Lendfast origination platform

Upgrade to LendFast origination platform occurred in H1, which saw increased levels of automation for many mortgage origination functions including:

- Enabling of automated Credit Decisions and Valuation Ordering
- Enabling of automated Customer Screening with Veda ID Matrix
- Electronic storage of documents on the loan application
- Improved oversight and monitoring of Service Level Agreements of business tasks with user work queues
- Enabled straight through processing through broker channels and NextGen apply online connectivity



H1 2017 financial performance highlights





Underlying Cost to Income Ratio 66.64% (67.80% for H1 FY16)



(16.36c for H1 FY16) ROE

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Arrears within SPIN

EPS

of total loans & advances (0.99% at 30 June 2016)

65%

based on Statutory NPAT)





Consumer loan book 5.77% Including Moneyplace loans



14.60% Strongest Capital Adequacy Ratio of all Australian listed banks

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Interim dividend

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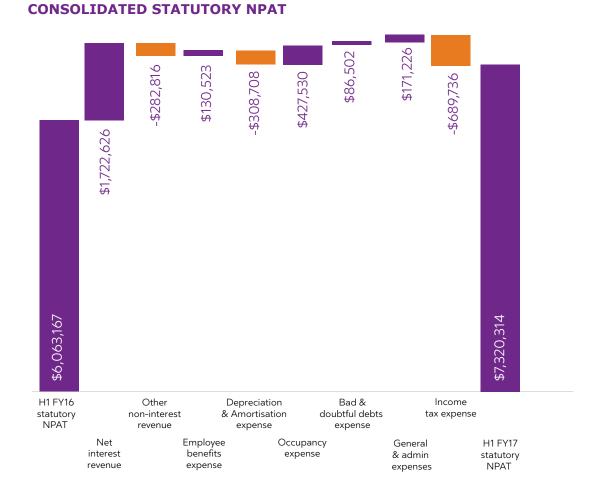
HALF YEAR RESULTS - 2016/17

6.70% (6.05% for H1 FY16



Statutory NPAT

20.73% increase on the prior corresponding half year.





HALF YEAR RESULTS - 2016/17

Detail on profit movement

Income

Net Interest Revenue	Impact on Profit
Loan book growth, NIM stable	\$ 1.7m
Non-Interest Revenue	
Increase in package fees, Visa fees	\$ 0.3m
Decrease in EFTPOS fees, bad debts recovered, and profit on sale	\$ 0.2m

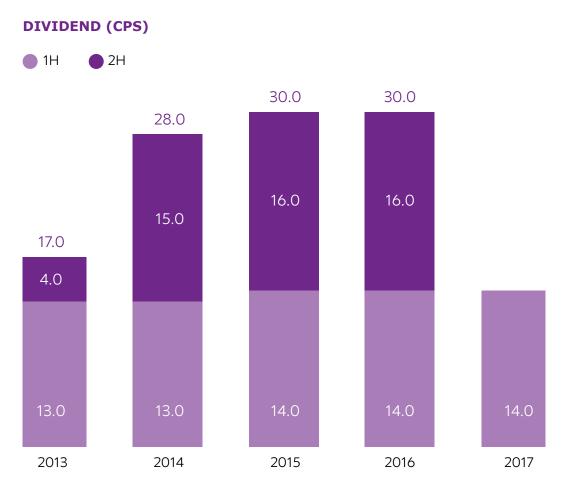
Expenses

	Impact	on Profit
Employee benefits	0	\$0.1m
Occupancy costs	0	\$0.4m
Depreciation on property, branches and IT	•	\$0.3m
Professional fees, audit and marketing	0	\$0.4m
Fees and commissions	0	\$0.2m

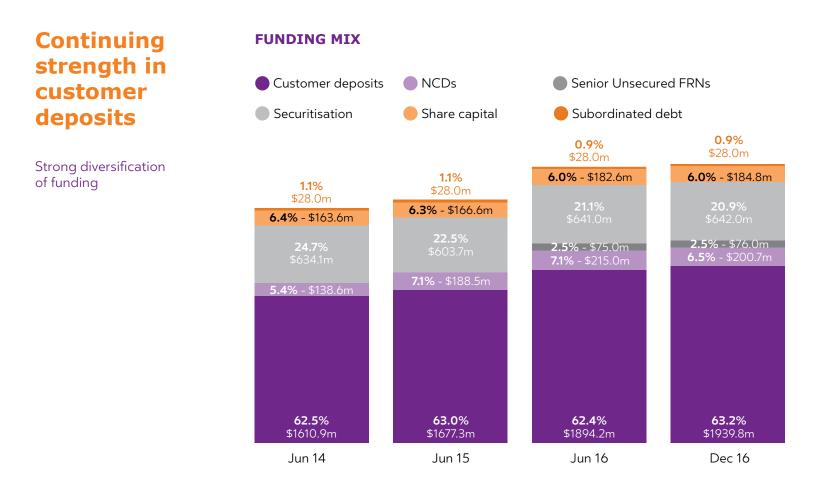


Sustainable dividend based on strong operating performance and capital position

Total dividend equates to 77.7% of statutory NPAT



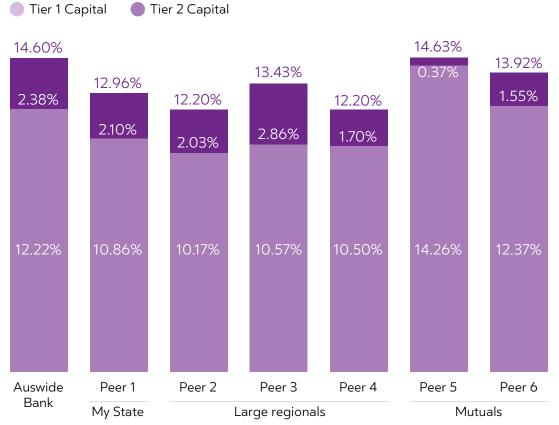






Strong capital position to support lending growth and M&A/investment opportunities

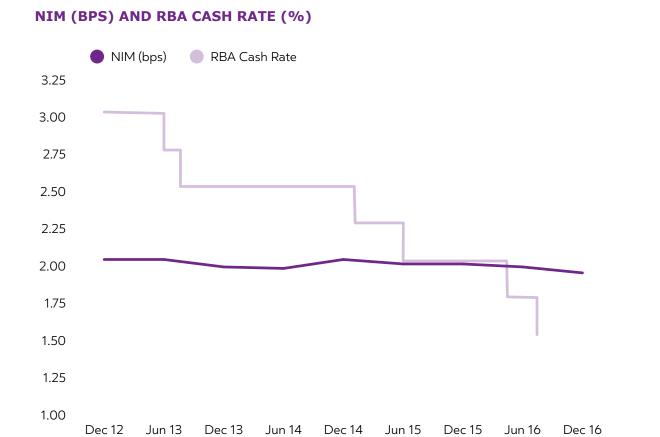






NIM stable in spite of competitive market conditions

Net Interest Income steadily increasing despite historically low interest rate environment

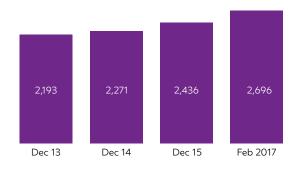




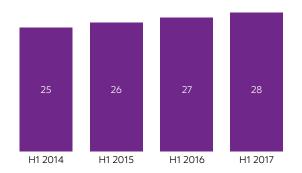
Loan book

Forecast annualised growth of 6% – 7% in H2 of FY17

LOANS AND ADVANCES BALANCES (\$M)



NET INTEREST INCOME (\$M)



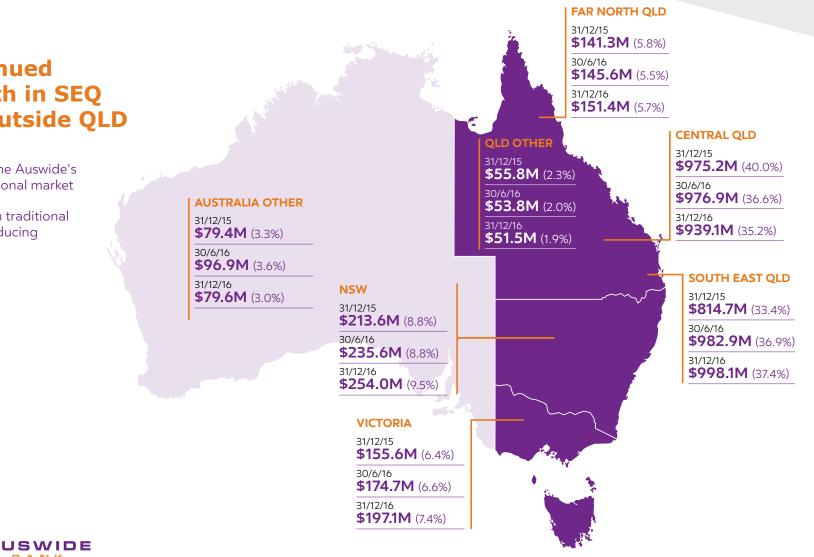


HALF YEAR RESULTS - 2016/17

Continued growth in SEQ and outside QLD

SEQ became Auswide's largest regional market

Reliance on traditional markets reducing



HALF YEAR RESULTS - 2016/17

Sustainable lending growth underpinned by **improving LVR**

at <80% LVR

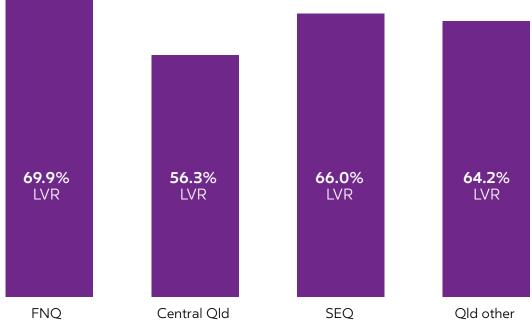
LVR

• 0 to 60% • Over 60% up to 80% • Over 80% up to 90% • Over 90% 12.0% 11.6% \$317.8m \$310.4m 12.8% 68.5% of home loans 13.4% \$298.6m \$297.3m 20.8% 20.2% **22.9**% 26.2% 21.5% 22.2% \$499.5m \$607.2m \$592.5m \$581.5m Jun 14 Jun 15 Jun 16 Dec 16



Lending quality remains stable in challenged regional property markets

AVERAGE LVR FOR EXISTING RESIDENTIAL LOANS IN QLD REGIONS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016

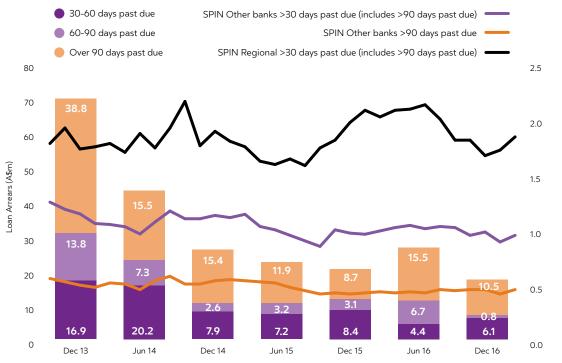




Arrears continue to be well managed

- Arrears continued to trend downwards, with total arrears past 30 days decreasing from \$26.6m at 30 June 2016 to \$17.3m at 31 December 2016
- Arrears past due 30 days represented 0.65% of total loans and advances at 31 December 2016 compared to 0.99% at 30 June 2016
- Within SPIN (Regional Banks: 1.83% and Other Banks: 0.94% at 31 December 2016) despite difficult economic conditions

LOANS AND ADVANCES PAST DUE

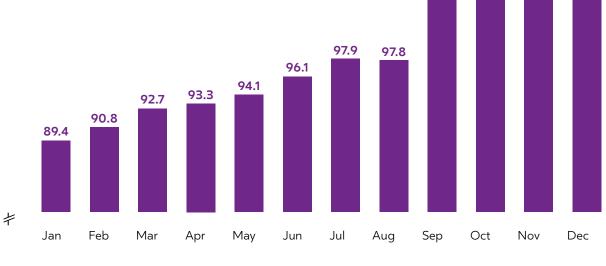




Business Banking

September 2016 – significant growth related to YCU acquisition





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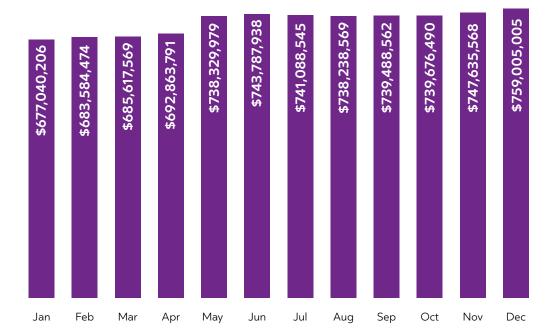
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Investor lending

At 31 December 2016 investor lending equates to 30.39% of the housing portfolio

Investor lending has grown 2.05% in the first half to December 2016





OPERATING PERFORMANCE AND OUTLOOK



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Big difference.

Technology deliverables H1 and H2

Major technology deliverables achieved in H1 FY17:

- Upgrade to LendFast origination platform, resulting in increased levels of automation for many mortgage origination functions
- Data Centre refresh program providing the latest hardware technology, maintenance and support to 2021 and faster processing
- YCU merger activation including system consolidation

With major systems upgrades and merger activities being completed in H1, digital enablement will be the focus for H2. Omni-channel capability continues to be the next step in the technology journey, with our focus being on delivering a seamless and consistent brand experience to customers across multiple channels

As customer demographics shift, 'next-generation' online and mobile banking platforms are no longer a competitive advantage, but rather a hygiene factor for all financial institutions

Planned technology deliverables for H2 FY17:

- Deployment of BankFast 5, an internet banking upgrade and Mobile App upgrade
- Online channel origination for transaction accounts and secured personal loans
- Online statement, card management and other functions enabling customers to self-serve via the online channel
- Business intelligence and data analytics enhancements enabling near real time reporting across customers and accounts
- On balance sheet credit card deployment
- Robotics review and organisational roadmap



Strategy

Structure	Transformation	Growth	Strength
 CCO uniting all Sales Channels and Product Marketing (Sales and Distribution). Allowing for ownership of customer experience and best allocation of resources COO responsible for Sales and Distribution lending and administration support (3rd Party lending support team transferring across to COO) Executive development and talent matrix 	 Information – Data analytics, divisional profit and loss, improved S&D dashboards Lending – 3 hour end to end home loan process (Project Swift) Online – Home Loans, Personal Loans and Account Opening Customer Survey and response Continuation of Nintex conversion (automation) Product simplification Business Banking process review and improvement Account opening review and improvement Customer Segmentation – extensive research in order to better align our products, services and communication with the needs of different demographic groupings 	 Brand – Manifesto, consistency of messaging (Power of Small), awareness and consideration Revision of sales KPIs and Reward Programs for lenders, branch staff and call centre Extended call centre hours to improve customer service and outward bound sales calls, including Broker on boarding Business Banking distribution – Brisbane BBM Broker introductions M&A and Fintech opportunities (YCU integration) Continued investment in customer driven technology Lending growth via ongoing consumer, business and housing momentum In-house credit card M&A opportunities Partnerships with innovative solution providers and niche players 	 Funding strength and very strong capital position System security – cyber attack vigilance and protections Internal Audit – outsourced to PwC External Audit – Deloitte ICAAP Strong credit origination standards and capability Strong ongoing relationship with regulators

Positions Auswide Bank to benefit from technology disruption

MoneyPlace strategic relationship

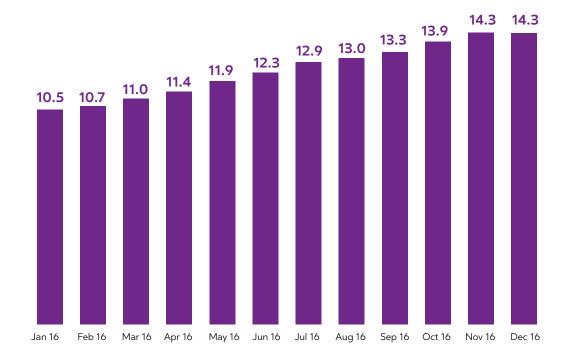
- On 16 February 2017 Auswide announced increase in equity stake in MoneyPlace – fully licenced P2P lender
- Auswide increased its equity stake from 19.3% to a controlling interest of 63.3%
- Over \$9m invested since January 2016 and accelerating
- Loan quality performing above expectations
- Significant future growth opportunities for MoneyPlace and Auswide Bank partnership
- Expecting to incur \$0.5m loss from MoneyPlace in H2 FY17, to be offset by increasing interest revenue on consumer loans and significant medium term value accretion
- Overall consumer finance portfolio expected to be \$30m by 30 June 2017, generating over \$3m in revenue on an annualised basis

Benefits:

- Positions Auswide Bank to benefit from technology disruption
- Accelerates Auswide Bank's consumer lending ambitions
- Provides technically advanced personal loan system solution to a niche consumer finance market and significant opportunities for platform collaboration and value accretion

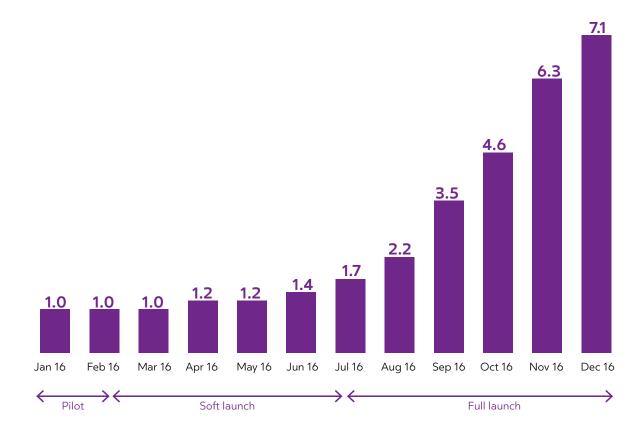


AUSWIDE CUMULATIVE PERSONAL LOAN VOLUME (\$M)





MONEYPLACE CUMULATIVE LOAN VOLUME (\$M)



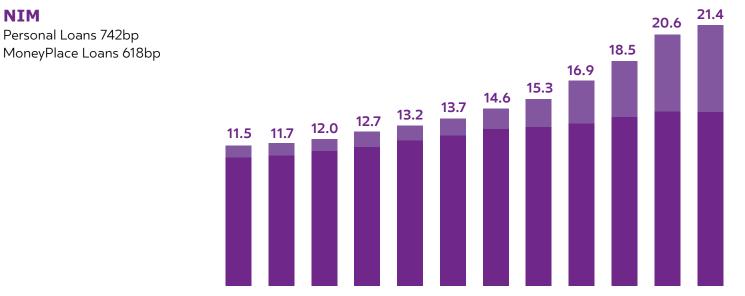


HALF YEAR RESULTS - 2016/17

NIM

TOTAL CONSUMER LENDING (AUSWIDE + MONEYPLACE) (\$M)

Personal Loans MoneyPlace Loans



Jan 16 Feb 16 Mar 16 Apr 16 May 16 Jun 16 Jul 16 Aug 16 Sept 16 Oct 16 Nov 16 Dec 16



On-balance sheet credit card project

- On-balance sheet credit card products under development
- Currently being tested with customer launch expected prior to June 30
- Complements the bank's strategy to grow consumer lending
- Builds stronger banking relationships with customers
- Supports diversification of income and risk



Mortgage Swift Program

The Purpose

The Solutions

- The Mortgage Swift Project was commissioned to review our current 'enquiry to approval' consumer mortgage origination process to enable the development and implementation across all sales channels of a single 'best way process' methodology
- Overarching project to reduce our 'Time to Yes'

- Maximise Apply Online capabilities
- Robots (remove human inputs where possible)
- Leveraging off the strength of LendFast Investment decision engine
- Breeze Docs Documentation Separation
- Liaison and Processing hub
- MOS Workflow
 Management System
- Improved Back Channelling
- Real Timeline Dashboards
- Lean Process Change Documentation and Policy
- Job redesign
- Improved Internal and Broker Training Development

The Objectives

- Reduce application processing time for 80th percentile of applications to 3 hours
- Move offering value to reliable delivery of Time to YES
- Remove significant dead time
- Reduce direct labour costs
- Single value added, customer centric process
- Paperless
- Improve credit quality
- Increase cross sales
- Increase ability to facilitate increased volume (100% increase)
- Gain market share

ProgressThe Lendfast system, a

- significant piece of the program, was implemented in H1 FY17
- Work completed in the areas of Discovery, Policy and Process Changes and Workflow
- Testing of Apply On-Line (AOL) technology to begin in April 2017, with the communication and training phases scheduled to begin in May 2017



M&A opportunities continue to be assessed

- Ongoing consideration of opportunities to extend SEQ and NSW presence
- Through traditional and non traditional partners
- Ongoing consideration of innovative partnerships and technology
- Strong capital position to fund further M&A
- Experienced and capable management team and board with M&A track record
- Legal and regulatory intellectual property built and held
- Operating system commonality with small ADI sector



Market themes

Regulatory

- Regulatory intervention in market activity has increased across three regulators and is expected to remain elevated
- Capital positioning, investor lending and lending standards remain key areas of focus

Margins

- NIM continues to decline across the sector exacerbated by low interest rates and highly competitive housing finance market
- Back-book repricing to support front-book acquisition is occurring across the ADI sector
- Cost reductions remain an area of focus but are being absorbed by technology and regulatory investment requirements

Digital transformation

- Focus on digital transformation to improve productivity and improve customer experience
- Slower move to innovative partnerships and fintech collaboration in Australia than overseas however this is expected to change

Funding

• Some stabilisation over the first half of the financial year with wholesale funding costs again contracting and deposit pricing modestly competitive



Outlook

- Home loan growth of 6% 7% (annualised) expected in H2 FY17
- Consumer finance portfolio expected to be \$30 million by 30 June 2017
- MoneyPlace to be consolidated as a controlled entity in H2 FY17
- Regulation and compliance continue to be key challenges, including APRA's restrictions on investor lending, introduction of Basel 4 and revised Securitisation Standard in 2018
- Competitive market with ongoing need for technology and customer investment
- Economic uncertainty with inflationary and interest rate pressures going forward
- Capital strength to support growth
- Auswide Bank will continue to focus on niche opportunities and partnerships for further revenue growth



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