

# CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

Dear Shareholder

For the nine months ended June 30, 2019, the Bank recorded net Profit after Tax of \$7.0 million. This is an increase of \$1.8 million over the corresponding period last year. This improvement is mainly due to an increase in interest income driven by growth in our loans and investments portfolios.

As previously reported, Republic Financial Holdings Limited (RFHL), the majority shareholder of Republic Bank (Grenada) Limited, entered into an agreement to acquire the banking operations of the Bank of Nova Scotia in nine regional territories, including Grenada. The approval of this transaction is presently under consideration by the various regulatory and statutory bodies. We will keep you apprised of any developments as they arise

The economy grew by 4.8% in 2018, and growth for 2019 is anticipated to be comparable to the 2018 level. We are well positioned to take advantage of the opportunities that this growth presents.

Based on our performance for the fiscal year to date, the Bank expects to produce favourable year-end results.

Gregory I. Thomson CHAIRMAN

July 18, 2019

# UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION as at June 30, 2019

Expressed in thousands of Eastern Caribbean dollars (\$'000)

	UNAUDITED	UNIAUDITED	AUDITED
	UNAUDITED	UNAUDITED	AUDITED
	Jun-30-19	Jun-30-18	Sept-30-18
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Assets			
Cash resources	168,896	129,429	146,358
Advances	482,878	468,535	468,392
Investment securities	294,815	280,231	287,665
Premises and equipment	30,575	31,322	31,227
Other assets	15,681	17,768	18,393
Total Assets	992,845	927,285	952,035
Liabilities and Equity			
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Due to banks	8,943	9,161	8,264
Customers' deposits and other funding instruments	852,189	792,656	813,389
Other liabilities	14,397	13,567	16,272
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Total Liabilities	875,529	815,384	837,925
Equity			
Stated capital	20,745	20,745	20,745
Statutory reserve	20,745	20,745	20,745
Retained earnings	75,826	70,411	72,620
Total equity	117,316	111,901	114,110
Total Liabilities and Equity	992,845	927,285	952,035

Gregory I. Thomson, Chairman

Keith A. Johnson, Managing Director



# UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

# STATEMENT OF INCOME

For the period ended June 30, 2019

Expressed in thousands of Eastern Caribbean dollars (\$'000)

	UNAUDITED THREE MONTHS ENDED		UNAUDITED NINE MONTHS ENDED		AUDITED YEAR ENDED
Ju	n-30-19 \$'000	Jun-30-18 \$'000	Jun-30-19 \$'000	Jun-30-18 \$'000	Sept-30-18 \$'000
Net interest income Other income	8,931 3,094	8,161 2,821	26,628 9,473	24,446 9,303	33,242 12,657
Operating income	12,025	10,982	36,101	33,749	45,899
Operating expenses	(9,153)	(8,968)	(26,844)	(26,867)	(35,716)
Operating profit	2,872	2,013	9,257	6,881	10,183
Credit loss on financial assets	(1)	119	(377)	(236)	(186)
Profit before taxation	2,871	2,132	8,880	6,645	9,997
Taxation expense	(598)	(410)	(1,849)	(1,412)	(2,119)
Net profit after taxation	2,272	1,723	7,031	5,234	7,878
<b>Earnings per share</b> Basic	\$1.40	\$1.06	\$4.32	\$3.21	\$4.84
Weighted average number of shares ('000)	1,628	1,628	1,628	1,628	1,628

# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the period ended June 30, 2019

Expressed in thousands of Eastern Caribbean dollars (\$'000)

	THREE I	UNAUDITED THREE MONTHS ENDED		UNAUDITED NINE MONTHS ENDED	
	Jun-30-19 \$'000	Jun-30-18 \$'000	Jun-30-19 \$'000	Jun-30-18 \$'000	Sept-30-18 \$'000
Net profit after taxation for the period/year	2,272	1,723	7,031	5,234	7,878
Other comprehensive incor (net of tax) that will not be reclassified to profit and in subsquent periods:	e				
Re-measurement losses or defined benefit plans  Total comprehensive incomprehensive incomprehe	- -	-			(435)
for the period/year, net of taxation	2,272	1,723	7,031	5,234	7,443

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the period ended June 30, 2019

Expressed in thousands of Eastern Caribbean dollars (\$'000)

Unaudited period ended June 30, 2019	Stated Capital \$'000	Statutory Reserve \$'000	Other Reserves \$'000	Retained Earnings \$'000	Total Equity \$'000
Balance at October 1, 2018	20,745	20,745	_	72,620	114,110
Total comprehensive income for the period	<i>′</i> -	, <u>-</u>	_	7,031	7,031
Dividends paid	-	-	-	(3,825)	(3,825)
Balance at June 30, 2019	20,745	20,745	-	75,826	117,316
Unaudited period ended June 30, 2018					
Balance at October 1, 2017					
as previously stated	20,745	20,745	2,491	64,181	108,162
Net impact of adopting IFRS 9	· -	· -	(2,491)	996	(1,495)
Restated Opening balance under IFRS 9	20,745	20,745	_	65,177	106,667
Total comprehensive income for the period	· -	_	-	5,234	5,234
Balance at June 30, 2018	20,745	20,745		70,411	111,901
Audited year ended September 30, 2018					
Balance at October 1, 2017					
as previously stated	20,745	20,745	2,289	64,383	108,162
Net impact of adopting IFRS 9	-	-	(2,289)	794	(1,495)
Restated Opening balance under IFRS 9	20,745	20,745	-	65,177	106,667
Total comprehensive income for the year		-	-	7,443	7,443
Balance at September 30, 2018	20,745	20,745	_	72,620	114,110

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the period ended June 30, 2019

Expressed in thousands of Eastern Caribbean dollars (\$'000)

	UNAUDITED NINE MONTHS ENDED Jun-30-19 \$'000	UNAUDITED NINE MONTHS ENDED Jun-30-18 \$'000	AUDITED YEAR ENDED Sept-30-18 \$'000
Operating activities	0.000	0.045	0.007
Profit before taxation	8,880	6,645	9,997
Adjustments for non-cash items	2,510	3,147	3,974
Increase in operating assets	(13,109)	(25,069)	(25,668)
Increase/(Decrease) in operating liabilities	37,035	(4,391)	18,544
Taxes paid	<u>(2,191)</u>	(1,759)	(2,037)
Cash provided by/(used in) operating activities	33,125	(21,427)	4,810
Investing activities	(14 500)	(00,000)	(44,000)
Net increase in investments	(11,599)	(22,006)	(41,906)
Additions to fixed assets	(1,548)	(1,512)	(2,162)
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	168	139	121
Cash used in investing activities	(12,979)	(23,379)	(43,947)
Financing activities Increase in balances due to other banks Dividends Paid	679 (3,825)	3,721 -	2,824 -
Cash (used in)/provided by financing activities	(3,146)	3,721	2,824
Net increase/(decrease) in cash resources	17,000	(41,085)	(36,313)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period/year	72,398	108,711	108,711
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period/year	89,398	67,626	72,398
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period/year are represented by:			
Cash on hand	13,921	13,676	11,753
Due from banks	75,477	50,887	60,645
Treasury Bills - Original maturities of three months or less		3,063	
	89,398	67,626	72,398



#### NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### 1 Corporate information

Republic Bank (Grenada) Limited (the Bank) is incorporated in Grenada and provides banking services through six branches in Grenada and Carriacou. The Bank was continued under the provision of the Companies Ordinance Section 365, 1995 on March 23, 1998 and its registered office is located at Republic House, Grand Anse, St. George, Grenada. It is a subsidiary of Republic Financial Holdings Limited of Trinidad and Tobago formerly Republic Bank Limited.

Republic Financial Holdings Limited the financial holding company for the Republic Group is incorporated in the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and its registered office is located at Republic House, 9-17 Park Street, Port of Spain. Republic Financial Holdings Limited is listed on the Trinidad and Tobago Stock Exchange

The Republic Group (the 'Group') is a financial services group comprising several subsidiaries and associated companies. The Group is engaged in a wide range of banking, financial and related activities in the Caricom region and Ghana.

#### 2 Basis of preparation

This interim financial report for the period ended June 30, 2019 has been prepared in accordance with IAS 34, 'Interim Financial Reporting' and should be used in conjunction with the annual financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2018.

#### 3 Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed financial statements are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the annual financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2018.

The Bank adopted IFRS 9 - Financial Instruments with effect from October 1, 2017. As such, balances in the Statement of Financial Position and Statement of Changes in Equity for the period ended June 30, 2018 were restated to reflect these adjustments.

# **4 Capital commitments**

	UNAUDITED		AUDITED
	Jun-30-19 \$'000	Jun-30-18 \$'000	Sept-30-18 \$'000
Contracts for outstanding capital expenditure not provided for in the financial statements	612	15,338	284
Other capital expenditure authorised by the Directors but not yet contracted for	10,107	6,730	5,976

# **UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**NINE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

#### NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **5 Related parties**

Parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial or operating decisions. A number of banking transactions are entered into with related parties in the normal course of business. These transactions were carried out on commercial terms and conditions, at market rates

	UNAUDITED Jun-30-19 \$'000	UNAUDITED Jun-30-18 \$'000	AUDITED Sept-30-18 \$'000
Advances, investments and other assets			
(net of provisions)	1 075	670	000
Directors and key management personnel Other related parties	1,375 31,993	672 21,209	660 30,508
Other related parties	31,993	21,209	30,306
	33,368	21,881	31,168
Deposits and other liabilities			
Directors and key management personnel	2,015	1,961	1,799
Other related parties	20,256	23,110	22,353
	22,271	25,071	24,152
Interest and other income			
Interest and other income Directors and key management personnel	50	41	52
Other related parties	243	225	367
other related parties	210	220	007
	293	266	419
Interest and other expense			
Interest and other expense Directors and key management personnel	218	171	185
Other related parties	355	335	466
	573	506	651

Key management compensation			
Short-term benefits	706	671	831
Post-employment benefits	24	23	32
	730	694	863

# 6 Deposits with Central Bank

The Eastern Caribbean Automated Clearing House (ECACH) System launched its operations effective September 2014. Republic Bank (Grenada) Limited has deposited three (3) day's collateral with the Eastern Caribbean Central Bank (ECCB) in the amount of \$8.149 million (A Treasury Bill valued at \$11.3M) to guarantee settlement of all items being cleared through the ECACH.

# 7 Contingent liabilities

As at June 30, 2019, there were certain legal proceedings outstanding against the Bank. No provision has been made as professional advice indicates that it is unlikely that any significant loss will arise or that it would be premature at this stage of the action to determine that eventuality.

