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Review report to the Directors of The National Bank of Ras Al-Khaimah (P.S.C.)

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying balance sheet of The National Bank of Ras Al-Khaimah (P.S.C.) ("the Bank") as of 30 September 2009 and the related income statement, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the nine month period then ended. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this condensed interim financial information in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 – Interim Financial Reporting. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this condensed 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 condensed interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 – Interim Financial Reporting.

PricewaterhouseCoopers 27 October 2009

Paul Suddaby

Registered Auditor Number 309 Dubai, United Arab Emirates

Balance sheet

ACCETO	Notes	30 September 2009 AED'000	31 December 2008 AED'000
ASSETS Cash in hand and balances with the UAE			
Central Bank Due from other banks	3	1,543,870	852,925
Loans and advances	4(=)	791,791	967,526
Investment securities	4(a) 5	12,747,444	10,950,509
Property and equipment	6	559,800 582,473	645,072
Other assets	J	153,402	377,138 128,894
Total assets		16,378,780	13,922,064
LIABILITIES			
Due to other banks		46,083	185,873
Due to customers		12,300,532	9,653,665
Debt security in issue	7	1,068,126	1,644,026
Other liabilities Provision for employees' end of service		315,374	330,484
benefits		34,888	29,336
Total liabilities		13,765,003	11,843,384
Equity			
Share capital	8	962,033	740.025
Share premium	J	110,350	740,025 110,350
Retained earnings		728,336	456,687
Other reserves	9	813,058	771,618
Total equity		2,613,777	2,078,680
Total liabilities and equity		16,378,780	13,922,064

This condensed interim financial information was approved by the Executive Committee on 27 October 2009 and was signed on its behalf by:

Graham Hongybill General Manager

Income statement

			nths ended tember	Nine mont 30 Sept	
		2009	2008	2009	2008
	Notes	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Interest income		412,907	299,366	1,146,500	827,197
Interest expense		(92,807)	(56,167)	(295,634)	(182,069)
Net interest income		320,100	243,199	850,866	645,128
Fee and commission income		108,723	89,054	324,683	281,109
Foreign exchange income	_	10,599	10,671	27,326	34,357
Investment income	7	7,804	5,704	23,919	25,378
Other operating income		9,303	4,957 ———	14,572 ———	10,882
Operating income		456,529	353,585	1,241,366	996,854
Operating expenses Provision for impairment of		(180,231)	(167,625)	(544,091)	(473,183)
loans and advances net of write back	4(c)	(89,459)	(16,927)	(166,617)	(43,019)
Net profit for the period		186,839	169,033	530,658	480,652
Earnings per share					
Basic and diluted	12	0.19	0.18	0.55	0.50

The National Bank of Ras Al-Khaimah (P.S.C.) Statement of comprehensive income

		Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September	
	Notes	2009 AED'000	2008 AED'000	2009 AED'000	2008 AED'000
Profit for the period		186,839	169,033	530,658	480,652
Other comprehensive income/(loss):					
Net changes in fair value of available-for-sale	_	45.004	(42.504)		(
investment securities	5	15,986	(13,581)	41,440	(20,934)
Total comprehensive income for the period		202,825	155,452	572,098	459,718

Statement of changes in equity

	Share capital AED'000	Share premium AED'000	Retained earnings AED'000	Other reserves AED'000	Total AED'000
At 1 January 2008 Issue of bonus shares	616,688	110,350	343,974	505,989	1,577,001
(Note 8)	123,337	-	(123,337)	-	-
Dividend (Note 8) Total comprehensive income	-	-	(61,668)	-	(61,668)
for the period	-	-	480,652	(20,934)	459,718
At 30 September 2008	740,025	110,350	639,621	485,055	1,975,051
At 1 January 2009 Issue of bonus shares	740,025	110,350	456,687	771,618	2,078,680
(Note 8)	222,008	-	(222,008)	-	-
Dividend (Note 8) Total comprehensive income	-	-	(37,001)	-	(37,001)
for the period			530,658	41,440	572,098
At 30 September 2009	962,033	110,350	728,336	813,058	2,613,777

Statement of cash flows

	<u>Nine m</u>	onths ended 3	
	Notos	2009	2008
Operating activities	Notes	AED'000	AED'000
Profit for the period		530,658	480,652
Adjustments:		333,330	100,032
Net charge for provision for impairment of loans			
and advances net of write back	4(c)	166,617	43,019
Depreciation	6	26,928	19,408
Provision for employees' end of service benefits		7,211	8,256
Gain on disposal of property and equipment		(8)	(105)
Amortisation of discount relating to debt security	_		
in issue	7	807	781
Amortisation of discount relating to securities held to maturity	5	(2.610)	(71)
field to maturity	5	(3,610)	(71)
Operating cash flows before changes in assets and			
liabilities		728,603	551,940
Payment of employees' end of service benefits		(1,659)	(2,730)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		(1,000)	(2,750)
Deposits with the UAE Central Bank		(468,270)	25,060
Due from other banks with original maturities of		, , ,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
over three months		_	11,264
Loans and advances net of provisions for			·
impairment		(1,963,552)	(2,323,125)
Other assets		(24,508)	(1,352)
Due to other banks		(139,790)	96,248
Due to customers Other liabilities		2,646,867	2,094,386
Other liabilities		(15,110)	98,743
Net cash generated from operating activities		762,581	550,434
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Investing activities			
Purchase of investment securities	5	(78,328)	(201,437)
Proceeds from maturity of investments	5	208,650	80,250
Purchase of property and equipment	6	(232,263)	(180,451)
Proceeds from disposal of property and equipment		` ′ 8′	248
Net cash used in investing activities		(101,933)	(301,390)
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Financing activities			
Dividends paid	8	(37,001)	(61,668)
Maturity of debt security in issue	7	(360,000)	-
Repurchase of debt security in issue	7	(216,707)	-
Not each used in financing activities		(612.700)	(61.660)
Net cash used in financing activities		(613,708)	(61,668)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents			
Cash and each equivalents beginning of the named		46,940	187,376
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of the period		1,107,783	747,837
Cash and cash equivalents, end of the period	14	1,154,723	935,213
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Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009

1 Incorporation and principal activities

The National Bank of Ras Al-Khaimah (P.S.C.) ("the Bank") is a public shareholding company incorporated in the Emirate of Ras Al-Khaimah in the United Arab Emirates ("UAE"). The head office of the Bank is located at National Bank of Ras Al-Khaimah building, Oman Street, Al Nakheel, Ras Al-Khaimah.

The Bank is engaged in providing commercial banking services through a network of twenty seven branches in the UAE.

2 Significant accounting policies

The condensed interim financial information is prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34 "Interim Financial Reporting". The condensed interim financial information is prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of available-for-sale investment securities and derivative financial instruments.

The accounting policies applied in the preparation of the condensed interim financial information are consistent with those applied in the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2008.

The condensed interim financial information should therefore be read in conjunction with the year ended 31 December 2008 financial statements.

Costs that occur unevenly during the financial year are anticipated or deferred in the condensed interim financial information only if it would also be appropriate to anticipate or defer such costs at the end of the financial year.

Standard, amendments and interpretations to published standards that are effective for accounting period beginning on or after 1 January 2009

The following new standard, amendments and interpretations to existing standards have been published and are effective for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2009.

- IAS 1 (revised), 'Presentation of financial statements' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 16 (amendment), 'Property, plant and equipment' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 19 (amendment), 'Employee benefits' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 20 (amendment), 'Accounting for government grants and disclosure of government assistance' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 23 (amendment), 'Borrowing costs' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 28 (amendment), 'Investment in associates' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

2 Significant accounting policies (continued)

<u>Standard, amendments and interpretations to published standards that are effective for accounting period beginning on or after 1 January 2009</u> (continued)

- IAS 31 (amendment), 'Interest in joint ventures' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 32 (amendment), 'Financial instruments: presentation', and consequential amendments to IAS 1, 'Presentation of financial statements' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 36 (amendment), 'Impairment of assets' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 38 (amendment), 'Intangible assets' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 39 (amendment), 'Financial instruments: Recognition and measurement' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 40 (amendment), 'Investment property' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 41 (amendment), 'Agriculture' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IFRS 1 (amendment) 'First time adoption of IFRS', and IAS 27 'Consolidated and separate financial statements' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IFRS 2 (amendment) 'Share-based payment' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IFRS 8 'Operating segments' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IAS 27 (revised) 'Consolidated and separate financial statements' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 July 2009).
- IFRS 3 (amendment), 'Business combinations' and consequential amendments to IAS 27, 'Consolidated and separate financial statements', IAS 28, 'Investments in associates' and IAS 31, 'Interest in joint ventures', effective prospectively to business combinations for which the acquisition date is on or after the beginning of the first annual reporting period beginning on or after 1 July 2009.
- IFRS 5 (amendment), 'Non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 July 2009).
- IFRIC 13, 'Customer loyalty programmes' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 July 2008).
- IFRIC 16, 'Hedges of a net investment in a foreign operation' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 October 2008).
- IFRIC 15, 'Agreements for construction of real estates' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 January 2009).
- IFRIC 17, 'Distributions of non-cash assets to owners' (effective for annual periods commencing 1 July 2009).
- IFRIC 18, 'Transfers of assets from customers' (effective 1 July 2009)

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

2 Significant accounting policies (continued)

Standard, amendments and interpretations to published standards that are effective for accounting period beginning on or after 1 January 2009 (continued)

Management has assessed the impact of the above standard, amendments and interpretations to published standards on the Bank's financial statements and has concluded that they are not relevant to the Bank's financial statements, except for the amendment to IAS 1, which will affect the presentation of the statement of changes in equity and the statement of comprehensive income and IFRS 8, which requires a "management approach" under which segmental information is presented on the same basis as that used for internal reporting purposes. The amendment to IAS 1 does not impact the recognition, measurement or disclosure of specific transactions and other events required by other IFRS.

The application of the amendment to IAS 1 and IFRS 8 have been adopted in this condensed interim financial information.

3 Cash in hand and balances with the UAE Central Bank

	30 September 2009 AED'000	31 December 2008 AED'000
Cash in hand and current account with UAE		
Central Bank	362,932	140,257
Statutory deposit with the UAE Central Bank	660,938	607,668
UAE Central Bank Certificate of deposits	520,000	105,000
	1,543,870	852,925
		

The statutory deposit with the UAE Central Bank is not available to finance the day to day operations of the Bank. Certificate of deposits carry interest rates ranging between 1.10% to 1.75% per annum (31 December 2008: 1.70% to 2.50%).

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

4 Loans and advances

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during the period (Note 4(b)) 102,957 24,792 202,809 63,786
Write back during the period (13,498) (7,865) (36,192) (20,767)
89,459 16,927 166,617 43,019

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

4 Loans and advances (continued)

4(d) Classified loans and advances

At 30 September 2009, the aggregate amount of non-performing loans amounted to AED 347.96 million (31 December 2008: AED 168.05 million). Specific provisions in relation to such loans amounted to AED 206.8 million as at 30 September 2009 (31 December 2008: AED 125.3 million). In addition, a collective impairment provision amounting to AED 105.6 million was held by the Bank at 30 September 2009 (31 December 2008: AED 100 million).

At 30 September 2009, AED 59.63 million of the total non-performing loans (31 December 2008: AED 19.86 million) were covered by collateral held by the Bank.

5 Investment securities

	30 September 2009 AED'000	31 December 2008 AED'000
Securities available-for-sale		
Quoted equity securities	2,727	1,708
Quoted debt securities	213,749	176,414
Unquoted debt securities	49,250	229,814
	265,726	407,936
Securities held-to-maturity Quoted debt securities	294,074	237,136
Total investment securities	559,800	645,072

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

5 Investment securities (continued)

The movement in investment securities is summarised as follows:

	Securities available-for-	Securities held – to –	
	sale	maturity	Total
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
At 1 January 2009	407,936	237,136	645,072
Purchases	-	78,328	78,328
Maturity	(183,650)	(25,000)	(208,650)
Changes in fair value	41,440	-	41,440
Amortisation of discount	-	3,610	3,610
At 30 September 2009	265,726	294,074	559,800
At 1 January 2008	490,869	135,286	626,155
Purchases	51,580	149,857	201,437
Maturity	· -	(80,250)	(80,250)
Changes in fair value	(20,934)	· · · -	(20,934)
Amortisation of discount	-	71	71
At 30 September 2008	521,515	204,964	726,479
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Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

6 Property and equipment

	Land and buildings AED'000	Leasehold improvements AED'000	Other assets AED'000	Capital work in progress AED'000	Total AED'000
Cost		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	7120 000	71ED 000	ALD 000
At 1 January 2009 Additions	66,627 -	39,849 420	157,388 11,755	244,012 220,088	507,876 232,263
Transfers Disposals	16,569 -	7,820 -	28,938 (46)	(53,327) -	, (46)
At 30 September 2009	83,196	48,089	198,035	410,773	740,093
Depreciation					
At 1 January 2009 Charge for the	(9,807)	(22,404)	(98,527)	-	(130,738)
period Disposals	(889) -	(4,555) -	(21,484) 46	-	(26,928) 46
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At 30 September 2009	(10,696)	(26,959)	(119,965)	-	(157,620)
Net book amount				- 1910	. 0.500-2
At 30 September					
2009	72,500 ======	21,130	78,070 ————	410,773	582,473
At 31 December			71.17		
2008	56,820 =====	17,445 	58,861	244,012	377,138 ————

Included in land and buildings is land costing AED 51.72 million (31 December 2008: AED 51.72 million).

Other assets include computer equipment, furniture and fixtures, equipment and motor vehicles.

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

6 Property and equipment (continued)

	Land and buildings AED'000	Leasehold improvements AED'000	Other assets AED'000	Capital work in progress	Total
Cost	ALD 000	ALD 000	ALD 000	AED'000	AED' 0 00
At 1 January 2008 Additions	60,549 238	29,800 280	129,841 11,563	59,520 168,370	279,710 180,451
Transfers Disposals	5,665 -	3,197 (219)	473 (539)	(9,335) -	(758)
At 30 September 2008	66,452	33,058	141,338	218,555	459,403
Depreciation					
At 1 January 2008 Charge for the	(9,055)	(18,695)	(76,606)	-	(104,356)
period Disposals	(559)	(2.853) 219	(15,996) 396	-	(19,408) 615
At 30 September					
2008	(9,614)	(21,329)	(92,206)	-	(123,149)
Net book amount At 30 September					
2008	56,838	11,729	49,132	218,555	336,254
At 31 December 2007	51,494	11,105	53,235	59,520	175,354

7 Debt security in issue

	30 September 2009 AED'000	31 December 2008 AED'000
Euro Medium-Term Notes Less: debt security issue costs	1,068,843 (717)	1,645,550 (1,524)
	1,068,126	1,644,026

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

7 **Debt security in issue** (continued)

The movement in debt security in issue is summarised as follows:

	<u>Nine months ended</u> 2009 AED'000	1 30 September 2008 AED'000
1 January Maturity	1,644,026	1,642,984
Repurchase Amortisation of issue costs	(360,000) (216,707) 807	- - 781
30 September	1,068,126	1,643,765

Profit of AED 4.59 million (2008: nil) from the repurchase of debt security in issue has been included in investment income.

8 Share capital and dividend

At 30 September 2009, the authorised, issued and fully paid share capital of the Bank comprised 962.03 million shares of AED 1 each (31 December 2008: 740.03 million shares of AED 1 each).

At the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders held on 10 March 2009, the shareholders of the Bank approved a stock dividend (issue of bonus shares) in respect of 2008 at 30% of the issued and paid up capital amounting to AED 222 million (2008: AED 123.34 million in respect of 2007) and cash dividend at 5% of the issued and paid up capital amounting to AED 37 million (2008: AED 61.67 million in respect of 2007).

9 Other reserves

Other reserves include legal reserve and voluntary reserve. In accordance with the Articles of Association of the Bank, 10% of the net profit for the year is to be transferred to a legal reserve until such time as the balance in the reserve equals 50% of the issued share capital and 10% of the net profit for the year is to be transferred to a voluntary reserve until such time as the balance in the reserve equals 20% of the issued share capital. No allocations to the legal reserve and the voluntary reserve have been made for the nine month period ended 30 September 2009, as these will be effected at the year end based on the Bank's results for the year ending 31 December 2009.

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

10 Contingencies and commitments

	30 September 2009 AED'000	31 December 2008 AED'000
Letters of guarantee Letters of credit Acceptances Commitments to extend credit Capital commitments Others	434,337 63,793 21,054 4,118,153 61,982	405,146 70,438 25,273 3,735,728 218,760 96
	4,699,319	4,455,441

11 Forward foreign exchange contracts

Forward foreign exchange contracts comprise commitments to purchase foreign and domestic currencies on behalf of customers and in respect of the Bank's undelivered spot transactions.

Outstanding foreign forward exchange transactions at 30 September 2009 and 31 December 2008 are as follows:

	Contract amount AED'000	Fair value AED'000
30 September 2009	141,229	(67) —
31 December 2008	118,273	123

12 Earnings per share

The basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the net profit attributable to shareholders by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period. In accordance with IAS 33 - Earnings Per Share, the impact of bonus shares issued have been considered retrospectively while computing the weighted average number of ordinary shares during all periods presented. The weighted average number of ordinary shares during the period ended 30 September 2009 amounted to 962,033,280 shares (30 September 2008: 962,033,280 shares).

13 Fiduciary activities

The Bank holds assets in a fiduciary capacity for its customers without recourse to itself. At 30 September 2009, such assets amounted to AED 374.92 million (31 December 2008: AED 481.41 million) and are excluded from the financial statements of the Bank.

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

14 Cash and cash equivalents

	<u>As at 30 September</u>	
	2009	2008
	AED'000	AED'000
Cash in hand and current account with UAE Central		
Bank (Note 3)	362,932	205,223
Due from other banks	791,791	729,990
	1,154,723	935,213

15 Business segments

Management has determined the operating segments based on the reports reviewed by the Executive Committee that are used to make strategic decisions.

The Executive Committee considers the business from a departmental perspective. The business is split into Retail Banking, Business Banking and Treasury.

The reportable operating segments derive their revenue primarily from the Retail, Corporate and Treasury products offered to customers. Although corporate/business banking does not meet the quantitative thresholds to be disclosed as a segment, management believes that information about these segments would be useful to users of the condensed interim financial information. Sales between segments are carried out at agreed rates. The revenue from external parties reported to the Executive Committee is measured in a manner consistent with that in the income statement.

The segment information provided to the Executive Committee for the reportable segments for the period ended 30 September 2009 and 30 September 2008 is as follows:

Nine months ended 30 September 2009	Retail banking AED' 000	Business banking AED' 000	Treasury and others AED' 000	Total AED' 000
Total segment revenue Inter-segment revenue	1,590,508 (153,988)	100,074 (46,409)	139,703 (92,888)	1,830,285 (293,285)
Total revenue from external customers	1,436,520	53,665	46,815	1,537,000
Segment result Unallocated costs	596,633	9,118	37,499	643,250 (112,592)
Net profit for the period				530,658
				(17)

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15 Business segments (continued)

	Retail banking AED' 000	Business banking AED' 000	Treasury and others AED' 000	Total AED' 000
Nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)	7125 000	ALD 000	ALD 000	ALD 000
Impairment charge Depreciation	168,171 15,384	(1,554) 553	10,991	166,617 26,928
At 30 September 2009				
Total assets Total liabilities	12,802,073 7,804,439	505,290 3,092,171	3,071,417 2,868,393	16,378,780 13,765,003
Nine months ended 30 September 2008	Retail banking AED' 000	Business banking AED' 000	Treasury and others AED' 000	Total AED' 000
Total segment revenue Inter-segment revenue	1,200,352 (147,460)	91,520 (38,682)	152,144 (78,951)	1,444,016 (265,093)
Total revenue from external customers	1,052,892	52,838	73,193	1,178,923
Segment result Unallocated costs	493,282	32,124	50,363	575,769 (95,117)
Net profit for the period				480,652
Impairment charge Depreciation	41,138 9,696	1,881 456	- 9,256	43,019 19,408
At 31 December 2008				
Total assets Total liabilities	10,755,435 5,998,942 ————	659,390 2,451,628	2,507,239 3,392,814 ————	13,922,064 11,843,384

Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2009 (continued)

16 Related parties balances

Related parties comprise key management, businesses controlled by shareholders and directors as well as businesses over which they exercise significant influence. During the period, the Bank entered into transactions with related parties in the ordinary course of business. The transactions with related parties and balances arising from these transactions are as follows:

	Nine months ended 30 September			
	2009	2008		
Transactions during the period	AED'000	AED'000		
rransactions daring the period				
Interest income	2,274	627		
Interest expense	17,321	6,674		
Commission income	142	1,082		
Directors' remuneration	2,688	2,444		
Remuneration payable to key management personnel	0.606	0.450		
personner	9,606	9,458		
	30 September	31 December		
	2009	2008		
	AED'000	AED'000		
Balances				
Loans and advances:				
- Shareholders and their related companies	22.652	45 164		
- Directors and their related companies	23,652 15,234	45,164 11,291		
on companies		11,291		
	38,886	56,455		
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Due to customers:				
- Shareholders and their related companies	613,784	425,991		
- Directors and their related companies	129,223	82,390		
	742.007			
	743,007	508,381		
Irrevocable commitments and contingent				
liabilities				
- Shareholders and their related companies	54,747	56,416		
- Directors and their related companies	994	11,594		
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	55,741	68,010		