MOTOR INSURERS' BUREAU OF HONG KONG (Limited by guarantee)

REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

31 DECEMBER 2022

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL MEMBERS

The Council Members have pleasure in submitting their annual report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Principal activities and business review

A fair review of the Bureau's business

The Bureau has a limited scope as a specific public service dictated by its Articles of Association in administering two funds, namely the First Fund Scheme ("FFS") and the Insolvency Fund Scheme ("IFS") for the satisfaction of claims liabilities to certain motor vehicle accident victims under the circumstances as set out in Legal status, Note 1 on pages 13 to 14 to the Financial Statements which forms part of this Business Review and as also detailed in the Bureau's website at www.mibhk.com.hk.

There were no significant developments in the business of the Bureau during the year, except for the activation of the Insolvency Fund following the notification of the insolvency of Target Insurance Company, Limited in July 2022, and it remains in good financial health as summarized by the following key financial information:

FFS

Contributions from members Net assets Gross claims paid Amount of insurance protection	2022 HK\$10.8 million HK\$409 million HK\$4.2 million Nil	2021 HK\$37 million HK\$453 million HK\$6.8 million Nil
recoveries Amount of claims recoveries Number of outstanding claims * Provision for outstanding claims * Number of new claims received *	HK\$0.04 million 3,425 HK\$378.6 million 1,875	HK\$0.03 million 2,735 HK\$463.5 million 1,609

[* registered and potential claims]

IFS

2022	2021
HK\$21.6 million	HK\$74.1 million
HK\$2,475 million	HK\$3,367 million
HK\$80 million	HK\$0.13 million
HK\$5.6 million	Nil
1,174	20
HK\$411.1 million	HK\$22.4 million
1,527	Nil
	HK\$21.6 million HK\$2,475 million HK\$80 million HK\$5.6 million 1,174 HK\$411.1 million

The Bureau maintains a high level of Corporate Governance through its Audit Committee, Senior Advisor and Secretary and has complied with the relevant laws and regulations for its business throughout the year.

The Bureau maintains a steady workforce headed by the General Manager and Senior Advisor and there were no changes in these key personnel during the year.

The Bureau has in place a formal channel for employees or the public to communicate their complaints and concerns with nothing to report.

The Bureau reviews its key external service providers including Secretary, Legal advisers, Investment managers, consultant & custodian, Auditors, Actuaries, Insurance broker and Risk Consultant on a regular basis and its relationships with them remained strong throughout the year.

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL MEMBERS (CONTINUED)

Principal activities and business review (continued)

A fair review of the Bureau's business (continued)

The Bureau continues to work closely with and support sister organisation Employees Compensation Insurer Insolvency Bureau ("ECIIB") via an at cost service agreement effective from 1 January 2018 as both Bureaus consider there is common ground and mutual benefit to be gained from close liaison and being able to speak with one voice on matters of mutual future impact.

The Bureau also continues to monitor the situation of COVID-19 noting that it has not had any material impact on its business.

Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Beliefs Statement

The sole business of the Bureau is to provide a social service pertaining to its Articles and Agreements, it considers its Corporate Governance to be to valid levels appropriate to its mandate but with continuing review, and it adheres to sustainable investment practice.

Sustainable investment is defined as the integration of ESG considerations into the investment process, which takes a long-term view, and includes the consideration of real-world impacts and effective stewardship. The Bureau believes that sustainable investment is important to successful long-term investment outcomes. To ensure that sustainability is properly accounted for in the Funds, the Bureau looks to its advisors to provide advice on the Funds' high-level sustainable investment considerations and its fund managers to implement said considerations. The Bureau has undertaken an initial exercise to understand the fund managers' sustainable investment process and position establishing no concerns to highlight at this time and will undertake a sustainable investment review of the Funds and their managers on a regular basis.

A description of the principal risks and uncertainties facing the Bureau

The 2018 Actuarial Review highlighted a number of Liquidity and Insurance risks which were noted by Council and considered in the following detailed risk review. A professional external risk review was conducted during 2019 resulting in the establishment of a formal Risk Register reviewed annually and establishing that the identified risks of the Bureau fall within the categories of Operational, Market, Credit, Liquidity and Insurance and such are currently all considered to pose no more than an insignificant risk level to the Bureau. Council also reviews Risk and Fraud as a standing item of their quarterly meetings.

A detailed discussion on the main risks of the Bureau are set out in Management of insurance and financial risk, Note 3 on pages 20 to 27 to the Financial Statements which forms part of this Business Review.

Particulars of important events affecting the Bureau that have occurred since the end of the financial year

The Council is not aware of any important events affecting the business of the Bureau that have occurred since the end of the financial year.

An indication of likely future developments in the Bureau's business

The Bureau continues to work with a professional consultancy in respect of the Implementation of accounting standard HKFRS17 and in liaison with the Bureau's External Auditor.

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL MEMBERS (CONTINUED)

Principal activities and business review (continued)

An indication of likely future developments in the Bureau's business (continued)

In view of the current severe economic impact of Covid-19 on the community of Hong Kong, in order to financially assist the public after considering positive Actuarial advice on the proposal and with the support of the Insurance Authority on behalf of the Government, the Bureau had suspended its Contributions for a 12 month period with effect from 1 October 2021 and imposed automatic reinstatement of the Contributions with effect from 1 October 2022.

The Council continues to consider the Policyholders' Protection Scheme where it is expected that potentially the Bureau will further extend the IFS subject to Members' agreement.

Financial statements

The results of the Bureau for the year ended 31 December 2022 and the state of affairs of the Bureau as at that date are set out in the financial statements on pages 9 to 39.

Property, plant and equipment

Details of movements in property, plant and equipment are set out in Note 9 to the financial statements.

General reserve and retained surplus

Movements in retained surplus during the year are set out in the statement of changes in equity.

Council Members

The Council Members during the financial year and up to the date of this report are:

Mr Chan Pui Leung Mr Hui Kam Kwai Mr Kelvin Cheung Kin Keung Ms Karen Lee Kar Lun

Mr Lau Hong Wai Bernard

Mr Philip Graham Kent Ms Sally Wan Yuen Wai

Ms Wong Chi Shun

Mr Andrew Wong Kwai Chuen

(appointed on 19 January 2023)

(resigned on 1 January 2023)

Mr Lau Hong Wai Bernard having been appointed to fill a casual vacancy during the year and up to date of this report, retires at the forthcoming annual general meeting in accordance with article 35 of the Bureau's Articles of Association and, offers himself for re-election.

Messrs Mr Chan Pui Leung, Sally Wan Yuen Wai and Wong Chi Shun are to retire at the forthcoming annual general meeting in accordance with article 37 (a) of the Bureau's Articles of Association and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

All other remaining Council Members continue in office.

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL MEMBERS (CONTINUED)

Principal activities and business review (continued)

Council member's interests in contracts

No contract of significance to which the Bureau was a party and in which a Council Member of the Bureau had a material interest, whether directly or indirectly, subsisted at the end of the year or at any time during the year.

At no time during the year was the Bureau a party to any arrangements to enable the Council Members of the Bureau to acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in or debentures of any body corporate.

Management contracts

No contracts concerning the management and administration of the whole or any substantial part of the business of the Bureau were entered into or existed during the year.

Auditors

The accounts have been audited by PricewaterhouseCoopers who retire, and being eligible, offer themselves for re-appointment.

By order of the Council

Hui Kam Kwai Chairman

Hong Kong, 21 April 2023





Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Motor Insurers' Bureau of Hong Kong (incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability by guarantee)

Opinion

What we have audited

The financial statements of Motor Insurers' Bureau of Hong Kong (the "Bureau"), which are set out on pages 9 to 39, comprise:

- the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022;
- the statement of comprehensive income for the year then ended;
- the statement of changes in equity for the year then ended;
- the statement of cash flows for the year then ended; and
- the notes to the financial statements, which include significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Our opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Bureau as at 31 December 2022, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards ("HKFRSs") issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA") and have been properly prepared in compliance with the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing ("HKSAs") issued by the HKICPA. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We are independent of the Bureau in accordance with the HKICPA's Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants ("the Code"), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.



Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Motor Insurers' Bureau of Hong Kong (incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability by guarantee)

Other Information

The Council Members are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the report of the Council Members, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Council Members and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

The Council Members are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with HKFRSs issued by the HKICPA and the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, and for such internal control as the Council Members determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Council Members are responsible for assessing the Bureau's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Council Members either intend to liquidate the Bureau or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Bureau's financial reporting process.



Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Motor Insurers' Bureau of Hong Kong (incorporated in Hong Kong with limited liability by guarantee)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. We report our opinion solely to you, as a body, in accordance with Section 405 of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance, and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards or accept liability to any other person for the contents of this report. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with HKSAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with HKSAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Bureau's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Council Members.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Council Members' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Bureau's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Bureau to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

PricewaterhouseCoopers Certified Public Accountants

Hong Kong, 21 April 2023

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

	Note	First Fund 2022	Scheme 2021	Insolvency F 2022	und Scheme 2021
		HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
Revenue Members' contributions Non-members' contributions		10,816,905 -	37,032,880 141,312	21,634,915	74,087,561 -
		10,816,905	37,174,192	21,634,915	74,087,561
Other income/(loss) Net realised and unrealised (loss)/gain on financial instruments at fair value through					
profit or loss Other investment income Interest income on deposits		(116,934,136) 2,051,247 4,687	14,228,622 2,476,499 178	(442,399,035) 7,960,095	52,644,075 9,164,120
Rental income Other sundry income	9 7	408,000	800,000	5,196 1,003,622 408,000	243 1,155,777
•		(114,470,202)	17,505,299	(433,022,122)	62,964,215
Less: Incurred claims					
Gross claims paid		4,230,664	6,760,393	80,061,257	126,537
Claims recoveries		(38,800)	(28,500)	(5,634,653)	
Net claims paid Movement in provision for outstanding		4,191,864	6,731,893	74,426,604	126,537
claims		(84,879,000)	18,959,000	388,669,000	(8,714,000)
	13	(80,687,136)	25,690,893	463,095,604	(8,587,463)
Less: Expenses	•		**************************************	***************************************	
Scheme Protection programme insurance		13,018,460	13,491,391	-	-
Other expenses:					
Accountancy and secretarial fees		1,610,650	1,480,850	2,887,250	2,470,750
Audit fees		265,583	235,467	265,583	235,467
Consultancy, legal and professional fees	_	398,033	1,538,375	486,168	1,541,596
Depreciation	9	72,987	60,338	72,987	60,338
Loss on disposal of fixed assets Investment expenses		6,673 2,582,072	2 000 070	6,673	9.400.000
Staff costs	8	1,786,197	2,898,879 5,984,276	7,253,506 5,857,133	8,182,323
Others		1,024,985	952,449	1,001,361	1,080,977 838,880
		7,747,180	13,150,634	17,830,661	14,410,331
Total expenses		20,765,640	26,642,025	17,830,661	14,410,331
(Loss)/surplus for the year Other comprehensive surplus		(43,731,801) -	2,346,573	(892,313,472) -	131,228,908
Total comprehensive (loss)/surplus for			*		
the year		(43,731,801)	2,346,573	(892,313,472)	131,228,908

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2022

	Note	First Fund 2022	d Scheme 2021	Insolvency 1 2022	Fund Scheme 2021
ASSETS		HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
ASSETS					
Non-current assets					
Property, plant and equipment	9	184,506	144,326	184,506	144,326
Current assets				-	-
Financial assets at fair value through profit					
or loss	11	772,698,495	907,077,203	2,844,197,588	3,374,255,090
Contributions and other receivables	12	10,108,914	1,737,401	40,164,723	7,492,645
Bank balances and cash	10	9,667,677	14,157,110	7,571,565	10,208,034
		792,475,086	922,971,714	2,891,933,876	3,391,955,769
Total assets		792,659,592	923,116,040	2,892,118,382	3,392,100,095
EQUITY	٠				
Retained surplus		409,228,137	452,959,938	2,475,109,173	3,367,422,645
LIABILITIES			•	-	
Current liabilities					
Provision for outstanding claims	13	378,630,000	463,509,000	411,103,000	22,434,000
Accounts payable	14	-	-		30,880
Other creditors and accruals		4,801,455	6,647,102	5,906,209	2,212,570
Total liabilities		383,431,455	470,156,102	417,009,209	24,677,450
Total equity and liabilities		792,659,592	923,116,040	2,892,118,382	3,392,100,095
					

Approved and authorised for issue by the Council Members on 21 April 2023.

Council Member

Council Member

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

Total retained surplus:	First Fund Scheme HK\$	Insolvency Fund Scheme HK\$
Balance at 1 January 2021	450,613,365	3,236,193,737
Total comprehensive surplus for the year	2,346,573	131,228,908
Balance at 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022	452,959,938	3,367,422,645
Total comprehensive loss for the year	(43,731,801)	(892,313,472)
Balance at 31 December 2022	409,228,137	2,475,109,173

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

	Note	First Fund Scheme 2022 2021 HK\$ HK\$		Insolvency Fo 2022 HK\$	und Scheme 2021 HK\$
Operating activities		•			
Total comprehensive (loss) / surplus for the year Adjustments for:		(43,731,801)	2,346,573	(892,313,472)	131,228,908
 Investment expenses Interest income on deposits Depreciation Loss on disposal of fixed assets 		2,582,072 (4,687) 72,987 6,673	2,898,879 (178) 60,338	7,253,506 (5,196) 72,987 6,673	8,182,323 (243) 60,338
 Other investment income Net realised and unrealised loss / (gains) on financial assets and financial liabilities 		(2,051,247)	(2,476,499)	(7,960,095)	(9,164,120)
at fair value through profit or loss		116,934,136	(14,228,622)	442,399,035	(52,644,075)
Operating surplus/(loss) before changes in working capital		73,808,133	(11,399,509)	(450,546,562)	77,663,131
(Increase) / Decrease in contributions and other receivables (Decrease) / Increase in provision for		(8,415,220)	9,965,955	(16,695,217)	19,672,304
outstanding claims (Decrease) / Increase in other creditors		(84,879,000)	18,959,000	388,669,000	(8,714,000)
and accruals		(1,845,647)	230,691	3,693,639	686,857
Net cash (outflow) / inflow from operating activities		(21,331,734)	17,756,137	(74,879,140)	89,308,292
Investing activities					
Payment for purchase of fixed assets Sales proceed of fixed assets	9	(121,340) 1,500	(40,348)	(121,340) 1,500	(40,348)
Purchases of financial instruments (net) Investment expenses Interest income on deposits		17,498,721 (2,582,072) 4,687	(9,346,260) (2,898,879) 178	71,681,952 (7,253,506) 5,196	(85,939,426) (8,182,323) 243
Other investment income		2,051,247	2,476,499	7,960,095 ————	9,164,120
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from investing activities		16,852,743	(9,808,810)	72,273,897	(84,997,734)
Net (decrease) / increase in cash and cash equivalents		(4,478,991)	7,947,327	(2,605,243)	4,310,558
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		14,166,404	6,219,077	10,240,087	5,929,529
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December	10	9,687,413	14,166,404	7,634,844	10,240,087

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1 Legal status

Motor Insurers' Bureau of Hong Kong (the "Bureau") is a company limited by guarantee and was incorporated under the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance on 10th December 1980. The address of its registered office is 17/F, Far East Finance Centre, 16 Harcourt Road, Hong Kong.

Under the provision of the Bureau's Articles of Association, every member shall, in the event of the Bureau being wound up, contribute such amount as may be required to meet the liabilities of the Bureau but not exceeding HK\$100 per member. The assets of the Bureau shall be applied solely towards the promotion of the objects of the Bureau as set out in the Bureau's Articles of Association and no part thereof shall be distributed to the members of the Bureau. All insurers authorised by law to carry on motor vehicle insurance business in Hong Kong must become members of the Bureau.

The First Fund Scheme was set up in accordance with an agreement entered into on 1 February 1981 between the Government of Hong Kong and the Bureau ("the First Fund Agreement") and also a Domestic Agreement entered into on 1st February 1981 between the Bureau and insurers authorised to carry on motor vehicle insurance business in Hong Kong. In accordance with the First Fund Agreement, the Bureau is liable for the settlement of all claims for damages for bodily injury or death arising out of any motor vehicle accidents, if judgement is obtained and either at the time of the accident giving rise to liability there is not in force a policy or such policy is ineffective for any reason other than the inability of the insurer to pay its debts by reason of its insolvency and any such judgement is not satisfied in full within 28 days.

The Insolvency Fund Scheme was set up in accordance with an agreement entered into on 1 November 1985 between the Government of Hong Kong and the Bureau ("the Insolvency Fund Agreement") and also a Domestic Agreement on the same date between the Bureau and insurers authorised to carry on motor vehicle insurance business in Hong Kong. In accordance with the Insolvency Fund Agreement, the Bureau is liable for the settlement of judgements that remain unsettled as a result of the insolvency of a motor insurer. The assets of the Insolvency Fund are to be kept separate from the Bureau's other assets and from any other funds subsequently set up.

The Government of Hong Kong and the Bureau came to an agreement to revise the Insolvency Fund Agreement and Domestic Agreement (effective 13 August 2009), to the effect that where any claim, in respect of a liability for damage to property of any third party caused by or arising out of the use of a motor vehicle in Hong Kong as insured by the Insurers, or in respect of a liability to indemnify, make contribution to, or pay damages to a person in respect of a relevant liability where another party has satisfied or is obligated to satisfy that liability pursuant to a policy of insurance, is not paid in full by the relevant Insurer solely by reason of the insolvency of the relevant Insurer, the Bureau may, at its absolute discretion and subject to the provisions of the Insolvency Fund Agreement, pay the claim to any persons entitled to such payment.

At the request of the Government of Hong Kong, the Bureau has made available, with effect from 1 January 2002, a limited facility out of the First Fund to satisfy the claims of third parties who have suffered death or bodily injury caused by a terrorism act through the use of a motor vehicle in Hong Kong. The Bureau's liability for such terrorist acts is limited to a maximum aggregate amount of HK\$200 million (or such other amount as may be agreed in writing from time to time between the Government of Hong Kong and the Bureau) or such lesser amount as shall stand to the credit of the First Fund in the books of account of the Bureau as at midnight on the 28th day after a judgement (whether in respect of a terrorist act or any other claims) is obtained.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1 Legal status (continued)

This is after making all appropriate provisions and reductions for actual liabilities of the Bureau under the First Fund Agreement which have been notified to the Bureau prior to the date of judgement of the relevant claim until such time as further funds shall at any time thereafter have been credited to the First Fund, in which event, and as from that time, the Bureau shall become liable for the unsatisfied portion of the relevant judgment.

The limited facility provides cover on a first come first served (by notification of court judgements) basis. The Bureau waives any rights to which it would be entitled under the First Fund Scheme's Domestic Agreement dated 1 February 1981 to recover from any insurer concerned any sums paid where the judgement is given in respect of bodily injury liability which arises out of a terrorist act.

2 Principal accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented.

(a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standard ("HKFRS") and requirements of the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance Cap. 622. They have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of financial assets and financial liabilities (including derivative instruments) at fair value through profit or loss.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with HKFRS requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Bureau's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgment or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed in Note 4.

Changes in accounting policies

(i) New standards, amendments to standards and interpretations adopted by the Bureau

Standards affected	New standard and amendments relate to	Applicable for financial year beginning on/after
HKAS 16	Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before intended use	1 January 2022
HKFRS 16	Covid-19 Related Rent Concessions beyond 30 June 2021	1 January 2022

The preceding new amendments to standards have been adopted for the first time for the financial year ended 31 December 2022 and have no material impact on the Bureau.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

- 2 Principal accounting policies (continued)
- (a) Basis of preparation (continued)

Changes in accounting policies (continued)

(ii) New standards, amendments to standards and interpretations not yet adopted by the Bureau

A number of new standards and amendments to standards have been issued but are not effective for annual periods beginning after 1 January 2022, and have not been early adopted. The Bureau has assessed the impact of these new standards and amendments to standards and they are not expected to have a material impact on the financial position or results of the Bureau, except for the adoption of HKFRS 17 "Insurance Contracts", which will be effective for annual reporting periods beginning on 1 January 2023. This standard sets out the requirements that Bureau should apply in accounting for insurance it issues and apply retrospectively.

The Bureau's HKFRS 17 implementation is progressing as planned. The Bureau expects that the implementation will be fully completed based on planned timetable.

Estimated impact of the adoption of HKFRS 17

The overall impact of the initial application of HKFRS 17 is an expected increase of the Bureau's equity upon transition.

In measuring the insurance balances, the key assumptions the Bureau has applied are:

- the Bureau expects to use the Premium Allocation Approach ("PAA") for measuring contracts as the respective Bureau's groups of contracts meet the PAA eligibility criteria because the measurement of the liability for remaining coverage would not differ materially from the one that would be produced applying the General Measurement Model ("GMM"). The Bureau also uses PAA for measuring contract with coverage period of one year or less.
- the Bureau applies the bottom-up approach in the determination of the discounts rates for different products.

The estimated impact is preliminary because not all the HKFRS 17 implementation work has been finalised. The actual impact of adopting HKFRS 17 on 1 January 2022 may change because:

- the Bureau is continuing to refine the new accounting processes and internal controls required for applying HKFRS 17; and
- the new accounting policies, assumptions, judgements and estimation techniques are subject to change until the Bureau finalises its first financial statements that include the date of initial application.

Transition approach

The Bureau expects to apply the full retrospective approach when it is practicable.

There are no other HKFRSs, amendments to HKFRSs or HK (IFRIC) interpretations that are not yet effective that would be expected to have a material impact on the Bureau.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2 Principal accounting policies (continued)

(b) Revenue recognition

(i) Members' and non-members' contributions

Members' contributions received and receivable are recognised based on gross motor insurance premiums received and receivable by members from their policyholders.

(ii) Other investment income and interest income on deposits

Other investment income is recognised when the right to receive rebate of investment management expense from the investment manager. Interest income from bank deposits and debt securities is accrued on a time-apportioned basis on the principal outstanding and at the rates applicable.

(iii) Rental income

Operating lease rental income is recognised on a straight-line basis.

(iv) Realised and unrealised gains/ (losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss

Gains or losses arising from disposals and changes in the fair values of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss are recognised in the period in which they arise.

(v) Other sundry income

Other sundry income is recognised when the amount can be measured reliably and it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Bureau.

(c) Property, plant and equipment

Leasehold property classified as finance lease and all other property, plant and equipment are stated in the statement of financial position at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Bureau and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are expensed in the statement of comprehensive income during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Amortisation on leasehold property classified as finance lease and depreciation on other fixed assets is calculated using the straight-line method to allocate costs net of their residual values over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Leasehold property 20 years Other fixed assets 6¾ years

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each financial reporting date.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2 Principal accounting policies (continued)

(c) Property, plant and equipment (continued)

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount. These are included in the statement of comprehensive income.

(d) Insurance contracts

Insurance contracts are those contracts that transfer significant insurance risk. As a general guideline, the Bureau defines as significant insurance risk the possibility of having to pay benefits on the occurrence of an insured event that are at least 10% more than the benefits payable if the insured event did not occur. The Bureau believes that the facilities described in Note 1 above meet the definition of insurance contracts.

Claims are charged to income as incurred based on the estimated liability for compensation owed to policyholders. They include claims settlement costs arising from events that have occurred up to the financial reporting date even if they have not yet been reported to the Bureau. The Bureau does not discount its liabilities for unpaid claims. Liabilities for unpaid claims are estimated using the input of assessments for individual cases reported to the Bureau. The Bureau maintains a provision for claims incurred but not reported.

(e) Financial instruments

Classification

The Bureau classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories:

- those to be measured subsequently at fair value through profit and loss, and
- those to be measured at amortised cost.

The Bureau classifies its investments based on both the Bureau's business model for managing those financial assets and the contractual terms of the cash flows. The financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are managed and performance is evaluated on a fair value basis. The Bureau is primarily focused on fair value information and uses that information to assess the assets' performance and to make decisions. The Bureau's debt securities are neither held for the purpose of collecting contractual cash flows nor held both for collecting contractual cash flows and for sale. The collection of contractual cash flows is only incidental to achieving the Fund's business model's objective. Consequently, all investments are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

The Bureau reclassifies debt investments when and only when its business model for managing those assets changes.

The Bureau classifies its derivative contracts that have a negative fair value as liabilities at fair value through profit and loss.

Recognition and derecognition

Regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised on trade-date – the date on which the Bureau commits to purchase or sell the asset. Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or have been transferred and the Bureau has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership.

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2 Principal accounting policies (continued)

(e) Financial instruments (continued)

Measurement

At initial recognition, the Bureau measures financial assets and financial liabilities at their fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Transaction costs of financial assets and financial liabilities carried at fair value through profit and loss are expensed in the statement of comprehensive income.

Subsequent to initial recognition, all financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value. Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss category are presented in the statement of comprehensive income within net realised and unrealised (loss)/gain on financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss in the period in which they arise.

Dividend income from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income when the Bureau's right to receive payments is established. Interest on debt securities at fair value through profit or loss is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

Financial assets with embedded derivatives are considered in their entirety when determining whether their cash flows are solely payment of principal and interest.

The Bureau has receivables for sale of investments and payable to settle purchases of investments that have been contracted for but not yet settled or delivered on the statement of financial position date respectively. The receivable from for sale of investments is held for collection.

These amounts are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Contribution and other receivables also include members' contribution receivables. They are generally due for settlement within one month and therefore are all classified as current.

Members' contribution receivables are recognised initially at the amount of consideration that is unconditional. The Bureau holds the members' contribution receivables with the objective to collect the contractual cash flows and therefore measures them subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Impairment

For Members' contribution receivables and receivable for sale of investments, the Bureau applies the simplified approach permitted by HKFRS 9, which requires expected lifetime losses to be recognised from initial recognition of the receivables.

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2 Principal accounting policies (continued)

(e) Financial instruments (continued)

Fair value

The fair values of quoted investments are based on current bid prices.

Regular way purchases and sales of investments were recognised on trade-date – the date on which the Bureau commits to purchase or sell the asset. Financial instruments carried at fair value through profit or loss were initially recognised at fair value and transaction costs were expensed in the statement of comprehensive income.

Financial instruments were derecognised when the right to receive cash flows from the investments had expired or had been transferred and the Bureau had transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership.

Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the 'financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss' category were presented in the statement of comprehensive income in the period in which they arise. Dividend income from financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss was recognised in the statement of comprehensive income when the Bureau's right to receive payments was established.

The fair values of quoted investments were based on current bid prices.

(f) Employee benefits

Employee entitlements to annual leave and long-service leave are recognised when they accrue to employees. A provision is made for the estimated liability for annual leave and long-service leave as a result of services rendered by employees up to the financial reporting date.

Employee entitlements to sick leave and maternity leave are not recognised until the time of leave.

Contributions to the defined contribution retirement scheme are expensed as incurred.

(g) Operating leases (Bureau as the lessor)

Leases in which a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership are retained by the lessor are classified as operating leases. Payments received under operating leases (net of any incentives given to the lessee) are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

(h) Translation of foreign currencies

The financial statements are presented in Hong Kong dollars, which is the Bureau's functional currency and presentation currency.

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

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2 Principal accounting policies (continued)

(i) Cash and cash equivalents

In the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents includes cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less and bank overdrafts.

(j) Comparative figures

Comparative figures have been adjusted, where necessary, to conform to the basis of presentation and the classification used in the current year, unless otherwise noted in the notes to the accounts.

3 Management of insurance and financial risk

3.1 Financial risk factors

The Bureau is exposed to financial risk through its financial assets. In particular, the key financial risk is from unanticipated volatility of return and other financial market driven events that can change the risk profile of the funds. The most important components of this financial risk are interest rate risk, credit risk, price risk, currency risk and liquidity risk.

(a) Interest rate risk

As at 31 December 2022, the investment portfolio of the Bureau comprises funds which holds bonds of approximately HK\$582 (2021: HK\$630 million) for the First Fund Scheme and HK\$2,140 (2021: HK\$2,347 million) for the Insolvency Fund Scheme. Interest rate movements can have a material impact on the carrying values of these funds.

By investing in the bond funds managed by the investment managers, the Bureau manages its interest rate risk by allowing the investment managers to use certain derivatives to hedge the interest rate risk exposure associated with underlying debt securities of the bond funds where appropriate. The Bureau did not have any derivative transactions in 2022 and 2021.

(b) Credit risk

The Bureau has exposure to credit risk, which is the risk that a counterparty will be unable to pay amounts in full when due. Key areas where the Bureau is exposed to credit risk are:

- insurers share of insurance liabilities for the First Fund Scheme. The First Fund Scheme protection programme is provided by an authorised insurer by purchase of reinsurance. The Bureau is not an insurer and therefore does not have the ability to effect such transactions but takes an active interest in the process as it is a critical protection mechanism for the Fund.
- counterparty risk with respect to investments in bond securities and indirect credit risk with respect to investments in funds that holds bonds.

The Bureau is also exposed to counterparty credit risk on Bank balances and cash and financial assets within Contributions and other receivables

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

3 Management of insurance and financial risk (continued)

3.1 Financial risk factors (continued)

(b) Credit risk (continued)

Insurance is used to manage insurance risk. This does not, however, discharge the Bureau's primary liability to settle claims. If an insurer fails to pay a claim for any reason, the Bureau remains liable for the payment to the policyholder. The creditworthiness of insurers is considered on an annual basis by reviewing their financial strength prior to finalization of any insurance contracts.

In relation to the Bureau's investment portfolio, the Bureau manages the level of credit risk it accepts by implementing a set of investment guidelines.

The investment guidelines stipulate that no more than 5% of the Fund is to be held in any one security, other than a fund or a security representing a collective investment of other securities, unless the security represents an OECD sovereign borrower or issuer (and its agencies).

The Bureau manages its credit risk through collective investment vehicles that invest in a diversified portfolio of bond instruments. All credit risks are assumed indirectly through exposure to these vehicles.

As of 31 December 2022, indirect credit risks of the Bureau's Fixed Income Portfolio were diversified across various countries and sectors, with highest exposure the United States, the European Monetary Union (EMU), and Japan. The percentage contributions of duration by these issuers accounted for 71.1% of the Fixed Income Portfolio. Elsewhere, the Bureau's exposure was the highest to the United Kingdom and Australia, which respectively accounted for 5.4% and 3.7% of the Fixed Income Portfolio.

The above statistics are similar to that as of 31 December 2021, where the Bureau's Fixed Income Portfolio was most exposed to bonds issued the United States, Japan and the European Monetary Union (EMU), which accounted for 54.8% of the portfolio, followed by China and Italy, which respectively accounted for 6.9% and 5.9% of the portfolio.

The Bureau measures credit risk and expected credit losses using probability of default, exposure at default and loss given default. Management considers both historical analysis and forward-looking information in determining any expected credit loss. The Bureau considers the probability of default to be close to zero as the counterparties of Bank balances and cash and Contributions and other receivables have a strong capacity to meet their contractual obligations in the near term. As a result, no loss allowance has been recognised based on expected credit losses as any such impairment would be wholly insignificant to the Bureau.

The Bureau has no significant concentration of credit risk.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

3 Management of insurance and financial risk (continued)

3.1 Financial risk factors (continued)

(c) Price risk

As at 31 December 2022, the Bureau is directly exposed to price risk related to funds and indirectly to the equity securities that the funds invest in. A 10% increase in the market values of the funds would result in a gain of approximately HK\$77 million (2021: HK\$91 million) for First Fund Scheme and HK\$284 million (2021: HK\$337 million) for Insolvency Fund Scheme.

(d) Currency risk

The Bureau's exposures to foreign exchange risk arise primarily from purchased financial assets that are denominated in currencies other than Hong Kong dollars. As at 31 December 2022, the Bureau did not have significant exposures to foreign exchange risk, as all the financial assets held by the Bureau were either denominated in Hong Kong dollars or US dollars (against which Hong Kong dollars are pegged).

(e) Liquidity risk

The Bureau's exposures to liquidity risk arise primarily from the timing of cash outflows from the outstanding claims liabilities.

Surplus cash held by the Bureau over and above balance required for working capital management are deposited to bank as short term deposit. The financial assets held by the Bureau are assets that are traded in active markets and can be readily disposed of. At the reporting date, the Bureau had a cash balance of HK\$9,667,677 (2021: HK\$14,157,110) and financial assets at fair value through profit or loss of HK\$772,698,495 (2021: HK\$907,077,203) under First Fund Scheme, and a cash balance of HK\$7,571,565 (2021: HK\$10,208,034) and financial assets at fair value through profit or loss of HK\$2,844,197,588 (2021: HK\$3,374,255,090) under Insolvency Fund Scheme which in total contributed to a majority part of the total asset.

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3 Management of insurance and financial risk (continued)

3.1 Financial risk factors (continued)

(e) Liquidity risk (continued)

The tables below summarise the timing of cash flows arising from the Bureau's liabilities:

(i) First Fund Scheme

2022

	Carrying		Cash flows (un	discounted)	
	Amount HK\$	On demand HK\$	0-5 угs НК\$	5-10 yrs HK\$	Over 10 yrs HK\$
Carrying value and cash flows arising from: Other payable and					
accruals	4,801,455		4,801,455	-	-
	4,801,455		4,801,455	-	-
Provision for			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
outstanding claims	378,630,000		378,630,000	-	-
	•				
<u> 2021</u>					
			Cash flows (un	discounted)	
	Carrying				
	Amount HK\$	On demand HK\$	0-5 yrs HK\$	5-10 yrs HK\$	Over 10 yrs HK\$
Carrying value and cash flows arising from: Other payable and					
accruals	6,647,102	<u>.</u>	6,647,102	-	-
	6,647,102	-	6,647,102	-	-
Provision for outstanding claims	463,509,000	-	463,509,000		-

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- 3 Management of insurance and financial risk (continued)
- 3.1 Financial risk factors (continued)
 - (e) Liquidity risk (continued)
 - (ii) Insolvency Fund Scheme

2022

	Carrying		Cash flows (un	discounted)	
	Amount HK\$	On demand HK\$	0-5 yrs · HK\$	5-10 yrs HK\$	Over 10 yrs HK\$
Carrying value and cash flows arising from:					
Other payable and accruals	5,906,209	-	5,906,209	-	-
	5,906,209	-	5,906,209	-	-
Provision for outstanding claims	411,103,000		411,103,000		
<u>2021</u>					
	Carrying		Cash flows (un	discounted)	
	Amount HK\$	On demand HK\$	0-5 yrs HK\$	5-10 yrs HK\$	Over 10 yrs HK\$
Carrying value and cash flows arising from: Other payable and					
accruals	2,243,450	-	2,243,450	-	-
	2,243,450		2,243,450	-	-
Provision for outstanding claims	22,434,000	_	22,434,000		-
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3 Management of insurance and financial risk (continued)

3.2 Fair value estimation

HKFRS 7 specifies a hierarchy of valuation techniques based on whether the inputs to those valuation techniques are observable or unobservable. Observable inputs reflect market data obtained from independent sources, while unobservable inputs reflect the market assumptions. These two types of inputs have created the following fair value hierarchy:

- Level 1 Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
 This level includes listed equity securities and unit trusts.
- Level 2 Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices).
- Level 3 inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs). This level includes debt instruments with significant unobservable components.

The following table presents the Bureau's financial assets that are measured at fair value at 31 December 2022. All debt securities and term deposits held by the Bureau meet the qualification of and are included in level 1. There were no transfers of financial assets between level 1 and level 2 fair value hierarchy classifications.

Financial assets

(i) First Fund Scheme

		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total balance
		HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
	Financial assets (Note 11)	•			•
	- Cash	19,736	-	_	19,736
	- Unit trusts	772,678, 75 9	-	-	772,678,759
	Total financial assets	772,698,495		-	772,698,495
	•				
(ii)	Insolvency Fund Sche	me	******		
(ii)	Insolvency Fund Sche	me Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total balance
(ii)	Insolvency Fund Sche		Level 2 HK\$	Level 3 HK\$	Total balance
(ii)	Insolvency Fund Sche Financial assets (Note 11)	Level 1 HK\$			
(ii)	·	Level 1 HK\$			HK\$
(ii)	Financial assets (Note 11)	Level 1 HK\$			

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

3 Management of insurance and financial risk (continued)

3.2 Fair value estimation (continued)

The following table presents the Bureau's financial assets and liabilities that are measured at fair value at 31 December 2021.

Financial assets

(i) First Fund Scheme

		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total balance
		HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
	Financial assets (Note 11)	•	👣		
	- Cash	9,294	_	-	9,294
	- Unit trusts	907,067,909	-	-	907,067,909
	Total financial assets	907,077,203	-	•	907,077,203
(ii)	Insolvency Fund Sche	me			
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total balance
		HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
	Financial assets (Note 11)	,		11174	πφ
	- Cash	32,053	-	-	32,053
	- Unit trusts	3,374,223,037	-	-	3,374,223,037
	Total financial assets	3,374,255,090	-	-	3,374,255,090
	v	-			

3.3 Insurance risk

The principal insurance risk that the Bureau faces is that the assets of the Funds are not adequate to discharge its obligations under the terms of the fund agreements. This may arise if the actual claims exceed the carrying amount of the insurance liabilities. A 10% increase in provision for outstanding claims, would negatively impact the (loss)/surplus for the year and the retained surplus by HK\$38 million (2021: HK\$46 million) for First Fund Scheme and by HK\$41 million (2021: HK\$2 million) for Insolvency Fund Scheme in 2022.

For the First Fund Scheme, the Bureau regularly engages qualified actuaries to review the solvency position of the Fund to make sure that the assets of the Fund are adequate to discharge its obligations under the terms of the First Fund Agreement (Note 13). The Bureau also purchases First Fund Scheme Protection programme insurance to cover motor third party bodily injury losses originating from uninsured vehicle accidents, hit and run cases, any awards exceeding the original policy limit of HK\$100 million and terrorism coverage. The effect of such insurance arrangements is that the Bureau should not suffer an ultimate net loss of HK\$10 million for each and every loss and/or series of losses arising out of one event subject to the insurers' stipulated annual aggregate limit and index clause. If the event losses were to exceed HK\$350 million, the excess (not insured) would fall back on the Bureau. The loss for the Bureau for terrorist acts is HK\$100 million ultimate net loss each and every loss occurrence against the Bureau's maximum aggregate limit of HK\$200 million as agreed with the Government.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

3 Management of insurance and financial risk (continued)

3.3 Insurance risk (continued)

For the Insolvency Fund scheme, the Bureau manages the above insurance risk by reviewing the percentage rate of the contributions not less than annually, as assisted by independent actuaries as needed.

4 Critical accounting estimates and judgements

The Bureau makes estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of its claims liabilities. Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Claims liabilities are estimated by reference to (i) the estimate of reported claims liabilities based on claims information submitted to the Bureau, (ii) the estimate of incurred-but-not-reported liabilities and (iii) future indirect claims handling expenses. This estimate of claims liability is subject to significant judgement made by the Bureau.

5 Remuneration of Council Members of the Bureau

In accordance with the Bureau's Articles of Association, the Council Members of the Bureau are not entitled to any remuneration or compensation for services rendered to the Bureau. Accordingly, none of the Council Members of the Bureau received or was due any remuneration during the year.

6 Taxation

The Bureau is exempt under Section 87 of the Hong Kong Inland Revenue Ordinance from payment of any tax chargeable under the Ordinance.

7 Other sundry income

The amount represents fee income received of HK\$408,000 (2021: HK\$800,000) for First Fund Scheme and HK\$408,000 (2021: Nil) for Insolvency Fund Scheme from the ECIIB in respect of services rendered under the cost service agreement.

8 Staff cost

	First Fund	Scheme	Insolvency Fu	nd Scheme
	2022	2021	2022	2021
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$
Salaries and wages Contributions to defined	1,697,135	5,497,970	5,361,148	1,012,499
contribution plan	43,980	108,278	110,244	20,920
Other staff benefits	45,082	378,028	385,741	47,558
	1,786,197	5,984,276	5,857,133	1,080,977
				

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9 Property, plant and equipment

a) First Fund Scheme

Leasehold improvements HK\$	Furniture and fixtures HK\$	Office Equipment HK\$	Computer equipment and software HK\$	Total HK\$
1,142,144	256,939	90,530	523,493	2,013,106
-	1,500	49,400	70,440	121,340
-	(1,700)	(54,188)	(27,985)	(83,873)
1,142,144	256,739	85,742	565,948	2,050,573
1,044,734	256,939	81,686	485,421	1,868,780
46,447	225	8,378	17,937	72,987
-	(1,700)	(46,965)	(27,035)	(75,700)
1,091,181	255,464	43,099	476,323	1,866,067
50,963	1,275	42,643	89,625	184,506
97,410	-	8,844	38,072	144,326
	1,142,144	Leasehold and improvements fixtures HK\$ HK\$ 1,142,144 256,939 - 1,500 - (1,700) 1,142,144 256,739 - (1,700) 1,044,734 256,939 46,447 225 - (1,700) 1,091,181 255,464 - 50,963 1,275	Leasehold improvements and fixtures Office Equipment HK\$ HK\$ HK\$ 1,142,144 256,939 90,530 - 1,500 49,400 - (1,700) (54,188) 1,142,144 256,739 85,742 - (1,700) (46,965) 1,091,181 255,464 43,099 50,963 1,275 42,643	Leasehold improvements and fixtures Office Equipment equipment and software and software HK\$ 1,142,144 256,939 90,530 523,493 - 1,500 49,400 70,440 - (1,700) (54,188) (27,985) 1,142,144 256,739 85,742 565,948 1,044,734 256,739 85,742 565,948 1,044,734 225 8,378 17,937 - (1,700) (46,965) (27,035) 1,091,181 255,464 43,099 476,323 50,963 1,275 42,643 89,625

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9 Property, plant and equipment (continued)

(b) Insolvency Fund Scheme

	Leasehold land and property HK\$	Leasehold improvements HK\$	Furniture and fixtures HK\$	Office equipment HK\$	Computer equipment and software HK\$	Total HK\$
Cost:						
At 1 January 2022	99,982,750	1,701,447	279,355	90,530	537,538	102,591,620
Additions	-	-	1,500	49,400	70,440	121,340
Disposal			(1,700)	(54,188)	(27,985)	(83,873)
At 31 December 2022	99,982,750	1,701,447	279,155	85,742	579,993	102,629,087
Accumulated depreciation and impairment:						
At 1 January 2022	99,982,750	1,604,036	279,355	81,686	499,467	102,447,294
Charge for the year	-	46,447	225	8,378	17,937	72,987
Disposal		<u>-</u>	(1,700)	(46,965)	(27,035)	(75,700)
At 31 December 2022	99,982,750	1,650,483 	277,880 	43,099	490,369	102,444,581
Net book value:						
At 31 December 2022		50,964	1,275	42,643	89,624	184,506
At 31 December 2021	-	97,411	-	8,844	38,071	144,326

The leasehold property is situated in Hong Kong and is held on a long lease of more than 50 years. The Bureau believes that the lease payments for the leasehold land and leasehold property cannot be separated reliably. Accordingly, the carrying values of both the land element and property element are reported as property, plant and equipment.

Operating leases

The Bureau leased out leasehold properties under operating lease. The lease runs for a period of two years for Rooms 901 and 903. The lease does not include contingent rentals.

As at 31 December 2022, Room 902 being vacant, the Bureau had future aggregate minimum lease receipts under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

2022	2021
HK\$	HK\$
401,247	1,010,996
-	401,247
401,247	1,412,243
	401,247 -

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10 Cash and cash equivalents

	First Fund Scheme		Insolvency Fu	ind Scheme	
	2022 2021		2022	2021	
	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	HK\$	
Bank balances and cash					
- bank balances	9,664,677	14,154,110	7,571,565	10,208,034	
- petty cash	3,000	3,000	-	-	
Financial assets					
- cash deposits (Note 11)	19,736	9,294	63,279	32,053	
Cash and cash equivalents	9,687,413	14,166,404	7,634,844	10,240,087	

Bank balances and cash are measured at amortised cost.

11 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

(a) First Fund Scheme

	2022 HK\$	2021 HK\$
Mutual funds registered in Hong Kong containing - Listed bonds - Listed equities	125,842,706 187,815,497	116,714,922 269,311,795
 Cash deposits Bond funds registered outside Hong Kong Listed bonds 	2,529,502 456,491,054	8,280,451 512,760,741
Cash deposits with custodian (Note 10)	19,736	9,294
	772,698,495	907,077,203

The Bureau had investments in the following investment funds. These investment funds manage assets on behalf of third party investors. These funds are financed through the issue of units/shares to investors.

	Fair value			
	2022 HK\$	2021 HK\$		
Investment Funds, at market value:				
Schroder Stable Growth Fund	118,056,889	145,725,007		
Schroder Balanced Investment Fund	198,130,816	248,582,161		
PIMCO Global Bond Fund	301,601,356	340,310,789		
JPM Aggregate Bond Fund	154,889,698	172,449,952		
	772,678,759	907,067,909		

The above investments at 31 December 2022 were classified as financial assets at fair value through profit and loss.

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11 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (Continued)

(a) First Fund Scheme (continued)

These investments include 3,610,302 units of Schroder Stable Growth Funds (2021: 3,725,077 units), 2,997,894 units of Schroder Balanced Investment Fund (2021: 3,165,845 units), 1,220,155 units of PIMCO Global Bond Fund (2021: 1,221,329 units) and 157,201 units of JPM Aggregate Bond Fund (2021: 157,861 units).

The maximum exposure to loss is HK\$772,678,759 which represents the fair value of the investments in investment funds.

The size of the Schroder Stable Growth Funds during the year ranges from HK\$6,714 million to HK\$9,016 million, the size of the Schroder Balanced Investment Funds ranges from HK\$6,987 million to HK\$8,563 million, the size of the PIMCO Global Bond Funds ranges from US\$10,606 million to US\$13,513 million and the size of the JPM Aggregate Bond Funds ranges from US\$1,940 million to US\$2,578 million. During the year, the Bureau did not provide financial support to unconsolidated structured entities and has no intention of providing financial or other support.

(b) Insolvency Fund Scheme

	2022 HK\$	2021 HK\$
Mutual funds registered in Hong Kong containing - Listed bonds - Listed equities - Cash deposits	465,784,789 695,166,243 9,362,508	431,925,018 996,637,797 30,643,329
Bond funds registered outside Hong Kong - Listed bonds Cash deposits with custodian (Note 10)	1,673,820,769 63,279	1,915,016,893 32,053
	2,844,197,588	3,374,255,090

The Bureau had investments in the following investment funds. These investment funds manage assets on behalf of third party investors. These funds are financed through the issue of units/shares to investors.

	Fair value		
	2022	2021	
	HK\$	HK\$	
Investment Funds, at market value:		•	
Schroder Stable Growth Fund	438,870,650	538,264,895	
Schroder Balanced Investment Fund	731,442,890	920,941,249	
PIMCO Global Bond Fund	1,128,168,826	1,272,068,992	
JPM Aggregate Bond Fund	545,651,943	642,947,901	
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	2,844,134,309	3,374,223,037	

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11 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

(b) Insolvency Fund Scheme (continued)

The above investments at 31 December 2022 were classified as financial assets at fair value through profit and loss.

These investments include 13,421,121 units of Schroder Stable Growth Fund (2021: 13,759,328 units), 11,067,376 units of Schroder Balanced Investment Fund (2021: 11,728,747 units), 4,564,108 units of PIMCO Global Bond Fund (2021: 4,565,282 units) and 553,794 units of JPM Aggregate Bond Fund (2021: 588,555 units).

The maximum exposure to loss is HK\$2,844,134,309 which represents the fair value of the investments in investment funds.

The size of the Schroder Stable Growth Funds during the year ranges from HK\$6,714 million to HK\$9,016 million, the size of the Schroder Balanced Investment Funds ranges from HK\$6,987 million to HK\$8,563 million, the size of the PIMCO Global Bond Funds ranges from US\$10,606 million to US\$13,513 million and the size of the JPM Aggregate Bond Funds ranges from US\$1,940 million to US\$2,578 million. During the year, the Bureau did not provide financial support to unconsolidated structured entities and has no intention of providing financial or other support.

12 Contributions and other receivables

Other receivable includes amount receivable of HK\$16,000,000 (2021: nil) for sale of investments for Insolvency Fund Scheme before year end. Contributions and other receivables are measured at amortised cost. The fair values of the receivable balances are estimated to be approximately equal to the carrying amounts of these balances.

This is no significant concentration of credit risk with respect to these receivables. There is no loss allowance recognised as at 31 December 2022 (2021: nil).

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13 Provision for outstanding claims

An actuarial investigation of the solvency position of both funds is carried out every year to ensure that the assets of the funds are adequate to discharge its obligations under the terms of the fund agreements. The Bureau has engaged Deloitte Advisory (Hong Kong) Limited to undertake a review of the funding position at 31 December 2022.

(a) First Fund Scheme

	2022 HK\$	2021 HK\$
Notified claims Incurred but not reported Future indirect claims handling expenses	413,110,000 41,311,000 9,088,000	396,212,000 39,621,000 8,717,000
Total at beginning of year	463,509,000	444,550,000
Cash paid for claims settlements in the year (Decrease)/ increase in liabilities during the year	(4,191,864) (80,687,136)	(6,731,893) 25,690,893
Total at end of year	378,630,000	463,509,000
Represents:		
Notified claims Incurred but not reported Future indirect claims handling expenses	337,460,000 33,746,000 7,424,000	413,110,000 41,311,000 9,088,000
·	378,630,000	463,509,000

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13 Provision for outstanding claims (continued)

(a) First Fund Scheme (continued)

The following table presents the claims development as at 31 December 2022.

	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	2020	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>Total</u>
Estimate of cumulative claims	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
- At end of the year of notification	107,495	128,324	126,953	184,438	203,132	209,770	159,243	
- one year later	66,287	77,617	73,535	126,009	127,597	103,394		,
- two years later - three years	40,920	44,062	51,405	73,458	77,867			
later - four years	18,958	30,130	29,405	44,824				
later	7,941	18,078	8,937					
- five years later	5,540	8,025						
- six years later	3,227							
Current estimate of cumulative claims	3,227	8,025	8,937	44,824	77,867	103,394	159,243	405,517
Cumulative payments to date	(2,127)	(4,592)	(6,289)	(6,553)	(5,711)	(1,483)	(929)	(27,684)
Outstanding claims	1,100	3,433	2,648	38,271	72,156	101,911	158,314	377,833
Provision for outstanding claims in respect of prior years								797
Total provision for outstanding claims in the Statement of Financial Position								378,630
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The above is presented on a gross basis and any impact from insurance arrangements is considered immaterial for the purpose of the above disclosure.

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13 Provision for outstanding claims (continued)

(a) First Fund Scheme (continued)

The following table presents the claims development as at 31 December 2021.

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	2017	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	2020	<u>2021</u>	<u>Total</u>
Estimate of cumulative claims	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
- At end of the year of notification	112,256	107,495	128,324	126,953	184,438	203,132	209,770	
- one year later	62,269	66,287	77,617	73,535	126,009	127,597	,	
two yearslaterthree years	50,062	40,919	44,062	51,405	73,458			·
later	37,338	18,958	30,130	29,405				
- four years later	26,482	7,941	18,078					
 five years later 	22,931	5,540						
- six years later	17,602							
Current estimate of cumulative claims	17,602	5,540	18,078	29,405	73,458	127,597	209,770	· 481,450
Cumulative payments to date	(14,685)	(2,118)	(4,457)	(5,989)	(6,486)	(3,728)	(663)	(38,126)
Outstanding claims	2,917	3,422	13,621	23,416	66,972	123,869	209,107	443,324
Provision for outstanding claims in respect of prior years								20,185
Total provision for outstanding claims in the Statement of Financial Position								463,509

The above is presented on a gross basis and any impact from insurance arrangements is considered immaterial for the purpose of the above disclosure.

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13 Provision for outstanding claims (continued)

(b) Insolvency Fund Scheme

	2022 HK\$	2021 HK\$
Notified claims Incurred but not reported Future indirect claims handling expenses	19,995,000 1,999,000 440,000	27,761,000 2,776,000 611,000
Total at beginning of year	22,434,000	31,148,000
Cash paid for claims settlements in the year Increase/(decrease) in liabilities during the year	(74,426,604) 463,095,604	(126,537) (8,587,463)
Total at end of year	411,103,000	22,434,000
Represents:		
Notified claims Incurred but not reported Future indirect claims handling expenses	366,402,000 36,640,000 8,061,000 411,103,000	19,995,000 1,999,000 440,000

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13 Provision for outstanding claims (continued)

(b) Insolvency Fund Scheme (continued)

The following table presents the claims development as at 31 December 2022.

	2016	201.7	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	<u>Total</u>
Estimate of cumulative claims	HK\$'000							
 At end of the year of notification 	-	-	-	-	_	-	468,767	
- one year later	-	_	_	-	-			
- two years later	-	-	-	-	-			
- three years later	-	-	-	•				
- four years later	-		-	•				
- five years later	-	-						
- six years later	-							
Current estimate of cumulative claims	-	-	-	-	-	-	468,767	468,767
Cumulative payments to date	_	-		-	-	-	(74,415)	(74,415)
Outstanding claims	-	-		-		-	394,352	394,352
Provision for outstanding claims in respect of prior years								16,751
Total provision for outstanding claims in the Statement of								·
Financial Position								411,103

The above is presented on a gross basis and no insurance arrangement signed for Insolvency Fund Scheme for the year ended 31 December 2022.

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13 Provision for outstanding claims (continued)

(b) Insolvency Fund Scheme (continued)

The following table presents the claims development as at 31 December 2021.

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>Total</u>
Estimate of cumulative claims	HK\$'000								
- At end of the year of notification	717	-		-	-	_	-	-	
- one year later	273	-	-	-	-	-	-		
- two years later	228	-	-	-	-	-			
- three years later	228	-	-	-	-				
- four years later	228	-	-	-					
- five years later	228	-							
- six years later	228	-							
Current estimate of cumulative claims	228	-		-	-	-	-	· <u>-</u>	228
Cumulative payments to date	(58)	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	(58)
Outstanding claims	170				_	_	-	-	170
Provision for outstanding claims in respect of prior years									22,434
Total provision for outstanding claims in the Statement of Financial Position								-	22,604
		•						;	22,004

The above is presented on a gross basis and no insurance arrangement signed for Insolvency Fund Scheme for the year ended 31 December 2021.

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13 Provision for outstanding claims (continued)

(b) Insolvency Fund Scheme (continued)

Under the Insolvency Fund Agreement, the Bureau is liable for the settlement of certain judgements that remained unsettled as a result of the insolvencies of Anglo Starlite Insurance Company Limited (Dissolved) ("Anglo Starlite") and Target Insurance Company, Limited (In Liquidation) ("Target").

The Bureau estimated a total incurred claims liability for Anglo Starlite and Target as at 31 December 2022 of approximately HK\$1.3 billion (2021: HK\$0.9 billion). The outstanding claims liability as at 31 December 2022 amounted to HK\$411 million (2021: HK\$22 million).

14 Accounts payable

The balance represents the amounts payable to settle the purchases of investments. These are measured at amortised cost.

15 Approval of financial statements

The financial statements were approved by the Council on 21 April 2023.