Mercantile Bank Limited

Profit and Loss Account

For the year ended 31 December 2019

	Notes	Amount in BDT	
		Dec 19	Dec 18
Interest income	20	23,081,814,816	20,381,113,173
Interest paid on deposits, borrowings etc.	21	18,116,167,297	16,277,034,618
Net interest income		4,965,647,519	4,104,078,555
Investment income	22	3,828,901,293	3,558,859,901
Commission, exchange and brokerage	23	2,950,703,441	2,384,417,062
Other operating income	24	1,430,754,400	1,793,157,860
		8,210,359,134	7,736,434,823
Total operating income		13,176,006,653	11,840,513,378
Salaries and allowances	25	2,416,251,526	2,439,759,322
Rent, taxes, insurances, electricity etc.	26	365,373,181	796,225,237
Legal expenses	27	31,821,336	24,382,779
Postage, stamps, telecommunication etc.	28	66,492,547	70,745,731
Stationery, Printings, Advertisements etc.	29	265,782,748	296,864,216
Chief Executive's Salary and fees	30	13,191,210	17,658,710
Directors' fees	31	4,727,200	3,974,400
Auditors' fees	32	747,500	1,477,500
Depreciation and repair of bank's assets	33	895,185,906	442,859,729
Other expenses	34	1,760,682,601	1,400,992,287
Total operating expenses		5,820,255,754	5,494,939,911
Profit/(Loss) before provision		7,355,750,899	6,345,573,467
Provision for loans and advances including off Balance Sheet items	13.5	3,587,813,043	1,982,135,646
Other provision	13.2.1(V)	287,441,000	12,500,000
Total provision		3,875,254,043	1,994,635,646
Total profit/(Loss) before taxes		3,480,496,856	4,350,937,821
Provision for Current Tax	13.4.1	1,346,540,534	1,403,709,864
Provision for Deferred Tax	13.4.2	(41,540,535)	(53,709,159)
		1,305,000,000	1,350,000,705
Net profit after taxation		2,175,496,856	3,000,937,116
Appropriations			
Statutory reserve	15	696,099,371	870,187,564
General reserve	15.1	-	900,000,000
		696,099,371	1,770,187,564
Retained surplus		1,479,397,485	1,230,749,552
Earnings per share (EPS)	35	2.32	3.20

The annexed notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

Managing Director and CEO

Director

Director

Chairman

This is the Profit and Loss Account referred to in our separate report of even date.

Ahmed Zaker & Co.

Chartered Accountants