



**CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT**

Dear Stockholder,

I wish to report that your Bank recorded an after-tax profit of \$669 million for the quarter ended December 31, 2013. This represents an increase of \$97 million or 16.9% when compared with the quarter ended December 31, 2012. Total assets increased by \$8.4 billion or 6.6%, while total deposits increased by \$6.9 billion or 6.1% year-on-year.

While our first quarter results are satisfactory, we remain concerned over the possible negative implications of the lack of progress on matters of national significance, such as the revised Anti-Money Laundering/Countering the Financing of Terrorism (AML/CFT) legislative enhancement.

Nigel M. Baptiste  
Chairman of the Board  
January 20, 2014

**Republic Bank (Guyana) Limited  
Statement of Financial Position**

Expressed in millions of Guyana dollars

	UNAUDITED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED Dec-31-12	AUDITED Sept-30-13
<b>ASSETS</b>			
Cash resources	9,536	15,460	18,889
Statutory deposit with Bank of Guyana	14,473	13,066	13,675
Investment securities	55,198	49,754	45,395
Advances	48,717	41,273	46,574
Other assets	2,539	2,520	2,571
Premises and equipment	5,275	5,202	5,236
Intangible Assets	179	192	195
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>135,917</b>	<b>127,467</b>	<b>132,535</b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>			
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
Customers' chequing, savings and deposit accounts	119,932	113,006	117,118
Due to banks	186	157	189
Pension liability	253	276	247
Other liabilities	3,378	3,284	2,802
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>123,749</b>	<b>116,723</b>	<b>120,356</b>
<b>STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>			
Stated capital	300	300	300
Statutory reserves	300	300	300
Other reserves	1,782	1,313	1,231
Retained earnings	9,786	8,831	10,348
	12,168	10,744	12,179
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>	<b>135,917</b>	<b>127,467</b>	<b>132,535</b>

John N. Alves, Managing Director

Christine McGowan, Corporate Secretary

Roy E. Cheong, Director, Chairman of Audit Committee

**Republic Bank (Guyana) Limited  
Statement of Income**

Expressed in millions of Guyana dollars

	UNAUDITED THREE MONTHS ENDED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED THREE MONTHS ENDED Dec-31-12	UNAUDITED TWELVE MONTHS ENDED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED TWELVE MONTHS ENDED Dec-31-12	AUDITED YEAR ENDED Sept-30-13
Net interest income	1,467	1,270	5,559	4,784	5,557
Other income	659	566	2,417	2,138	2,141
Operating income	2,126	1,836	7,976	6,922	7,698
Loan impairment expense	141	49	367	166	276
Operating expenses	997	895	3,781	3,459	3,690
<b>Profit before tax</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>3,828</b>	<b>3,297</b>	<b>3,732</b>
Tax	319	320	1,377	1,223	1,378
<b>Net profit after tax</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>2,451</b>	<b>2,074</b>	<b>2,354</b>
<b>Earnings per stock unit (G\$)</b>	<b>2.23</b>	<b>1.91</b>	<b>8.17</b>	<b>6.91</b>	<b>7.85</b>
<b>Average number of stock units ('000,000)</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>



**Republic Bank (Guyana) Limited**  
**Statement of Comprehensive Income**

Expressed in millions of Guyana dollars

	UNAUDITED THREE MONTHS ENDED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED THREE MONTHS ENDED Dec-31-12	AUDITED YEAR ENDED Sept-30-13
<b>Net profit after tax</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>2,354</b>
Net gains/(losses) on available-for-sale investments	33	(52)	(130)
Tax relating to components of other comprehensive income	(13)	21	52
<b>Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>(31)</b>	<b>(78)</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period, net of tax</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>2,276</b>

**Republic Bank (Guyana) Limited**  
**Statement of Cash Flows**

Expressed in millions of Guyana dollars

	UNAUDITED THREE MONTHS ENDED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED THREE MONTHS ENDED Dec-31-12	AUDITED YEAR ENDED Sept-30-13
<b>Operating Activities</b>			
Profit before taxation	988	892	3,732
Adjustments for non-cash items	242	135	696
Increase in operating assets	(2,910)	(4,563)	(10,482)
Increase in operating liabilities	3,264	12,208	15,767
Corporation taxes paid	(307)	(299)	(1,226)
<b>Cash from operating activities</b>	<b>1,277</b>	<b>8,373</b>	<b>8,487</b>
<b>Investing Activities</b>			
Net (increase)/decrease in investments	(9,803)	(3,588)	680
Additions to premises and equipment	(123)	(53)	(739)
<b>Cash used in investing activities</b>	<b>(9,926)</b>	<b>(3,641)</b>	<b>(59)</b>
<b>Financing Activities</b>			
Decrease in balances due to other banks	(4)	(97)	(64)
Dividends paid	(700)	(600)	(900)
<b>Cash used in financing activities</b>	<b>(704)</b>	<b>(697)</b>	<b>(964)</b>
<b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash resources</b>	<b>(9,353)</b>	<b>4,035</b>	<b>7,464</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period/year	18,889	11,425	11,425
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of period/year</b>	<b>9,536</b>	<b>15,460</b>	<b>18,889</b>
<b>Supplemental Information:</b>			
Interest received during the period/year	1,181	1,137	6,319
Interest paid during the period/year	125	145	728
Dividends received	-	-	7

**Republic Bank (Guyana) Limited**  
**Statement of Changes in Equity**

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	Stated Capital	Statutory Reserves	Other Reserves	Retained Earnings	Total Equity
<b>Unaudited</b>					
Three months ended December 31, 2013					
<b>Balance at October 1, 2013</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1,231</b>	<b>10,348</b>	<b>12,179</b>
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	20	669	689
Transfer to general banking risk reserve	-	-	531	(531)	-
Dividends	-	-	-	(700)	(700)
<b>Balance at December 31, 2013</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1,782</b>	<b>9,786</b>	<b>12,168</b>
<b>Unaudited</b>					
Three months ended December 31, 2012					
<b>Balance at October 1, 2012</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1,358</b>	<b>8,845</b>	<b>10,803</b>
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period	-	-	(31)	572	541
Transfer from general banking risk reserve	-	-	(14)	14	-
Dividends	-	-	-	(600)	(600)
<b>Balance at December 31, 2012</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1,313</b>	<b>8,831</b>	<b>10,744</b>
<b>Audited</b>					
Year ended September 30, 2013					
<b>Balance at October 1, 2012</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1,358</b>	<b>8,845</b>	<b>10,803</b>
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period	-	-	(78)	2,354	2,276
Transfer from general banking risk reserve	-	-	(49)	49	-
Dividends	-	-	-	(900)	(900)
<b>Balance at September 30, 2013</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1,231</b>	<b>10,348</b>	<b>12,179</b>

**Republic Bank (Guyana) Limited**  
**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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**1. Corporate information**

The Bank was incorporated in the Co-operative Republic of Guyana on November 20, 1984 as a limited liability company under the Companies Act, Chapter 89:01 and continued under the Companies Act 1991 on May 16, 1997 and is licensed as Bankers under the Financial Institutions Act 1995.

The Bank was registered as a reporting issuer under the Securities Industry Act 1998 on April 7, 2003. It was designated as an approved mortgage finance company by the Minister of Finance on September 2, 2003 under section 15 of the Income Tax Act.

Banking operations began on February 16, 1837 by the British Guiana Bank which had been incorporated on November 11, 1836. On November 17, 1913 operations were sold to The Royal Bank of Canada. Assets and Liabilities of the Guyana operations of The Royal Bank of Canada were acquired by the Government of Guyana on November 29, 1984 and vested in the National Bank of Industry and Commerce Limited on December 1, 1984. In October 1997 the Bank became a subsidiary of Republic Bank Limited of Trinidad and Tobago and subsequently changed its name to Republic Bank (Guyana) Limited on June 5, 2006. As at December 31, 2013 the stockholdings of Republic Bank Limited in the Bank were 51.1%.

Until October 31, 2012, the CL Financial Group held through its various subsidiaries, 51.4% of the shares of Republic Bank Limited, of which Colonial Life Insurance Company (Trinidad) Limited (CLICO) and CLICO Investment Bank Limited (CIB) combined, held 51.1%.

On November 1, 2012, 24.8% of Republic Bank Limited shares formerly owned by CLICO was transferred into an investment fund launched by the Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and called the CLICO Investment Fund (the Fund). The Trustee of the Fund is the CLICO Trust Corporation Limited which holds the 24.8% shareholding in Republic Bank Limited in trust solely for the benefit of subscribing Unit holders of the Fund. The Fund is as a consequence the largest shareholder in Republic Bank Limited.

**2. Basis of preparation**

This interim financial report for the period ended December 31, 2013 has been prepared in accordance with IAS 34, 'Interim Financial Reporting' and should be used in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2013.

**3. Significant accounting policies**

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim financial statements are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Bank's annual financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2013.



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**4. Capital commitments**

	UNAUDITED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED Dec-31-12	AUDITED Sept-30-13
Contracts for outstanding capital expenditure not provided for in the financial statements	807	1,069	1,030
Other capital expenditure authorised by the Directors but not yet contracted for	110	413	412

**5. General Contingency Reserve**

Specific provisions are made for non-performing advances based on the difference between the loan balances and the discounted realisable value of collateral held. These provisions are charged through the statement of income.

A General Banking Risk Reserve is created as an appropriation of retained earnings for the difference between the specific provision and non-performing advances. When the collateral is realised, the reserve is released back to retained earnings. The General Banking Risk Reserve serves to enhance the Bank's non-distributable capital base. As at December 31, 2013, the balance in the General Banking Risk Reserve of \$1,765 million is part of Other Reserves which totals \$1,782 million.

**6. Related parties**

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

	UNAUDITED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED Dec-31-12	AUDITED Sept-30-13
<b>Outstanding balances</b>			
<b>Loans, investments and other assets</b>			
Republic Bank Limited (Parent)	-	81	108
Fellow subsidiaries	2	3	2
Directors and key management personnel	35	43	37
Other related parties	328	403	386
	<u>365</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>533</u>
Provision for amounts due from related parties	-	-	-
<b>Deposits and other liabilities</b>			
Republic Bank Limited (Parent)	590	1,337	176
Fellow subsidiaries	12	16	12
Directors and key management personnel	141	116	132
Other related parties	1,553	1,243	1,073
	<u>2,296</u>	<u>2,712</u>	<u>1,393</u>
<b>Interest and other income</b>			
Directors and key management personnel	-	1	2
Other related parties	7	10	34
	<u>7</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>36</u>
<b>Interest and other expense</b>			
Republic Bank Limited (Parent)	30	19	71
Directors and key management personnel	-	1	2
Other related parties	3	4	7
	<u>33</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>80</u>

Key management personnel are those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Bank.

**Key management compensation**

	UNAUDITED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED Dec-31-12	AUDITED Sept-30-13
Short term benefits	31	31	82
	<u>31</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>82</u>

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**7. Segment reporting**

a) Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-maker. The chief operating decision-maker is the person or group that allocates resources to and assesses the performance of the operating segments of the entity. The Bank has determined the Managing Director as its chief operating decision-maker.

Management considers its banking operation to be a single business unit. All business is conducted in Guyana with the exception of certain investment activities.

	Guyana	Trinidad and Tobago	Other Countries	Total
<b>b) Unaudited</b>				
<b>Three months ended December 31, 2013</b>				
Interest income and other income	2,255	16	25	2,296
<b>Unaudited</b>				
<b>Three months ended December 31, 2012</b>				
Interest income and other income	1,995	14	28	2,037
<b>Audited</b>				
<b>Year ended September 30, 2013</b>				
Interest income and other income	8,280	48	106	8,434

**8. Contingent liabilities**

a) As at December 31, 2013, there were certain legal proceedings outstanding against the Bank. No provision has been made as professional advice indicates that it is unlikely that any significant loss will arise, or that it would be premature at this stage of the actions to determine that eventuality.

**b) Customers' liabilities under acceptances, guarantees, indemnities and letters of credit**

These represent the Bank's potential liability, for which there are equal and offsetting claims against its customers in the event of a call on these commitments.

	UNAUDITED Dec-31-13	UNAUDITED Dec-31-12	AUDITED Sept-30-13
Guarantees	1,923	1,654	1,691
Letters of Credit	351	693	242
	<u>2,274</u>	<u>2,347</u>	<u>1,933</u>
<b>Sectoral Information</b>			
State	938	803	698
Corporate and commercial	1,319	1,531	1,196
Personal	17	13	39
	<u>2,274</u>	<u>2,347</u>	<u>1,933</u>

**9. Interest of directors and executives and of their associates**

Of these categories, the following persons held stock units in the Bank, all of which were held beneficially:

**As at December 31, 2013**

Mr. John G. Carpenter	150,000 stock units (held jointly with an associate)
Mr. Roy E. Cheong	87,000 stock units (75,000 held jointly with an associate, and 12,000 held by an associate)
Mr. John N. Alves	75,000 stock units (held jointly with an associate)
Mrs. Yolande M. Foo	315,000 stock units (held jointly with associates)

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