

**ECHO NETWORK AFRICA LIMITED (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2021**

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The directors submit their report together with the audited financial statements of Echo Network Africa Limited (ENA) for the year ended 31st December 2021.

### **Directorate**

The directors who held office during the year and to the date of this report are set out on page 1.

### **Principal activities**

The principal activity of the company is to empower women through non-financial services.

### **Business review**

The Institutional financial performance in 2021 was slightly better than in 2020 despite a declining performance trend over the last three years. The declining performance is due to the slow recovery of the economy emanating from inherent internal and external factors in the country, among them being the Covid-19 challenges, a phenomenon, though subsiding has continued with no certainty as to when it will end. This coupled with Institutional challenges of staff turnover impacted adversely to the performance which would have been otherwise much better.

ENA relies heavily on internally generated funds, grants and local fund raising to undertake operational activities and sustain itself. Due to the Covid19 impacting negatively on the economy, the country just like other countries in the world, has been experiencing massive destruction of the economy in terms of GDP decline and unemployment. Kenya's projected annual economic growth rate in 2021 was 5%. According to the latest World Bank analysis there are good indicators signaling a partial recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic which has caused growth to stall since 2020.

It's important to note that the year 2022 being an electioneering year may be faced with political uncertainty ahead of the August 2022 presidential elections coupled with possible spread of more infectious Covid-19 variants. All these cloud the outlook. Heightened political activities witnessed in the 4th Quarter of 2021 to Q2 2022, are likely to erode investor confidence further impacting adversely on foreseeable economic growth. The outlook remains unusually uncertain and contingent on the course of the pandemic. Policymakers face the challenge of controlling the pandemic, supporting economic recovery, and laying the foundation for resilient and inclusive development, while reducing macro-financial vulnerabilities.

Interest rates have been fairly low but stable (below 10% from 2016) due to prudent monetary and fiscal policy stance. Throughout 2021, Kenya recorded low rates of return on short term financial instruments because of too much liquid cash available in the market due to restrictions and curfews imposed due to COVID 19 challenges. The 91 Day Treasury bill was trading at 6.011%, 182Day Treasury bill at 6.524% and 364Day Treasury bill at 7.464, way below ENA budgeted return of 8%. As a result, some of ENA's funds were invested at a return of 6.75% against budgeted 8%. The Treasury Bonds market, however recorded better returns compared to Treasury Bills. In the period March to October 2021, two 10 year- bonds, three 15year-bonds, one 18year- bond, three 20year- bonds, one 21year- bond and six 25year- bonds had coupon rates ranging between 11.5% to 13.9%. ENA therefore did not invest in these lucrative bonds in the period due to the long tenures which are in contravention of ENA investment policy. To cushion the Institution from adverse performance of the financial markets, 2.19% of ENA Investment portfolio continued being held into an 11 year Treasury bond at a favorable tax free coupon rate. ENA was able to achieve 99% of the targeted returns in 2021 from short term deposits due to prudent financial management and favorable rates earned above 8%, the budgeted rate of return.

The Jennifer Riria Hub had its share of challenges resulting from the several Covid19 wave attacks that impacted on tenant businesses' and resulted to rent default and huge arrears with some of them closing business totally. The occupancy rate of 50% planned to be achieved by year end did not materialize and only 11% was achieved. The Hub's performance however improved slightly in the year in terms of revenue generation due to existing tenants taking up more space and the few new tenants paying their rents well. This resulted to rent and related incomes realized of Kshs.12.6million against budgeted Kshs.37.7million (33% budget achievement). ENA continued paying for maintenance costs of the Hub instead of the Hub generating enough income to cover its costs.



**Business review (continued)**

ENA's fundraising efforts in 2021 were enhanced raising total grants received by December to Kshs.27.3 Million compared to Kshs.10.4 Million in 2020 for activities planned in the respective years. The Institution is gaining gradual recognition in the development world as a key player for her catalytic role. During the year there was an increase in Donors who funded or are likely to fund ENA for the first time in 2021/2022 e.g. Grand challenge Canada, Amref, UNWOMEN, Family Health International, Hanseidel Foundation and AIDS Health care foundation. With adequate and right staffing in the Development Division the Institution will be in a position to source for new opportunities and enhance partnership relationship with existing Donors to attract further funding to support ENA initiatives as a catalytic Development Institution.

The Associate company (KWFT Bank) has not paid dividends for more than 4 years running. In 2019 ENA absorbed Kshs.90.8million in its books and Kshs.360million in year 2020 as a result of impairment of its investment in the bank. However, recovery from this status has started showing good indicators as indicated in the Banks turnaround performance in 2021 .We hope this performance will be enhanced so that the bank can start giving Investors returns for their investments in the Bank.

**Risk and mitigation**

Risk is inherent in any organization and especially where financial resources are safeguarded and handled. Continuous risk evaluation was undertaken throughout the year to protect the Institution from visible and potential risk factors including risks arising from COVID 19 pandemic.

In light of the Board oversight in risk management, ENA has now institutionalized risk and compliance focus area. It coordinates with other focus areas on identification, assessment, mitigation, monitoring and reporting of risks. It uses an integrated and holistic approach to risk management in the Institution as a basis to achieving effective corporate governance. Other Focus areas respond appropriately to significant business, strategic, operational, finance, compliance and other risks that threaten the achievement of their strategic and operational objectives.

During the audit year the Institution had to cope with some key risks such as;

- Economic conditions impacting negatively on Business growth
- Uncontrollable external factors impacting on Business performance among this being the Covid-19 pandemic that globally affected all businesses.
- Low occupancy rate at the Jennifer Riria Hub and uncertain rents due to unstable market conditions arising from impact of Covid-19 and other adverse economic factors
- Rent default risk
- Revolving Loan fund for Aquaculture farming - inherent risks in the industry
- Poor performance of the Associate Company due to adverse Economic conditions though now picking well in the 2021 performance.
- Inadequate & ineffective Internal Controls- continuously evaluated and enhanced.
- Inconsistent Internal Controls-Addressed through policy guidelines for consistency
- Internal Controls not complying with the changing ENA business and business environment -reviewed continuously in line with market trends.

ENA will continue developing mitigation strategies against all risks affecting its business.

**Statement as to disclosure to the company's auditor**

With respect to each director at the time this report was approved:

- (a) there is, so far as the director is aware, no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware; and
- (b) the director has taken all the steps that the director ought to have taken as a director so as to be aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information.

**Terms of appointment of the auditor**

The directors approve the annual audit engagement contract which sets out the terms of the auditor's appointment and the related fees. The agreed auditor's remuneration of KSh 575,000 has been charged to profit or loss in the year.

**By order of the board**

*W H Sumbwa*

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**Director/ Company secretary**

*27th April*  
Nairobi ..... 2022

*Echo Network Africa Limited (A company limited by guarantee)*  
*Statement of directors' responsibilities*  
*For the year ended 31st December 2021*

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The Kenyan Companies Act, 2015 requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year that give a true and fair view of the financial position of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for that year. It also requires the directors to ensure that the company keeps proper accounting records that: (a) show and explain the transactions of the company; (b) disclose, with reasonable accuracy, the financial position of the company; and (c) enable the directors to ensure that every financial statement required to be prepared complies with the requirements of the Kenyan Companies Act, 2015.

The directors accept responsibility for the preparation and presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and in the manner required by the Kenyan Companies Act, 2015. They also accept responsibility for:

- i) designing, implementing and maintaining such internal control as they determine necessary to enable the presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error;
- ii) selecting suitable accounting policies and applying them consistently; and
- iii) making accounting estimates and judgements that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Having made an assessment of the company's ability to continue as a going concern, the directors are not aware of any material uncertainties related to events or conditions that may cast doubt upon the company's ability to continue as a going concern.

The directors acknowledge that the independent audit of the financial statements does not relieve them of their responsibilities.

Approved by the board of directors on 27th April 2022 and signed on its behalf by:



Director



Director





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## **REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR TO THE MEMBERS OF ECHO NETWORK AFRICA LIMITED**

### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Echo Network Africa Limited (the "company"), set out on pages 7 to 27, which comprise the balance sheet as at 31st December 2021, the statement of profit and loss and other comprehensive income, statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the company as at 31st December 2021 and of its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and the Kenyan Companies Act, 2015.

### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). 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 are independent of the company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Kenya, and we have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### **Other information**

The directors are responsible for the other information. Other information comprises the information included in the Annual Report, 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, other than that prescribed by the Kenyan Companies Act, 2015, as set out below.

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.

### **Directors' responsibility for the financial statements**

The directors are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Kenyan Companies Act, 2015, and for such internal control as the directors 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 directors are responsible for assessing the company'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 directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.



**REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR  
TO THE MEMBERS OF ECHO NETWORK AFRICA LIMITED (CONTINUED)**

**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. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs 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 ISAs, we exercise professional judgement 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 company's internal control.
- evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- conclude on the appropriateness of management's 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 company'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 the auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the company 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.

**Report on other matters prescribed by the Kenyan Companies Act, 2015**

In our opinion the information given in the report of the directors on pages 2 and 3 is consistent with the financial statements.

The engagement partner responsible for the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is **CPA Elvis Ogeto**, Practising Certificate No. 2303



for and on behalf of RSM Eastern Africa LLP  
Certified Public Accountants  
Nairobi

27 April

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**PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2021**

	<b>Note</b>	<b>2021 KSh'000</b>	<b>2020 KSh'000</b>
Revenue	4	86,694	98,176
Other income	5	20,989	10,963
Grant income	6	27,308	10,443
Fair value gain/(loss) on revaluation of assets	7	20,167	(15,999)
Administrative expenses		(186,764)	(179,344)
Establishment expenses		(6,844)	(8,328)
Rental expenses		(9,821)	(9,071)
Project expenses		(19,620)	(8,886)
Share of profit/(loss) in associate	18	28,750	(360,049)
Impairment loss in associate	18	<u>(28,750)</u>	<u>(72,071)</u>
<b>Loss before tax</b>	8	(67,891)	(534,166)
Tax expense	9	<u>(26,234)</u>	<u>(25,074)</u>
<b>Loss for the year attributable to members</b>		<u>(94,125)</u>	<u>(559,240)</u>
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>			
<u>Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</u>			
Surplus on revaluation of property and equipment	11	1,796	1,796
Deferred income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified	11	<u>(539)</u>	<u>(539)</u>
<b>Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax</b>		<u>1,257</u>	<u>1,257</u>
<b>Total comprehensive loss for the year attributable to members</b>		<u><u>(92,868)</u></u>	<u><u>(557,983)</u></u>


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**BALANCE SHEET AT 31ST DECEMBER 2021**

	Note	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
<b>EQUITY</b>			
Fund balance	10	1,586,102	1,586,102
Revaluation surplus	11	142,974	141,717
Revolving fund reserve	12	10,790	6,292
Retained earnings		<u>1,689,598</u>	<u>1,783,723</u>
<b>Total equity</b>		<u>3,429,464</u>	<u>3,517,834</u>
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Deferred tax	13	<u>68,463</u>	<u>66,947</u>
		<u>3,497,927</u>	<u>3,584,781</u>
<b>REPRESENTED BY</b>			
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property and equipment	14	213,910	207,163
Investment property	15	1,255,000	1,235,000
Intangible assets	16	34	53
Financial assets	17	24,894	24,268
Investment in associate	18	929,644	929,644
Revolving fund advances	19	<u>7,735</u>	<u>6,224</u>
		<u>2,431,217</u>	<u>2,402,352</u>
<b>Current assets</b>			
Other receivables	20	109,972	120,454
Current tax recoverable		10,143	12,254
Cash at bank and in hand	21	<u>993,646</u>	<u>1,127,187</u>
		<u>1,113,761</u>	<u>1,259,895</u>
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Other payables	22	<u>47,051</u>	<u>77,466</u>
<b>Net current asset</b>		<u>1,066,710</u>	<u>1,182,429</u>
		<u>3,497,927</u>	<u>3,584,781</u>

The financial statements on pages 7 to 27 were authorised for issue by the board of directors on 27th April 2022 and were signed on its behalf by:

  
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 Director

  
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 Director



**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2021**

	<b>Fund balance KSh'000</b>	<b>Revolving fund reserve KSh'000</b>	<b>Revaluation surplus KSh'000</b>	<b>Retained earnings KSh'000</b>	<b>Total KSh'000</b>
<b>At 1st January 2020</b>	1,586,102	-	140,460	2,342,963	4,069,525
Loss and comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	(559,240)	(559,240)
Contribution	-	6,292	-	-	6,292
Surplus on revaluation of property and equipment	-	-	1,796	-	1,796
Deferred income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified	-	-	(539)	-	(539)
<b>At 31st December 2020</b>	<u>1,586,102</u>	<u>6,292</u>	<u>141,717</u>	<u>1,783,723</u>	<u>3,517,834</u>
<b>At 1st January 2021</b>	1,586,102	6,292	141,717	1,783,723	3,517,834
Loss and comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	(94,125)	(94,125)
Contribution	-	4,498	-	-	4,498
Surplus on revaluation of property and equipment	-	-	1,796	-	1,796
Deferred income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified	-	-	(539)	-	(539)
<b>At 31st December 2021</b>	<u>1,586,102</u>	<u>10,790</u>	<u>142,974</u>	<u>1,689,598</u>	<u>3,429,464</u>

STATEMENT CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2021

	Note	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Loss for the year		(94,125)	(559,240)
Adjustments for:			
Tax expense	9	26,234	25,074
Depreciation of property and equipment	14	3,574	3,802
Amortisation of intangible assets	16	42	1,121
(Gain)/loss on disposal of property and equipment	5	(2,672)	271
Fair value (gain)/loss on revaluation of assets	7	(20,167)	15,999
Impairment loss in associate	18	28,750	72,071
Share of (loss)/profit in associate	18	(28,750)	360,049
<b>Operating loss before working capital changes</b>		(87,114)	(80,853)
Decrease/(increase) in other receivables		10,482	(8,361)
Decrease in other payables		(30,415)	(7,961)
<b>Cash used in operations</b>		(107,047)	(97,175)
Income tax paid		(23,146)	(48,014)
<b>Net cash used in operating activities</b>		(130,193)	(145,189)
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Purchase of property and equipment	14	(8,525)	(4,810)
Purchase of investment property	15	(459)	(14,925)
Purchase of intangible assets	16	(23)	-
Purchase of financial assets		-	(21,584)
Net movement in revolving fund advances		(1,511)	(6,224)
Proceeds from disposal of property and equipment		2,672	4,026
<b>Net cash used in from investing activities</b>		(7,846)	(43,517)
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>			
Addition to revolving funds		4,498	6,292
<b>Net cash generated from financing activities</b>		4,498	6,292
<b>Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents</b>		(133,541)	(182,414)
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at start of year</b>		1,127,187	1,309,601
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of year</b>	21	993,646	1,127,187



## NOTES

### 1. Material accounting policy information

The accounting policy information considered material in the preparation of these financial statements is set out below:

#### a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements are prepared on a going concern basis and in compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) issued by the International Accounting Standards Board. They are presented in Kenya Shillings, which is also the functional currency (see (c) below), rounded to the nearest thousand (KSh'000).

The financial statements comprise a profit or loss account and other comprehensive income (income statement), balance sheet (statement of financial position), statement of changes in equity, statement of cash flows, and notes. Income and expenses, excluding the components of other comprehensive income, are recognised in the profit and loss account. Other comprehensive income is recognised in the statement of other comprehensive income and comprises items of income and expense (including reclassification adjustments) that are not recognised in the profit and loss account as required or permitted by IFRS. Reclassification adjustments are amounts reclassified to the profit and loss account in the current period that were recognised in other comprehensive income in the current or previous periods. Transactions with the owners of the company in their capacity as owners are recognised in the statement of changes in equity.

#### Measurement basis

The measurement basis used is the historical cost basis except where otherwise stated in the material accounting policy information summarised below.

For those assets and liabilities measured at fair value, fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. When measuring the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Company uses market observable data as far as possible. If the fair value of an asset or a liability is not directly observable, it is estimated by the Company using valuation techniques that maximise the use of relevant observable inputs and minimise the use of unobservable inputs (e.g. by use of the market comparable approach that reflects recent transaction prices for similar items or discounted cash flow analysis). Inputs used are consistent with the characteristics of the asset / liability that market participants would take into account.

Fair values are categorised into three levels in a fair value hierarchy based on the degree to which the inputs to the measurement are observable and the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety:

- Level 1 fair value measurements are those derived from quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 fair value measurements are those derived from 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 fair value measurements are those derived from valuation techniques that include inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

Transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy are recognised by the Company at the end of the reporting period during which the change occurred.

#### b) New and revised standards

##### i) Adoption of new and revised standards

Two Amendments to standards became effective for the first time in the financial year beginning 1st January 2021 and have been adopted by the Company. Neither of the Amendments has had an effect on the Company's financial statements.



**NOTES (CONTINUED)**

**1. Material accounting policy information (continued)**

**b) New and revised standards (continued)**

**ii) New and revised standards that have been issued but are not yet effective**

The company has not applied any new or revised standards and interpretations that have been published but are not yet effective for the year beginning 1st January 2021, and the Directors do not plan to apply any of them until they become effective. Note 23 lists all such new or revised standards and interpretations, with their effective dates, and provides reasonably estimable information relevant to assessing the possible impact that application of them will have on the company's financial statements in the period of initial application.

**c) Translation of foreign currencies**

On initial recognition, all transactions are recorded in the functional currency (the currency of the primary economic environment in which the company operates), which is Kenya Shillings.

Transactions in foreign currencies during the year are converted into the functional currency using the exchange rate prevailing at the transaction date. Monetary assets and liabilities at the balance sheet date denominated in foreign currencies are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rate prevailing as at that date. The resulting foreign exchange gains and losses from the settlement of such transactions and from year-end translation are recognised on a net basis in the profit and loss account in the year in which they arise, except for differences arising on translation of non-monetary assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income, which are recognised in other comprehensive income.

**d) Revenue recognition**

The Company recognises revenue as and when it satisfies a performance obligation by transferring control of a product or service to a customer. The amount of revenue recognised is the amount the Company expects to receive in accordance with the terms of the contract, and excludes amounts collected on behalf of third parties, such as Value Added Tax.

Interest income is recognised on a time proportion basis using the effective interest method.

Grant income is recognised on receipt.

Registration fees income is recognised at the time of effecting the transaction.

Dividend income is recognised when the right to receive the payment is established.

Rental income is recognised on an accrual basis, based on operating lease contracts with customers.

**e) Income tax**

Income tax expense is the aggregate amount charged/(credited) in respect of current tax and deferred tax in determining the profit or loss for the year. Tax is recognised in the profit and loss account except when it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income, in which case it is also recognised in other comprehensive income, or to items recognised directly in equity, in which case it is also recognised directly in equity.

Current tax

Current tax is the amount of income tax payable on the taxable profit for the year, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of prior years, determined in accordance with the Kenyan Income Tax Act.

Deferred income tax

Deferred tax is determined for all temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes, using tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date and expected to apply when the asset is recovered or the liability is settled.

**NOTES (CONTINUED)**

**1. Material accounting policy information (continued)**

**e) Income tax (continued)**

Deferred income tax (continued)

The measurement of deferred tax assets and liabilities reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the company expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets or liabilities. However, for investment property that is measured using the fair value model, there is a rebuttable presumption that the carrying amount of the investment property will be recovered through sale.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences except those arising on the initial recognition of an asset or liability, other than through a business combination, that at the time of the transaction affects neither the accounting nor taxable profit or loss.

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which temporary differences can be utilised. Recognised and unrecognised deferred tax assets are reassessed at the end of each reporting period and, if appropriate, the recognised amount is adjusted to reflect the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

**f) Financial instruments**

Initial recognition

Financial instruments are recognised when, and only when, the Company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. All financial assets are recognised initially using the trade date accounting which is the date the Company commits itself to the purchase or sale.

Classification

The company classifies its financial instruments into the following categories:

- i) Financial assets that are held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets in order to collect contractual cash flows, and for which the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, are classified and measured at amortised cost;
- ii) Financial assets that are held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets, and for which the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, are classified and measured at fair value through other comprehensive income;
- iii) All other financial assets are classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss;
- iv) Notwithstanding the above, the Company may:
  - a) on initial recognition of an equity investment that is not held for trading, irrevocably elect to classify and measure it at fair value through other comprehensive income.
  - b) on initial recognition of a debt instrument, irrevocably designate it as classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency.
- v) Financial liabilities that are held for trading (including derivatives), financial guarantee contracts, or commitments to provide a loan at a below-market interest rate are classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss. The Company may also, on initial recognition, irrevocably designate a financial liability as at fair value through profit or loss if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency; and
- vi) All other financial liabilities are classified and measured at amortised cost.

Financial instruments held during the year were classified as follows:

- Demand and term deposits with banking institutions, trade and other receivables, and investments in government securities were classified as at amortised cost;
- Investments in quoted shares were classified by irrevocable election on initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss statement;



## NOTES (CONTINUED)

### 1. Material accounting policy information (continued)

#### f) Financial instruments (continued)

##### Initial measurement

On initial recognition:

- i) Financial assets or financial liabilities classified as at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair
- ii) Trade receivables are measured at their transaction price.
- iii) All other categories of financial assets and financial liabilities are measured at the fair value plus or minus transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the instrument.

##### Subsequent measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities after initial recognition are measured either at amortised cost, at fair value through other comprehensive income, or at fair value through profit or loss according to their classification.

Interest income, dividend income, and exchange gains and losses on monetary items are recognised in profit or

Fair value is determined as set out in Note 1(a). Amortised cost is the amount at which the financial asset or liability is measured on initial recognition minus principal repayments, plus or minus the cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of any difference between the initial amount and the maturity amount and, for financial assets, adjusted for any loss allowance.

##### Impairment

The Company recognises a loss allowance for expected credit losses on debt instruments that are measured at amortised cost or at fair value through other comprehensive income. The loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to the lifetime expected credit losses for trade receivables and for financial instruments for which: (a) the credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition; or (b) there is observable evidence of impairment (a credit-impaired financial asset). If, at the reporting date, the credit risk on a financial asset other than a trade receivable has not increased significantly since initial recognition, the loss allowance is measured for that financial instrument at an amount equal to 12-month expected credit losses. All changes in the loss allowance are recognised in profit or loss as impairment gains or losses.

Lifetime expected credit losses represent the expected credit losses that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument. 12-month expected credit losses represent the portion of lifetime expected credit losses that result from default events on a financial asset that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date.

Expected credit losses are measured in a way that reflects an unbiased and probability-weighted amount determined by evaluating a range of possible outcomes, the time value of money, and reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

##### Presentation

All financial assets are classified as non-current except those that are held for trading, those with maturities of less than 12 months from the balance sheet date, those which management has the express intention of holding for less than 12 months from the balance sheet date or those that are required to be sold to raise operating capital, in which case they are classified as current assets.

All financial liabilities are classified as non-current except those held for trading, those expected to be settled in the Company's normal operating cycle, those payable or expected to be paid within 12 months of the balance sheet date and those which the Company does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least 12 months after the balance sheet date.

##### Derecognition/write off

Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial asset have expired, when the Company has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership, or when the Company has no reasonable expectations of recovering the asset.



**NOTES (CONTINUED)**

**1. Material accounting policy information (continued)**

**f) Financial instruments (continued)**

Derecognition/write off (continued)

Financial liabilities are derecognised only when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged or cancelled or expires.

When a financial asset measured at fair value through other comprehensive income, other than an equity instrument, is derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified from equity to profit or loss as a reclassification adjustment. For equity investments for which an irrevocable election has been made to present changes in fair value in other comprehensive income, such changes are not subsequently transferred to profit or loss.

Offsetting

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the balance sheet only when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

**g) Leases**

Leases under which the company is the lessor

Leases that transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the underlying asset to the lessee are classified as finance leases. All other leases are classified as operating leases. Payments received under operating leases are recognised as income in the profit and loss account on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The Company has not entered into any finance leases.

**h) Property and equipment**

All categories of property and equipment are initially recognised at cost. Cost includes expenditure directly attributable to the acquisition of the assets. Computer software, including the operating system, that is an integral part of the related hardware is capitalised as part of the computer equipment. Land and buildings are subsequently carried at a revalued amount, based on annual valuations by external independent valuers, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. All other items of property and equipment are subsequently carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that it will increase the future economic benefits associated with the item that will flow to the company over those originally assessed and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. Repairs and maintenance expenses are charged to the profit and loss account in the year in which they are incurred.

Increases in the carrying amount arising on revaluation are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity under the heading of revaluation surplus. Decreases that offset previous increases of the same asset are recognised in other comprehensive income. All other decreases are charged to the profit and loss account.

Depreciation is calculated using the reducing balance method to write down the cost or the revalued amount of each asset to its residual value over its estimated useful life.

Gains and losses on disposal of property and equipment are determined by reference to their carrying amount and are taken into account in determining operating profit. On disposal of revalued assets, amounts in the revaluation surplus reserve relating to that asset are transferred to retained earnings.

## **NOTES (CONTINUED)**

### **1. Material accounting policy information (continued)**

#### **i) Investment property**

Investment property is property held to earn rentals or for capital appreciation or both. Investment property, including interest in leasehold land, is initially recognised at cost including the transaction costs. Subsequently, investment property is carried at fair value representing the open market value at the balance sheet date determined by annual valuations carried out by external registered valuers (Level 2). Gains or losses arising from changes in the fair value are included in determining the profit or loss for the year to which they relate.

Subsequent expenditure on investment property where such expenditure increases the future economic value in excess of the original assessed standard of performance is added to the carrying amount of the investment property. All other subsequent expenditure is recognised as an expense in the year in which it is incurred.

#### **j) Intangible assets**

Software licence costs and computer software that is not an integral part of the related hardware are initially recognised at cost, and subsequently carried at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. Costs that are directly attributable to the production of identifiable computer software products controlled by the company are recognised as intangible assets. Amortisation is calculated using the straight line method to write down the cost of each licence or item of software to its residual value over its estimated useful life.

#### **k) Investment in associate**

An associate is an entity over which the group has significant influence, but which it does not control.

Investment in associate is accounted for by the equity method of accounting. Under the equity method, investment in associate is carried in the balance sheet at cost plus share of subsequent profits less any impairment in the value of individual investments. Losses of an associate in excess of the group's interest in that associate are recognised only to the extent that the group has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.

#### **l) Impairment of non-financial assets**

Non-financial assets that are carried at amortised cost are reviewed at the end of each reporting period for any indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, an impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use.

#### **m) Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand and demand and term deposits, with maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition, that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

#### **n) Short term employee benefits**

The estimated monetary liability for employees' accrued annual leave entitlement at the balance sheet date is recognised as an employment cost accrual.

#### **o) Post-employment benefit obligations**

The company and its employees also contribute to the National Social Security Fund (NSSF), a national defined contribution scheme. Contributions are determined by local statute and the company's contributions are charged to the profit and loss account in the year to which they relate.

The company also operates a gratuity scheme for its employees. The service cost of the scheme is included in the profit or loss account.



## **NOTES (CONTINUED)**

### **2. Significant judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty**

In the process of applying the accounting policies adopted by the company, the directors make certain judgements and estimates that may affect the amounts recognised in the financial statements. Such judgements and estimates are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the current circumstances. However, actual results may differ from those estimates. The judgements and estimates are reviewed at each financial reporting date to ensure that they are still reasonable under the prevailing circumstances based on the information available, and any revisions to such judgements and estimates are recognised in the year in which the revision is made.

#### **a) Significant judgements made in applying the company's accounting policies**

The judgements made by the directors in the process of applying the company's accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements include:

- (i) Classification of financial assets: whether the business model in which financial assets are held has as its objective the holding of such assets to collect contractual cash flows or to both collect contractual cash flows and sell the assets; and whether the contractual terms of financial assets give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest.

#### **b) Key sources of estimation uncertainty**

Key assumptions made about the future and other sources of estimation uncertainty that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities within the next financial year include:

- i) *Impairment losses*  
Estimates made in determining the expected credit losses on financial assets. Such estimates include the determination of probabilities of default including the use of forward looking information, and of losses given default.

### **3. Risk management objectives and policies**

#### **a) Financial risk management**

The company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks including credit, liquidity and market risks. The company's overall risk management policies are set out by the board and implemented by the management, and focus on the unpredictability of changes in the business environment and seek to minimise the potential adverse effects of such risks on the company's performance by setting acceptable levels of risk. The company does not hedge against any risks.

#### **i) Credit risk**

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will cause a financial loss for the other party by failing to discharge an obligation. Credit risk mainly arises from financial assets, and is managed on a company-wide basis. The company does not grade the credit quality of financial assets that are neither past due nor impaired.

Credit risk on financial assets with banking institutions is managed by dealing with institutions with good credit ratings and placing limits on deposits that can be held with each institution. The Company carries out its own assessment of credit risk before investing in treasury bonds and fixed deposits, and updates such assessments at each reporting date.

Credit risk on other receivables is managed by ensuring that credit is extended to entities with an established credit history. The credit history is determined by taking into account the financial position, past experience and other relevant factors. Credit is managed by setting the credit limit and the credit period for each entity. The utilisation of the credit limits and the credit period is monitored by management on a monthly basis.



NOTES (CONTINUED)

3. Risk management objectives and policies (continued)

a) Financial risk management (continued)

i) Credit risk (continued)

In assessing whether the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly, the Company compares the risk of default occurring on the financial asset as at the reporting date with the risk of default occurring on that financial asset as at the date of initial recognition. In doing so, the Company considers reasonable and supportable information that is indicative of significant increases in credit risk since initial recognition and that is available without undue cost or effort. There is a rebuttable assumption that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition when contractual payments are more than 30 days past due.

For these purposes default is defined as having occurred if the debtor is in breach of contractual obligations, or if information is available internally or externally that suggests that the debtor is unlikely to be able to meet its obligations. However, there is a rebuttable assumption that default does not occur later than when a financial asset is 90 days past due.

If the Company does not have reasonable and supportable information to identify significant increases in credit risk and/or to measure lifetime credit losses when there has been a significant increase in credit risk on an individual instrument basis, lifetime expected credit losses are recognised on a collective basis. For such purposes, the Company groups financial assets on the basis of shared credit risk characteristics, such as:

- type of instrument
- industry in which the debtor operates
- nature of collateral.

A financial asset is credit-impaired when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred. Evidence that a financial asset is credit impaired include observable data about the following events:

- significant financial difficulty of the debtor
- a breach of contract
- it is probable that the debtor will enter bankruptcy
- the disappearance of an active market for the financial asset because of financial difficulties.

The gross carrying amount of financial assets with exposure to credit risk at the balance sheet date was as follows:

	12-month expected credit losses KSh'000	Lifetime expected credit losses (see note below) (a) KSh'000	(b) KSh'000	(c) KSh'000	Total KSh'000
<b>31st December 2021</b>					
Financial assets	21,584	-	-	-	21,584
Other receivables	108,251	-	1,750	-	110,001
Revolving fund advances	7,735	-	-	-	7,735
Cash at bank	993,646	-	-	-	993,646
Exposure to credit risk	1,131,216	-	1,750	-	1,132,966
	12-month expected credit losses KSh'000	Lifetime expected credit losses (see note below) (a) KSh'000	(b) KSh'000	(c) KSh'000	Total KSh'000
<b>31st December 2020</b>					
Financial assets	21,584	-	-	-	21,584
Other receivables	118,789	-	2,250	-	121,039
Revolving fund advances	6,224	-	-	-	6,224
Cash at bank	1,127,187	-	-	-	1,127,187
Exposure to credit risk	1,273,784	-	2,250	-	1,276,034

NOTES (CONTINUED)

3. Risk management objectives and policies (continued)

a) Financial risk management (continued)

i) Credit risk (continued)

Financial assets for which the loss allowance has been measured at an amount equal to lifetime expected credit losses have been analysed above based on their credit risk ratings as follows:

(a) financial assets for which credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition but that are not credit impaired;

(b) financial assets that are credit impaired at the balance sheet date; and

(c) trade receivables, contract assets and lease receivables for which the loss allowance is always measured at an amount equal to lifetime expected credit losses, based, as a practical expedient, on provision matrices.

ii) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the company will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The board has developed a risk management framework for the management of the company's short, medium and long-term liquidity requirements thereby ensuring that all financial liabilities are settled as they fall due. The company manages liquidity risk by continuously reviewing forecasts and actual cash flows, and maintaining banking facilities to cover any shortfalls.

The table below summarises the maturity analysis for financial liabilities to their remaining contractual maturities. The amounts disclosed are the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

	Less than one month KSh'000	Between 1-3 months KSh'000	Between 3-12 months KSh'000	Over 1 year KSh'000
<b>31st December 2021</b>				
Other payables	12,902	-	30,186	-
	Less than one month KSh'000	Between 1-3 months KSh'000	Between 3-12 months KSh'000	Over 1 year KSh'000
<b>31st December 2020</b>				
Other payables	9,549	-	62,404	-

iii) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market price and comprises three types of risks: currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk.

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the company's financial condition may be adversely affected as a result of changes in interest rate levels. The company's interest rate risk arises from deposits with banking institutions. This exposes the company to cash flow interest rate risk. Management consider that a change in interest rates of 1 basis points in the year ending 31st December 2021 is reasonably possible. If the interest rates on the company's deposit with financial institution at the year-end were to increase/decrease by this number of percentage points, with all other factors remaining constant, the post tax profit and equity would be higher/lower by KSh 6,851,0000 (2020: KSh 7,769,000) respectively.

To manage the interest rate risk, management has endeavoured to bank with institutions that offer favourable interest rates.



**NOTES (CONTINUED)**

**3. Risk management objectives and policies (continued)**

**a) Financial risk management (continued)**

**iii) Market risk (continued)**

Other price risk

Other price risk arises on financial instruments because of changes in the price of a financial instrument. The company is exposed to other price risk on its investment in quoted shares. Management consider that a change in the market prices of its quoted shares of 10% either way in the year ending 31st December 2022 is reasonably possible. If the price of fair value through profit and loss financial assets decreased/increased by the said percentage, with other factors remaining constant, profit and loss and equity would decrease/increase by KSh 331,000 (2020: KSh 268,400).

Currency risk

The company is not exposed to currency risk.

**b) Capital management**

The company's objective in managing its capital is to ensure that it supports the development of its business and is able to continue as a going concern, while at the same time maximising the return to its shareholders.

The company is not subject to any external capital requirements.

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>KSh'000</b>	<b>KSh'000</b>
<b>4. Revenue</b>		
Interest income on fixed deposits	86,694	98,176
<b>5. Other income</b>		
Registration fees	23	76
Gain/(loss) on disposal of assets	2,672	(271)
Dividends received from investments in quoted shares	-	241
Consultancy income - Gender	197	-
Rental income	17,069	8,153
Other income	1,028	2,764
	<u>20,989</u>	<u>10,963</u>
<b>6. Grant income</b>		
Aquaculture	7,631	6,389
Corporate	84	179
Other grants	-	762
Meda	3,454	220
AIDS Healthcare Foundation	295	-
Hanseidel Foundation	2,231	-
Uraia	1,721	-
Amref	5,410	-
UN Women	2,481	-
Family Health International	4,001	-
Democratic Trust Fund	-	2,893
	<u>27,308</u>	<u>10,443</u>
<b>7. Changes in fair value</b>		
These comprise changes in fair value of:		
Investment property	19,541	(14,925)
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit and loss	626	(1,074)
	<u>20,167</u>	<u>(15,999)</u>



NOTES (CONTINUED)

8. Loss before tax

	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
<b>(a) Items charged</b>		
The following items have been charged in arriving at loss before tax:		
Employee benefits expense (Note 8(b))	97,284	148,909
Depreciation of property and equipment	3,522	3,816
Amortisation of intangible assets	43	1,122

**(b) Employee benefits expense**

The following items are included in employee benefits expense:

Salaries and wages	69,197	121,211
Retirement benefit costs:		
- National Social Security Fund	76	74
- Staff gratuity	28,011	27,624
	97,284	148,909

The average number of persons employed during the year, by category, were:

	2021 Number	2020 Number
Finance	6	6
Programmes	8	7
Information, Communication and Technology	2	2
Corporate	8	8
Talent and administration	6	9
Total	30	32

9. Tax expense

	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
Current tax	25,257	24,328
Deferred tax (Note 13)	977	746
Income tax expense	26,234	25,074

The tax on the Company's loss before income tax differs from the theoretical amount that would arise using the statutory income tax rate of 30% (2020: 25%) as follows:

<b>Loss before tax</b>	(67,891)	(534,166)
Tax calculated at the statutory tax rate of 30% (2020: 25%)	(20,367)	(133,542)
Tax effect of:		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	75,765	153,264
Income not subject to tax	(29,164)	5,352
Income tax expense	26,234	25,074

The statutory tax rate was reduced from 30% to 25% for the year of income 2020 by the Tax Laws (Amendment) Act, 2020. The Tax Laws (Amendment) (No.2) Act, 2020 increased the rate back to 30% with effect from 1st January 2021.

10. Fund balance

	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
At start and end of year	1,586,102	1,586,102

The fund balance represents capital fund received from various donors. The fund balance is not distributable.

NOTES (CONTINUED)

11. Revaluation surplus

	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
At start of year	141,717	140,460
Surplus on revaluation of property and equipment	1,796	1,796
Deferred income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified	(539)	(539)
At end of year	142,974	141,717

The revaluation surplus represent increase in the fair value of land and building, net of deferred tax, carried at revalued amounts.

12. Revolving fund reserve

	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
At start of year	6,292	-
Contribution during the year	4,498	6,292
At end of year	10,790	6,292

The fund balance represents 50% contribution by donors and 50% contribution by the company towards the revolving fund for Aquaculture project . In line with the donors agreement, these funds are set aside and can be only be utilised as advances to women groups undertaking aquaculture activities.

13. Deferred income tax

Deferred tax is calculated using the enacted rate of 30% (2020: 25%). However, the statutory tax rate for the year ended 31st December 2021 was 30% (see Note 9).

Deferred tax liabilities, deferred tax charge in the profit and loss account and in other comprehensive income are attributable to the following items:

Year ended 31st December 2021	At 1st January KSh'000	Charged to other comprehensive KSh'000	Charged to profit & loss KSh'000	At 31st December KSh'000
<b>Deferred income tax liability</b>				
Revaluation of property and equipment	55,460	539	-	55,999
Revaluation of investment property	11,487	-	977	12,464
<b>Net deferred tax liability</b>	<b>66,947</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>68,463</b>
<b>Year ended 31st December 2020</b>				
<b>Deferred income tax liability</b>				
Revaluation of property and equipment	55,999	(539)	-	55,460
Revaluation of investment property	10,741	-	746	11,487
<b>Net deferred tax liability</b>	<b>66,740</b>	<b>(539)</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>66,947</b>

NOTES (CONTINUED)

14. Property and equipment

	Land and buildings KSh'000	Computer equipment KSh'000	Motor vehicles KSh'000	Furniture, fitting and office equipments KSh'000	Total KSh'000
<b>At 1st January 2020</b>					
Cost or valuation	204,360	7,709	19,954	14,432	246,455
Accumulated depreciation	-	(6,549)	(19,236)	(12,000)	(37,785)
Net carrying value	204,360	1,160	718	2,432	208,670
<b>Year ended 31st December 2020</b>					
Opening carrying value	204,360	1,160	718	2,432	208,670
Additions	-	271	-	4,539	4,810
Disposal	-	-	-	(4,297)	(4,297)
Revaluation	1,796	-	-	-	1,796
Depreciation charge	(1,796)	(676)	(718)	(626)	(3,816)
Closing carrying value	204,360	755	-	2,048	207,163
<b>At 31st December 2020</b>					
Cost or valuation	206,156	7,862	19,954	14,674	248,646
Accumulated depreciation	(1,796)	(7,107)	(19,954)	(12,626)	(41,483)
Net carrying value	204,360	755	-	2,048	207,163
<b>Year ended 31st December 2021</b>					
Opening carrying value	204,360	755	-	2,048	207,163
Additions	-	1,149	7,345	31	8,525
Disposals	-	-	(5,752)	-	(5,752)
Revaluation	1,796	-	-	-	1,796
Accumulated depreciation on disposals	-	-	5,752	-	5,752
Depreciation charge	(1,796)	(778)	(459)	(541)	(3,574)
Closing carrying value	204,360	1,126	6,886	1,538	213,910
<b>At 31st December 2021</b>					
Cost or valuation	206,156	8,893	27,299	14,705	257,053
Accumulated depreciation	(1,796)	(7,767)	(20,413)	(13,167)	(43,143)
Net carrying value	204,360	1,126	6,886	1,538	213,910

Leasehold land and buildings were valued (Level 2) on 31st December 2021 by Crystal Valuers Limited, independent valuers, on the basis of open market value. There was no revaluation gain or loss recognised in the current year.

The annual depreciation rates used are as follows:

	<b>Rate - %</b>
Leasehold land	Over lease period
Buildings	10 years
Computer equipment	30%
Motor vehicles	25%
Furniture, fitting and office equipment	12.5%



NOTES (CONTINUED)

15. Investment property

	Leasehold land KSh'000	Buildings KSh'000	Total KSh'000
<b>Year ended 31st December 2021</b>			
At 1st January	240,000	995,000	1,235,000
Additions	-	459	459
Fair value gain	-	19,541	19,541
At 31st December	<u>240,000</u>	<u>1,015,000</u>	<u>1,255,000</u>
<b>Year ended 31st December 2020</b>			
At 1st January	240,000	995,000	1,235,000
Additions	-	14,925	14,925
Fair value loss	-	(14,925)	(14,925)
At 31st December	<u>240,000</u>	<u>995,000</u>	<u>1,235,000</u>

The fair value of the investment property is based on the valuation carried out by Crystal Valuers Limited independent valuers, on the basis of open market value (Level 2). The valuer is a registered valuer and has experience in the location and the category of the investment property being valued. The investment property was valued on 31st December 2021.

16. Intangible assets

	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
<b>Cost</b>		
At 1st January	8,602	8,602
Additions	<u>23</u>	<u>-</u>
At 31st December	<u>8,625</u>	<u>8,602</u>
<b>Amortisation</b>		
At 1st January	8,549	7,428
Charge for the year	<u>42</u>	<u>1,121</u>
At 31st December	<u>8,591</u>	<u>8,549</u>
<b>Net book value</b>		
At 31st December	<u>34</u>	<u>53</u>

NOTES (CONTINUED)

17. Financial assets

Non- Current	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
Treasury bonds	21,584	21,584
Equity instruments	3,310	2,684
	<u>24,894</u>	<u>24,268</u>

The fair values of government securities are based on prices published by brokers (Level 2).

The categorisation of assets carried at fair value by the levels defined in Note 1(a) is as follows:

<u>Financial instruments measured at fair value through profit or loss</u>	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
Equity instruments	<u>3,310</u>	<u>2,684</u>
The movement in the fair value of those assets measured at fair value based on Level 1 were as follows:		
At start of year	2,684	3,758
Gain/(loss) on revaluation recognised in the profit or loss	626	(1,074)
At end of year	<u>3,310</u>	<u>2,684</u>

18. Investment in associate

At 1st January	929,644	1,361,764
Share of profit/(loss) for the year	28,750	(360,049)
Impairment loss	(28,750)	(72,071)
At 31st December	<u>929,644</u>	<u>929,644</u>

The company's has an interest of 25% (2020: 25%) in the equity and voting rights of Kenya Women Microfinance Bank Limited. Kenya Women Microfinance Bank Limited is incorporated in Kenya and is unlisted. The principal place of business is along Mombasa Road, Nairobi.

19. Revolving fund advances

	2021 KSh'000	2020 KSh'000
At 1st January	6,224	-
Advances during the year	4,498	6,292
Cash at hand	(2,987)	(68)
At 31st December	<u>7,735</u>	<u>6,224</u>



**NOTES (CONTINUED)**

**20. Other receivables**

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>KSh'000</b>	<b>KSh'000</b>
Prepayments	1,721	1,665
Other receivables	108,251	118,789
Chase Bank Limited (under receivership)	1,750	2,250
Impairment of Chase Bank Limited balance	(1,750)	(2,250)
	<u>109,972</u>	<u>120,454</u>

Included under other receivables are bank balances held with Chase Bank Limited (under receivership). The bank balance has been reclassified from cash and cash equivalents to other receivables, because they are no longer deemed to be highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to cash.

**21. Cash and cash equivalents**

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>KSh'000</b>	<b>KSh'000</b>
For the purpose of the statement of cash flow, cash and cash equivalents comprise the following:		
Cash and current account balances	14,919	17,386
Deposits with financial institutions	<u>978,727</u>	<u>1,109,801</u>
	<u>993,646</u>	<u>1,127,187</u>

**22. Other payables**

Other payables and accruals	12,902	9,549
Provision for gratuity	25,969	56,729
Provision for leave	4,217	5,675
Deferred income	<u>3,963</u>	<u>5,513</u>
	<u>47,051</u>	<u>77,466</u>

**23. Related party transactions**

The following transactions were carried out with related parties which were related through common share holding and directorships.

The following transactions were carried out with related parties:

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>KSh'000</b>	<b>KSh'000</b>
i) Interest income		
Interest from fixed deposit	<u>22,591</u>	<u>29,902</u>
ii) Director's remuneration		
- as executives	58,593	54,636
- fees	<u>2,509</u>	<u>2,369</u>
	<u>61,102</u>	<u>57,005</u>
iii) Key management compensation	<u>82,636</u>	<u>75,074</u>
iv) Outstanding balances arising from sale and purchase of goods/services		
Loans and advances to other employees	<u>5,988</u>	<u>16,096</u>
Investment in fixed deposits	<u>127,914</u>	<u>245,706</u>

**NOTES (CONTINUED)**

**23. New and revised financial reporting standards**

The Company has not applied the following new and revised standards and interpretations that have been published but are not yet effective for the year beginning 1st January 2021.

**Amendments to IFRS 16 titled Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions Beyond 30th June 2021 (issued in March 2021)**

The previous amendment to IFRS 16 permitted the practical expedient to be applied only to reductions in lease payments that did not extend beyond 30th June 2021. This amendment, applicable to annual periods beginning on or after 1st April 2021 allows the practical expedient to be applied to reductions in lease payments that do not extend beyond 30th June 2022.

**Amendments to IAS 37 titled Onerous Contracts - Cost of Fulfilling a Contract (issued in May 2020)**

The amendments clarify that for the purpose of assessing whether a contract is onerous, the cost of fulfilling the contract includes both the incremental costs of fulfilling that contract and an allocation of other costs that relate directly to fulfilling contracts. They are effective for contracts for which an entity has not yet fulfilled all its obligations on or after 1 January 2022.

**Amendments to IAS 16 titled Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use (issued in May 2020)**

The amendments, applicable to annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022, prohibit a company from deducting from the cost of property, plant and equipment amounts received from selling items produced while the company is preparing an asset for its intended use. Instead, a company will recognise such sales proceeds and related cost in profit or loss.

**Amendment to IFRS 1 titled Subsidiary as a First-time Adopter (issued in May 2020 as part of the Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards 2018-2020)**

The amendment, applicable to annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022, provides a subsidiary that becomes a first-time adopter later than its parent with an exemption relating to the measurement of its assets and liabilities. The exemption does not apply to components of equity.

**Amendment to IFRS 9 titled Fees in the '10 per cent' Test for Derecognition of Financial Liabilities (issued in May 2020 as part of the Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards 2018-2020)**

The amendment, applicable to annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022, to IFRS 9 clarifies the fees that a company includes when assessing whether the terms of a new or modified financial liability are substantially different from the terms of the original financial liability.

**Amendment to IAS 41 titled Taxation in Fair Value Measurements (issued in May 2020 as part of the Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards 2018-2020)**

The amendment, applicable to annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022, to IAS 41 removed the requirement to exclude taxation cash flows when measuring fair value. This amendment aligned the requirements in IAS 41 on fair value measurement with those in other IFRS Standards.

**Amendments to IAS 1 titled Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current (issued in January 2020)**

The amendments, applicable to annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023, clarify a criterion in IAS 1 for classifying a liability as non-current: the requirement for an entity to have the right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period.

**Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 titled Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture (issued in September 2014)**

The amendments, applicable from a date yet to be determined, address a current conflict between the two standards and clarify that a gain or loss should be recognised fully when the transaction involves a business, and partially if it involves assets that do not constitute a business.



**SCHEDULE OF OPERATING EXPENDITURE**

**1. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES**

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>KSh'000</b>	<b>KSh'000</b>
<b>Employment:</b>		
Salaries and wages	69,273	65,158
Staff gratuity	28,011	27,624
Staff medical insurance	7,594	7,262
Provision for leave	(1,459)	2,122
Staff training	503	58
<b>Total employment costs</b>	<b>103,922</b>	<b>102,224</b>
<b>Other administration expenses:</b>		
Director's remuneration	61,102	57,005
Postage and telephone	1,634	1,968
Entertainment and travel	562	998
Printing and stationery	1,688	1,243
Advertising and marketing expenses	1,483	391
Audit fees		
- Current year	678	609
Legal and professional fees	2,866	1,011
Secretarial fees	113	348
Motor vehicle running expense	2,074	2,712
Office expenses	3,818	4,572
AGM expenses	3,320	3,378
Subscription	264	588
Computer expenses	2,224	1,615
Loss on foreign exchange	519	514
Bank charges and commissions	497	168
<b>Total other administration expenses</b>	<b>82,842</b>	<b>77,120</b>
<b>Total administrative expenses</b>	<b>186,764</b>	<b>179,344</b>

**2. ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES**

Rent and rates	181	120
Insurance	1,824	1,795
Repair and maintenance	1,274	1,475
Depreciation of property and equipment	3,522	3,816
Amortisation of intangible assets	43	1,122
<b>Total establishment expenses</b>	<b>6,844</b>	<b>8,328</b>

**3. RENTAL EXPENSES**

Marketing expenses	-	120
Repairs and maintenance	3,134	5,457
Security	2,543	1,481
Professional fees	431	623
Electricity and water	2,262	-
Insurance	1,195	1,195
Miscellaneous expenses	256	195
<b>Total rental expenses</b>	<b>9,821</b>	<b>9,071</b>

**SCHEDULE OF OPERATING EXPENDITURE (CONTINUED)**

<b>4. PROJECT EXPENSES</b>	<b>2021 KSh'000</b>	<b>2020 KSh'000</b>
Telephone and internet	988	211
Printing and stationery	435	403
Travelling and accommodation	6,525	4,901
Depreciation	52	52
Professional and consultancy fees	6,110	1,827
Miscellaneous project expenses	5,510	1,492
<b>Total project expenses</b>	<b>19,620</b>	<b>8,886</b>